



## Virtual reality brings dog's anatomy to life for veterinary students

Developed at Virginia Tech through multidisciplinary collaboration, this open-source virtual reality tool allows students to view skeletal structure, examine layers of tissue, zoom in on certain organs, and step into parts of a virtual dog's body. With movement and the click of a button, veterinary students can now seamlessly connect anatomy coursework with the physical examination of their patients. [Learn More](#)

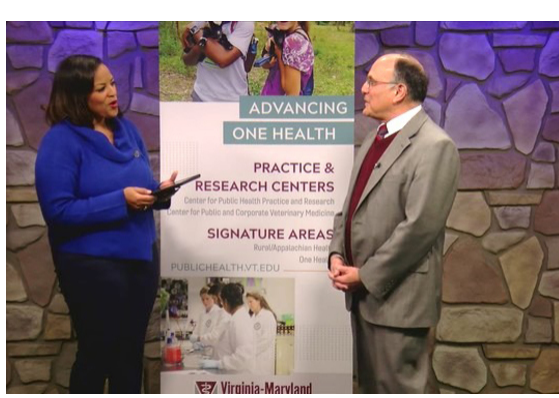
## VET MED IN THE NEWS



### National Geographic

What a Gold Rush-era orchard could mean for the future of food

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### WFXR

Video: Learn about a new public health degree at Virginia Tech

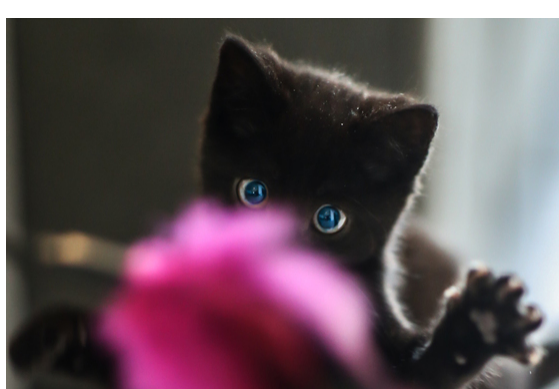
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### The Roanoke Times

2018 pardoned Thanksgiving turkeys retire to Virginia Tech's Gobblers Rest

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### Bustle

5 safe toys for kittens

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## AROUND THE COLLEGE



### New bachelor's of science in public health offers multidisciplinary approach to improving health

By establishing Virginia's first accredited Bachelor of Science degree in public health, Virginia Tech has expanded its ability to graduate students prepared to solve society's most complicated public health challenges. [Learn More](#)



### Equine Medical Center dedicates renovated Youngkin Equine Soundness Clinic

Equine athletes of all kinds — from racehorses to hunters and jumpers to family companions — in the Mid-Atlantic region will now have access to an enhanced sports medicine facility in the heart of Virginia horse country. [Learn More](#)



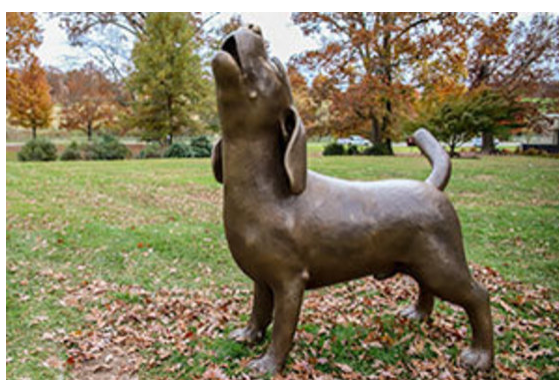
### Master of Public Health program earns reaccreditation

The process involved a detailed self-study and an on-site review of all aspects of the program's operations — including governance, finances, curriculum, research, outreach, student services, and faculty. [Learn More](#)



### Virginia Tech leads \$2.6 million study of brain trauma, epilepsy connection

Michelle Theus, associate professor of molecular and cellular neurobiology, will study the role of glial-stem cell interactions in post-traumatic epilepsy across various types of head traumas as part of a multidisciplinary team of researchers. [Learn More](#)



### Veterinary college unveils 'Shilo' howling beagle statue

If you're traveling on Duck Pond Drive near Virginia Tech's new roundabout, you'll notice a new friend baying his welcome from the veterinary college grove. [Learn More](#)

## ALUMNI CORNER



### Ray Kaplan (DVM '88) awarded AAVP Distinguished Veterinary Parasitologist Award

Kaplan presented a continuing education talk at the Class of '88 reunion this fall and also took the time to share stories about his professional journey and the implications of his work in relation to global translational medicine. [Learn More](#)

## FEATURED VIDEO



### Youngkin Equine Soundness Clinic Dedication

The Youngkin Equine Soundness Clinic in the Fout Barn at Virginia Tech's Marion duPont Scott Equine Medical Center (EMC) at Morven Park was dedicated at a ribbon-cutting ceremony

held on Nov. 18, 2018 at the center in Leesburg, Virginia.

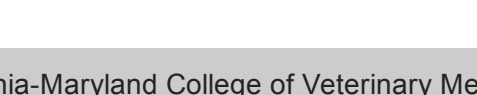
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- [Pet Portraits With Santa](#)
- [Continuing Education Events](#)
- [Alumni Events](#)

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