

**INTERNSHIP IN VETERINARY CLINICAL SCIENCES (I.P.S.A.V. - 259011)
2026-2027**

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: January 5th, 2026, 8:00 am

POSITION: ZOOLOGICAL MEDICINE

NUMBER OF POSITIONS AVAILABLE: 4

DESCRIPTION:

This veterinary clinical science internship is an intensive 12 months (53 weeks) post-graduate training program. A certificate is awarded upon completion. The program consists of a clinical training in zoological medicine and surgery at the Exotic Animals Clinic and the Raptor Clinic of the Zoological Medicine Service. As part of this program, the intern will also have clinical exposure to animals from zoological institutions. The Zoological Medicine Service collaborates with other veterinary specialties (i.e. diagnostic imaging, ophthalmology, surgery, etc.) and the Exotic Animals Clinic works closely with the Companion Exotic Mammal Shelter. The Raptor Clinic is associated with a provincial raptor rehabilitation network and rehabilitation facilities. Clinical training is complemented with daily clinical rounds, journal clubs and pathology rounds. Interns are involved in teaching veterinary students. The interns will participate in the after-hour emergency service offered by the Zoological Medicine Service on a rotating basis (every other week at most). Three weeks paid vacation/CE time is included and determined by the section head. If the intern is not on duty, he benefits from the same statutory holidays as other employees of the University of Montreal. Any professional activities performed outside the internship program must be declared to the Associate-Dean of Clinical Affairs.

REQUIREMENTS:

- Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM) or equivalent
- License from the Ordre des Médecins Vétérinaires du Québec before starting the program
- Internship in French

TUITION FEES (Amounts shown are in Canadian currency): <https://admission.umontreal.ca/programmes/internat-de-perfectionnement-en-sciences-appliquees-veterinaires/#couts-et-aide-financiere>

REMUNERATION: The candidate receives \$ 19 500 for 53 weeks. To these amounts are added 1 287 \$ (3.6 % for the payment of public holidays and 3 % for benefits).

A 2% contribution of gross salary will be deducted for union dues. Salary and conditions will follow the agreements stipulated in the collective agreement.

Intern responsibilities:

- (1) Clinical activity as well as participation in the on-call service outside of regular hours and during holidays (emergency surgeries and patient care) according to the clinic's schedule;
- (2) Contribution to clinical teaching (participation in teaching rounds and laboratories);
- (3) Participation in research activities and the presentation of a seminar.

PROGRAM DURATION: July 8th, 2026 to July 14th, 2027 (For the intern on emergency duty, the program will end at 8:00 am the next day)

APPLICATION:

Any interested applicant must complete an application form and submit the following documents by **January 5th, 2026, 8:00 am at the latest** :

- Express your interest to apply to Ms. Marie-Ève Bouchard at marie-eve.bouchard.1@umontreal.ca ;
- Complete the admission application; <https://admission.umontreal.ca/admission/depot-de-la-demande/demande-dadmission> (\$102 fee) and submit the following documents: a letter of intent, a resume (CV) and transcript;
- The email addresses of three referees will be requested during the application process; the referees will have to fill out a form sent to them directly by the Université de Montréal and return it, duly completed, following the instructions that will be sent to them. No other form or letter of recommendation is required;
- The candidate who has completed a clinical rotation at our Veterinary Teaching Hospital (CHUV) must provide his or her evaluation(s) related to the chosen field of practice with his or her admission application.

Important: Please indicate the field of practice - specific position you are interested in on the application form

CANDIDATE SELECTION

The selected candidate will be contacted on **February 2nd, 2026, 8:00 am** by phone and email. The candidate will have 24 hours to accept the appointment or withdraw. In the event of a withdrawal, the next candidate will be contacted, until all positions are filled. The ranking will not be disclosed. This process can take several days. Candidates on the waiting list and those who have not been selected will be notified by email.

For information on the admission process please contact:

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