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### **SMALL ANIMAL BEHAVIOR INTERNSHIP**

The Veterinary Hospital at the University of Pennsylvania (Penn Vet) is offering a specialty internship position in a premier urban academic Small Animal Behavior department. This is a 1-year position focused on clinical activity at our small animal hospital. About 70% of the Behavior Intern's activity will be dedicated to clinical duties at the Penn Vet Behavior service, under the supervision of a board certified veterinary behaviorist (DACVB, DECAWBM). Clinical duties include, among others, seeing clinical cases at the Behavior service, consulting with partner shelters and collaborating with other Penn Vet clinical services, with the support of board certified veterinarians and senior house officers. The rest of the Intern's activity will be focused on clinical teaching and studying. Participation in Behavior and house officer rounds is expected. Participation in research activity is desirable, but not required.

Our location in the city combined with our large caseload and academic environment provides a unique opportunity for a veterinarian looking to learn more about the advanced practice of behavior medicine and research, and is excellent preparation for a residency position.

The candidate has to be a Graduate of a College of Veterinary Medicine, a citizen or permanent resident of the US, or a citizen of Canada or Mexico, who has completed a 1-year rotating internship (by July 2020) or an equivalent period in general practice. The salary for this position is \$28,000, with health and professional liability insurance included. One-week vacation is provided. Employment dates: July 13, 2020 – July 14, 2021.

*For more information, please contact: Carlo Siracusa, DVM, PhD, DACVB, DECAWBM, Director of Penn Vet Small Animal Behavior Service. Tel. (215) 898-6681 or email: [siracusa@vet.upenn.edu](mailto:siracusa@vet.upenn.edu). Applicants must submit a copy of their CV and a letter of intent. Application will be accepted until a suitable candidate is selected, but*

*no later than February 15, 2020. Three letters of recommendation should be sent by the applicant's referees directly to Dr. Siracusa.*