Faculty Position in Ophthalmology

The Department of Clinical Sciences in the College of Veterinary Medicine at Cornell University invites applications for a tenure track or clinical track Ophthalmology faculty position in the Section of Ophthalmology. This expansion of the Section will result in a total of four ophthalmologists with the goals of supporting robust basic and clinical research programs, providing excellent ophthalmology services in the Hospital, and maintaining a strong teaching and outreach program. The successful candidates will join a current faculty of three board-certified ophthalmologists supported by 4 experienced, licensed technicians (LVT), and two ophthalmology residents in a comprehensive, state-of-the art teaching and referral hospital. The Cornell University Hospital for Animals is equipped with extensive therapeutic and diagnostic equipment including state-of-the-art operating microscopes; phacoemulsification units; anterior and posterior segment digital photography equipment; diode, YAG, and CO2 lasers (including endolaser); in vivo corneal confocal microscopy and retinal tomography equipment; cryosurgical units; and electrodiagnostic and ocular ultrasonography equipment (including high resolution units).

Candidates must have a DVM or equivalent degree. Board certification in veterinary ophthalmology (ACVO) is preferred, but those with credentials completed in preparation for the certifying exam are also encouraged to apply. Clinical and/or basic science research experience is desirable. Clinical expertise in both small and large animal ophthalmology is strongly desired.

Distribution of effort in the Section and Department will be determined in accordance with the service needs, academic priorities, and the candidate’s expertise and academic goals in ophthalmology. Clinical teaching and service in the Cornell University Hospital for Animals, lecture and laboratory instruction of veterinary students and house officers, and independent and/or collaborative research expectations are negotiable. Extensive opportunities for collaborative research exist at the College and University, including Weill Medical College and technology campuses in New York City.

Clinical duties require flexible working hours that may include daytime, evening, and weekend responsibilities. The candidate should have strong interpersonal skills and the ability to work cooperatively with all of the sections in the Hospital.

Salary, rank and title will be commensurate with academic credentials and experience.

Cornell University embraces diversity and seeks candidates who will create a climate that attracts people from all races, nationalities and genders. We strongly encourage underrepresented minorities to apply. The University seeks to meet the needs of dual career couples and has a Dual Career program to assist with dual career searches.

For more information, go to: http://www.vet.cornell.edu/clinsci/ or contact Dr. Tom Kern or Dr. Eric Ledbetter, Co-Chairs of the Search Committee at tjk3@cornell.edu and ecl32@cornell.edu, respectively.

Electronic application submission is through Academic Jobs Online: https://academicjobsonline.org/ajo/jobs/3898.