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Merck Merial Veterinary Summer Internship

Merck Research Laboratories

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Job duties:

We are offering summer internships in 2008 at our research laboratories in New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Boston and Quebec, Canada. The successful candidate will observe and be involved in cutting edge scientific technologies critical to Merck's mission to disease treatment and prevention. Biomedical Sciences at Merck has the vital role of bridging the gap between our understanding of disease processes and the development of new effective therapeutics for unmet medical needs. The Merck-Merial Veterinary Internship Program provides an industrial research experience to highly-qualified individuals who have interest in laboratory animal medicine, comparative medicine, pathology, or related areas in biomedical research. The successful applicant will spend a 10-12 week period during the calendar year as an intern at one of the Merck or Merial Research facilities.

Qualifications:

Applicants must be currently enrolled in a veterinary school, or a veterinary graduate currently enrolled in or having recently completed a residency or research training in the biomedical sciences. The internships are intended for veterinary students, veterinary residents, or veterinary graduate students in pathology, laboratory animal medicine, or a related field (pharmacology, toxicology etc.).

If you are the kind of individual who thrives on challenge and possess the intellectual and technical drive that are of value to our business, we invite you to apply.

Consistently cited as a great place to work, we discover, develop, manufacture and market a wide range of vaccines and medicines to address unmet medical needs. Each of our employees is joined by an extraordinary sense of purpose – bringing Merck's finest achievements to people around the world.

To be considered for this position, please visit our career site at www.merck.com/careers/university to create a profile and submit your resume for requisition # VET000228. Applications must be submitted by February 15, 2008

Two letters of recommendation are required and should be e-mailed to the Merck Divisional Coordinator, Grace Colman at grace_colman@merck.com. Resumes will not be accepted via e-mail.

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