ANNOUNCEMENT

The Summer Program for Veterinary Students will be offered during late May through August of 2016 at the Tulane National Primate Research Center, Covington, Louisiana. The Center is located on a total of 500 wooded acres in Covington, Louisiana, 30 miles north of New Orleans.

Participants have the opportunity to explore research-oriented careers in clinical and experimental veterinary medicine, anatomic and clinical pathology and/or laboratory-based research in a large research facility employing non-human primates as models of human diseases. Most students choose to work in either the Division of Veterinary Medicine or in the Division of Comparative Pathology, but additional opportunities exist in other Divisions. Students will be exposed to all aspects of diagnostic and clinical veterinary medicine in the research environment including regulatory issues, colony health surveillance, research support, and clinical nonhuman primate medicine, surgery, and pathology. Participants are required to present a case report, topic of interest regarding non-human primate medicine or their research at the end of the Summer Program.

We generally prefer to select students who are in their second to fourth-year of veterinary school. Successful candidates receive $15.31 per hour, based on a 37.5 hour week, for a maximum of three months.

Candidates interested in this program should email or mail a cover letter outlining career goals, resume, an official transcript and two letters of recommendation. Vet Students who prefer a lab experience should state that in the cover letter.

Summer Veterinary Student Training Program
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Deadline for application is February 1, 2016

Students are responsible for their own transportation and lodging
No public transportation is available in the area