CGCVM Nutramax Clerkship Program

General Description

A 3-6 week clerkship is offered in a program for fourth year veterinary students seeking knowledge and experience in various aspects of research and production of products for companion animals. Students have the opportunity to work in a research laboratory and participate in research studies that utilize cell and explant culture models to evaluate effects of agents on the biochemical processes that underlie various conditions such as joints diseases and/or hepatic dysfunction. The methods used include growth and maintenance of hepatocytes, chondrocytes and synoviocytes in culture, measurement of various biochemical parameters using state-of-the-art analytical equipment, and analysis and interpretation of results.

Students also have the opportunity to observe the methods and controls used in manufacture of marketed products in a quality control environment that operates in accordance with good manufacturing practices. Interested students will be exposed to marketing and other business aspects associated with daily sales and marketing efforts.

Requirements and Student Selection

We select students in their fourth year of veterinary college with a good academic record. Students must arrange for their own transportation and living accommodations; however, a weekly expense allowance will be provided.

How to Apply

Interested students must submit a request with an indication of their interest in the Nutramax Laboratories Veterinary Clerkship Program, a resume, a transcript, and two letters of reference. An explanation of the reason for wanting to participate in the program and dates of availability should be included and submitted to:

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