

# **DISCOVER WHAT MATTERS.**

Innovative research, creative scholarship, connection, collaboration, lifelong learning and lots of opportunity—Mizzou has it all.

### POSITION SUMMARY

We are seeking candidates for an Assistant, Associate or Full Teaching Professor (NTT) and **Section Head in Community Practice Veterinary Medicine.** This is a full-time, 12-month appointment with a primary focus on teaching and clinical service within the MU Veterinary Health Center for the community practice section. This position will have the opportunity to instruct students and intern veterinarians, contribute to curriculum development and laboratory instruction, engage in public outreach activities, and serve as the section head for community practice.

## **About the College of Veterinary Medicine**

The College of Veterinary Medicine at MU is on a mission to inclusively educate and train outstanding clinicians and scientists from diverse backgrounds, generate new knowledge, engage stakeholders, and foster economic growth, all of which promote and protect the health and welfare of animals and people. **Simply put, our mission is to Teach, Heal, Discover and Serve.** 

# About the University

As a flagship, land-grant institution and one of only 65 universities across the U.S. and Canada to be a member of the prestigious Association of American Universities, the University of Missouri is a campus where empathy, innovation and hard work combine to solve the world's grand challenges. We tackle diverse problems because Missouri is a diverse state–from the southern Ozarks to the northern plains. We are Mizzou, where Black and Gold runs deep and Truman the Tiger embodies our bold spirit.

#### **About Columbia**

Ranked by the American Institute for Economic Research as one of the nation's top 10 college towns, Columbia combines small-town comforts, community spirit and a low cost of living with big-city culture, activities and resources. Our city of about 110,000 people lies midway between Missouri's largest metro areas: St. Louis and Kansas City.



#### POSITION INFORMATION

Specialty: Community Practice Type: Open Rank NTT Faculty

Department: Veterinary Medicine & Surgery Job ID #: 47831

## TEACH | HEAL | DISCOVER | SERVE

## Responsibilities

- Serve as the community practice section head, coordinate and oversee clinic schedules as well as course assignments, participate in faculty governance activities, and provide general management and supervision of the section.
- Provide clinical instruction of students (professional) and intern veterinarians in the VHC's community practice section.
- Contribute to the professional and graduate curriculum by participating in classroom and laboratory instruction. Opportunities for online instruction are possible.
- Represent the University, College, and VHC through outreach activities for animal-owning public, referring veterinarians, or other relevant stakeholders.
- Participate scholarly activities like research, professional development, or publication of book chapters, case reports, or client-oriented educational publications.
- As with all positions, involvement with other duties and responsibilities may be expected to support the mission and purpose of the University of Missouri.

#### **Minimum Qualifications**

A Doctorate in Veterinary Medicine (DVM) or equivalent degree (such as VMD, BVSc)

#### Candidates will be evaluated on:

- Eligibility for licensure to practice veterinary medicine in Missouri.
- Professional clinical experience, post-graduate clinical or graduate training, and leadership/communication skills will all be assessed.
- Board certification by the American Board of Veterinary Practitioners (ABVP) in the Canine/Feline or Feline sections, experience in veterinary teaching hospitals or high-quality general practice, teaching experience or business/management training are desirable, but not necessary.

#### **Search Criteria:**

Candidates will be assessed based upon educational and professional achievement. Clinical experience, communication skills, leadership experience, experience working effectively in diverse environments, and letters of reference will all be considered in selection of a candidate. The potential for the candidate to work within the framework of the community practice section will also be assessed, as will specialty and/or research training and teaching experience.

The University of Missouri is committed to a policy of equal opportunity without regard to race, color, religion, gender, gender identity or expression, age, sexual orientation, national origin, ancestry, disability, military status, or genetic information in employment, admission to and participation in academic programs, activities, and services, and the selection of vendors who provide services or products to the university. To fulfill that policy, the University of Missouri-Columbia is further committed to a program of affirmative action to eliminate or mitigate artificial barriers and to increase opportunities for the recruitment and advancement of qualified minorities, women, persons with disabilities, and covered veterans. It is the policy of the University of Missouri-Columbia to comply with the applicable federal and state statutes, rules, and regulations concerning equal opportunity and affirmative action.

## **OUR EMPLOYEES**

- Transform lives
- Collaborate to achieve mutual success
- Learn, discover and innovate each day
- Are supported, valued and empowered
- Work in a safe, welcoming and transparent environment.