

UNIVERSITY OF LIEGE
VETERINARY TEACHING HOSPITAL
OPHTHALMOLOGY INTERNSHIP POSITION

The veterinary teaching hospital of the University of Liège, Belgium, seeks qualified candidates for an internship in veterinary ophthalmology starting September 1st, 2022. The candidate is expected to have a DVM degree (or equivalent) and approval for licensure in Belgium. The program requires completion of a one year rotating general internship in small or large (equine) animals (or equivalent), good communication and interpersonal skills, self-motivation, good command of the French and English languages. Knowledge of Flemish or German are an added value. An interest in both small animals and equine ophthalmology is also expected.

The Veterinary Teaching Hospital is supported by board-certified specialists in large and small animal internal medicine, neurology, cardiology, anesthesia, large and small animal surgery, zoological medicine, critical care, diagnostic imaging, dermatology, and large and small animal reproduction with residents / interns being trained in all the above disciplines. The ophthalmology department offers a busy and varied caseload.

The role of the ophthalmology intern will be one of support for the ophthalmology service. He / She will be working side-by-side with Board-certified ophthalmologists and a 2nd-year-resident in ophthalmology. With time, and after demonstration of competency, the intern will gradually assume more responsibility and be the junior clinician. The ophthalmology intern will be responsible for hospital patients and, with time, will assist in instruction of veterinary medical students and interns. This internship offers a good level of supervision and clinical training, adnexal surgery opportunities and ophthalmology journal clubs. The candidate will not be expected to work on any research program. The ophthalmology intern will be on call 1 week out of 3.

The following application materials are required: 1. A letter of motivation describing background, reasons for applying to the position and career goals. 2. Current curriculum vitae 3. Two letters of recommendation from faculty members or practitioners who have worked directly with the candidate. These letters should be sent directly by the letter writer to the application address below and not forwarded by the candidate.

Applications must be received by March 15th, 2022 at the following address Nadine.fis@uliege.be. Applications submitted after this date will not be considered. After a review of the applications, we may invite a selected number of applicants for an interview on Friday 1st, April. For more information contact Sébastien Monclin (sebastien.monclin@uliege.be).