

TDDS CLINICAL TRAINING SCHOLARSHIP
IN VETERINARY CLINICAL PATHOLOGY

HERTFORDSHIRE, UK

Applications are invited from veterinary graduates to undertake a three-year residency programme in Veterinary Clinical Pathology, funded by Torrance Diamond Diagnostic Services (TDDS). This training programme will enable the candidate to obtain a broad training in veterinary clinical pathology of domestic and exotic species (cytology, haematology, clinical biochemistry, endocrinology, urinalysis, surgical pathology) while working in both an academic and commercial diagnostic environment. The successful candidate will be based at the Hawkshead campus of the Royal Veterinary College (near Potters Bar, Hertfordshire) and will spend 14 weeks per year at the busy TDDS laboratory in Exeter. The scholarship includes the opportunity to conduct a research project with TDDS. The Royal Veterinary College has a large pathology team including three Clinical Pathologists, five Anatomic Pathologists, two Veterinary Investigation Officers and six residents in either Clinical or Anatomic Pathology. The collaboration with TDDS adds a further six boarded pathologists to the training and diagnostic team.

Residents are involved in small group teaching, seminars, research and diagnostic duty. Completion of the programme meets the eligibility requirements for the Board examinations of the American College of Veterinary Pathologists as well as the Fellowship examinations of the Royal College of Pathologists.

The post has an annual tax-free stipend of £15,000 with a generous annual CPD, travel and accommodation budget of £3,000 and is continued for three years subject to satisfactory annual assessment.

Informal enquiries can be made to Dr Balazs Szladovits, RVC (bszladovits@rvc.ac.uk or +44 1707 666364) or Dr Andy Torrance, TDDS (tdds@exeter.ac.uk or +44 1392 262404).

For further information and to apply online, please visit our website www.rvc.ac.uk/Postgraduate/CTS Ref. CTS/SCP/11.

Closing date: 12th May 2011.

Interview date: 26th May 2011.

We promote equality of opportunity and diversity within the workplace and welcome applications from all sections of the community.