

RESIDENCY PROGRAM
Veterinary Clinical Sciences (259013)
2021-2024

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CONCENTRATION: WILDLIFE HEALTH MANAGEMENT

NUMBER OF POSITIONS AVAILABLE: 1

DESCRIPTION:

This residency is a 3-year (36 months), full time, graduate program of 108 credits obtained from clinical / paraclinical rotations. A specialized study diploma (D.É.S.) is awarded on completion of the program. The intensive clinical / paraclinical training is concentrated in the field of wildlife health management. This program meets the requirements of the American College of Zoological Medicine, targeting the Wildlife Health certifying examination. The resident will participate to the activities of the *Centre québécois sur la santé des animaux sauvages* of the *Faculté de médecine vétérinaire*. This center offers expertise in wildlife pathology and clinical services in wildlife health. Rotations in the *Service de médecine zoologique (Clinique des oiseaux de proie)*, the *Zoo de Granby*, the *Aquarium du Québec* and some governmental agencies are also part of the program. The resident is required to complete a research project in the field of wildlife health management. The realization in parallel of a M.Sc. program in wildlife epidemiology is highly recommended. An optional year of fellowship could be available at the end of the D.É.S program. Residents are eligible for 3 weeks of holidays per year which will be determined by the consultation committee and the supervisor. Any professional activities performed outside the residency program must be declared to the supervisor.

REQUIREMENTS:

- Doctor in veterinary medicine degree (DVM) or a diploma judged equivalent
- Have recently completed an internship or have equivalent experience
- Acquire a license to practice from l'*Ordre des médecins vétérinaires du Québec* before beginning the program
- Working knowledge of the French language
- Have a driver's license and live within 20 minutes of driving distance from the veterinary college

TUITION FEES (Amounts shown are in Canadian currency):

- Landed immigrants and Canadian citizens living in Quebec, French citizens, Francophone Belgian citizens : +/- \$5,000 / year
- Landed immigrants and Canadian citizens not living in Quebec : +/- \$12,000 / year
- Other nationalities : fees to be confirmed – please contact marie-eve.bouchard.1@umontreal.ca

For further information regarding special funding, foreign applicants, with the exception of French and Belgian francophone applicants, please contact Mrs. Marie-Ève Bouchard at marie-eve.bouchard.1@umontreal.ca

REMUNERATION:

- \$24,000 /1st year
- \$26,000 /2nd year*
- \$28,000 /3rd year*

To these amounts are added 3.6 % for benefits and 3 % for the payment of public holidays.

* Continuation of a second and third year depends on the mutual satisfaction of the resident and the Faculty.

The resident is allotted a total amount of \$3,000 to attend two conferences in his specialty during his/her program. (maximum amount per activity: \$2,000)

STARTING AND FINISHING DATES: July 14th, 2021 to July 10th, 2024

APPLICATION:

Any interested applicant must complete an application form and submit the following documents by **January 15th, 2021 at the latest** :

- Please contact Mrs. Marie-Ève Bouchard at marie-eve.bouchard.1@umontreal.ca to inform her of your intent to apply;
- Complete the application; <https://admission.umontreal.ca/admission/depot-de-la-demande/demande-dadmission> (\$105.50 fee) and submit the following documents: a letter of intent, a resume (CV) with a picture and transcripts;
- The email addresses of three references will be needed during the application process; the referees will have to fill out a form sent to them directly by the Université de Montréal and need to return the completed form. No other forms or reference letters will be needed;
- Students having done a traineeship at the University Hospital must provide their assessment with their application.

Important: Please indicate the position you are interested in on the application form

Candidate selection

The selected candidate will be contacted on **March 3rd, 2021** by phone and email. Each candidate will have 24 hours to accept or decline the position. If a candidate withdraws, the next candidate on the rank list will be contacted until all positions are filled. The rank list will not be disclosed. This process can take several days. Candidates on the waiting list will be notified by email and a written letter. Candidates not selected will be notified in writing.

For information on the admission process please contact:

Mrs. Marie-Ève Bouchard, Student Affairs, Faculté de médecine vétérinaire marie-eve.bouchard.1@umontreal.ca
Phone: 450 773-8521 or 514 345-8521 extension 8224

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