

## **Veterinary Lecturer, Exotic and Wildlife Medicine – School of Veterinary Medicine – Veterinary Lecturer**

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### **Job Description**

#### **Purpose**

You will contribute to the course development, delivery and management of undergraduate and postgraduate education for students enrolled in the School of Veterinary medicine with a focus on the topic of Exotic and wildlife handling, behaviour, clinical skills and Exotic and wildlife medicine and surgery. You will work closely with the School of Veterinary Medicine's academic and digital development team to create innovative and accessible learning provision to UG and PG learners, supervise and support undergraduate and postgraduate research, and contribute to the wider School and University activities.

#### **Duties**

1. Promote the advancement of learning and teaching, student experience and success, quality assurance and enhancement including monitoring and evaluation of outcomes, to ensure high standards are maintained and requirements of all relevant regulatory bodies are met.
2. Design and develop effective and inclusive learning materials and assessments to align with programme and module descriptors.
3. Contribute the School of Veterinary Medicine' academic and research objectives through scholarly activities, knowledge transfer and research outputs
4. Supervise undergraduate and postgraduate research students
5. Provide academic and pastoral support to undergraduate and postgraduate students
6. Contribute to the School's developing research activity
7. Teach to a high-quality standard using engaging and inclusive teaching, learning and assessment methods and technologies, including via VLE and other digital media.
8. Contribute to the assessment process for students including enhancement, setting, invigilation, marking and moderation of the student work, individually or collectively as part of a programme team in accordance with University and School quality assurance procedures
9. Provide high quality, timely, formative and summative feedback to students
10. Ensure that learning content is appropriate, up to date and comprehensive to enable successful achievement of agreed learning outcomes.
11. To contribute to the further development of the School of Veterinary Medicine course provision as well as undertaking strategic development responsibilities relating to exotic and wildlife veterinary education
12. To undertake administrative duties relevant to module leadership (administer course registers, assessment records, learning programmes and other records) and Personal Tutoring including supporting student retention, and engagement, identifying and assisting struggling students.
13. To support processes to enhance the student voice and integrate student wellbeing into course delivery

14. Engage with the recruitment of students onto courses and provide appropriate advice on progression and career opportunities. To participate in the student admission process: open days; recruitment; clearing; and selection events for all campus sites.
15. Contribute to development and delivery of CPD, PPD or PG degree courses.
16. To develop and consolidate contacts with industry/employers, university partners and other external organisations, particularly to maximise opportunities for interprofessional interactions and education including research, outreach and income generating activities
17. Carry out other duties commensurate with the level of the post as outlined by the Dean of School.

## Person Specification

### Knowledge, Skills, and Behaviours (Essential)

- A sound knowledge and practical experience of veterinary sciences including exotic and wildlife medicine and clinical skills (Application/Interview).
- Undergraduate degree (or equivalent) in a veterinary, discipline (Application).
- Higher education teaching qualification or professional (e.g. PGCHE, FHEA or equivalent), or a commitment to complete within one year of appointment (Application/Interview).
- A relevant Masters qualification or equivalent professional specialisation. (Application/Interview).
- Flexible, creative, and innovative approach to teaching and learning including experience of face to face and virtual learning environments (Application/Interview).
- Ability to undertake research/knowledge transfer (Application/Interview).
- Enthusiasm for widening participation and supporting under-represented groups into Higher education (Application/Interview).
- Ability to work on own initiative as well as part of a team (Application/Interview).
- IT literate with knowledge of Microsoft PowerPoint, Padlet and quiz software etc. (Application/Interview).
- Commitment to animal welfare in practice and understanding of animal ethics (Application/Interview).
- Excellent problem solving and communication skills (Application/Interview).
- An understanding of and demonstrable commitment to the University's Values of Achieving Together, Being Proud, Creating Opportunity and Supporting All, as a framework for decisions, actions and behaviours (Application/Interview).

### Knowledge, Skills, and Behaviours (Desirable)

- Experience of education, teaching and assessment at Levels 4-6. (Application/Interview).
- Experience of curriculum development, constructive alignment and assessment techniques (Application/Interview).

- An ability to contribute to commercial activities and income generation, while actively enhancing research within the School. Together with experience of publications and conference presentations to support academic and commercial growth. (Application/Interview).
- PhD in a relevant area (Application).
- RCVS registration and an active member of other relevant professional body as appropriate (Application).
- High level of IT skills in context of educational delivery (Application/Interview).