

[class2019] Welcome Back! UF CVM Newsletter - August 2018

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Welcome Back! Here's The Latest News for UF CVM

Careers



UF CVM Careers August Newsletter

Welcome back! We're pleased to present the first UF CVM Careers Monthly Newsletter of the school year. We also want to extend a special welcome to the Class of 2022.

We encourage you to keep up-to-date by following our [Facebook page](#) and watch emails for dinners, workshops, and more!



Tips for Writing an Effective Resume

The transition from summer break to the new school year can be challenging. You've likely spent the last couple of months traveling, completing externships, participating in research, or even working a full or part-time job. With all of those new experiences, it's time to update your resume. This can be intimidating, especially as you're trying to juggle course workloads and club meetings, but we're here to help you make the process a little less stressful. Here are four tips to write an effective resume:

1. **Format your resume wisely.** An employer will spend less than 25 seconds looking at your resume the first time. A poorly organized resume is more difficult to scan and will decrease your chances of impressing your potential employer. Therefore, use a logical format, wide margins, clean type, and clear headings. Selectively applied bold and italic typeface, as well as the use of bullet points, will help guide the reader's eye to the most important information.
2. **Identify accomplishments, not just job descriptions.** Veterinary professionals are expected to be problem-solvers, think critically, and serve as leaders of a medical team. To best demonstrate that, you want to focus on how you personally improved the working conditions at your previous positions. If you're having trouble thinking of appropriate actions verbs, feel free to consult the [handout](#) on the UF CVM Career Resources page.
3. **Quantify your accomplishments.** One of the most common mistakes people make when creating a resume is using too many generalized statements. Sure, they're easier to come up with, but they ultimately don't market you as a candidate as well as specific facts. For example, writing that you completed 10 spays and 15 neuters on dogs at a shelter sounds much more impressive than simply writing "spayed and neutered dogs."
4. **Review, review, review.** Check out the [UF CVM Careers Resources](#) page online. There are sample resumes for you to review. Have MULTIPLE people review your resume. [Schedule an appointment](#) with your career advisor to review as well. The

more the merrier, you don't want a silly typo to prevent you from getting this amazing position.

***Remember - these are generalizations and your situation may be unique or different. Consult with your career counselor and your mentors in the field to determine what makes the most sense for you and your career goals.*

Class of 2019 Resume Book

We're pleased to announce that UF CVM is offering the opportunity **publish your Resume/CV in a resume book** that will be made available to employers at the UF CVM Career Day and other conferences and alumni receptions attended by UF CVM this academic year. This opportunity is **free**, but limited to students graduating in 2019.

The deadline to submit your resume is September 14th.

Below are some guidelines to follow and instructions on how to submit your resume to be published.

Guidelines

- This opportunity is for students that are graduating in 2019 (this most likely refers to the Class of 2019)
- Each resume is limited to a maximum of 2 pages (1 page resumes are highly encouraged).
- You are responsible for ensuring the grammar and editing for your resume, how it uploads into Gator CareerLink is how it will be included in the book.
- You are responsible for proofreading and having at least 2 others edit your resume.
- No resumes will be accepted after the deadline of 9/14/18 due to printing time.
- Each resume must include an objective/professional summary underneath the header describing qualifications of you and/or types of positions you are looking for this may include location, type of practice, future interests, or additional experience you bring.
- You must complete the form below to include your resume in this special book edition.

Process

- Login to Gator Career Link (<https://career.ufl.edu/>) by clicking on the orange 'Gator Career Link' tab and selecting student login.
- Once logged in, under My Account on the left hand bar choose 'Privacy' make sure you check yes for the third question: "Include in Resume Books"
- Upload your resume into Gator CareerLink by 9/14/2018 under the My Documents tab on the left hand bar.
- Complete [this survey](#) to include your resume in the book.
- If you'd like to look at an example resume book, it will be at the OSI front desk for you to flip through.

- If you have any questions please contact me at Kjerles@ufsa.ufl.edu.

Looking Ahead to Events

Learn more by clicking the links and don't forget to RSVP for food events!

[LinkedIn Lunch & Learn](#) - Wednesday, October 2018, 12:20 - 1 p.m. UF CVM New Auditorium; Come join us as we talk about LinkedIn and how it relates to the veterinary profession. Lunch is provided!

[UF CVM Career Day](#) - Thursday, October 11, 2018, UF/IFAS Extension Straughn Professional Development Center

Career day is split into two separate parts. The first portion of the day is filled with a lunch panel on professional communication, mock interviews and resume reviews by veterinary professionals open to students of all years. Fourth Year Students have first priority during this portion of the day. More information to come!

The second portion of Career Day the Career Fair from 3pm-5:30pm. This event is **open and highly encouraged for students of all years.**

Highlighted Gator CareerLink Job Postings

We have over 130 jobs currently listed on our job widget, below are the three most recent. Click on the button below to view all of them.

[Associate Veterinarian](#)

Hiawassee Veterinary Clinic (Orlando, FL)

Posting Date: Aug 21, 2018

[Emergency Veterinarian](#)

Lakeshore Veterinary Specialists (Multiple locations, WI)

Posting Date: Aug 9, 2018

[Associate ER Veterinarian](#)

Sedro Woolley Veterinary Care (Sedro Woolley, WA)

Posting Date: Jul 29, 2018

For the full list of all current job postings, please click the link below

[All UF CVM Job Postings](#)

UF CVM Careers Facebook Page

Interested in staying up to date with career opportunities and other career related information that is accessible to you? Consider following us on our Facebook Page!

Check out the three most recent visitor posts below:

[UF CVM Careers Facebook Page](#)



Amy Barnett ▸ **UF CVM Careers**

July 23 at 2:10 PM

Paws Animal Hospital in The Villages, FL is seeking a full or part-time associate veterinarian to join our team. Our practice is an AAHA accredited small animal hospital that is fully equipped, including a great support staff. We are also Villages Charter School eligible. New graduates considered. www.pawsanimalhospital.com
pawsah@embarqmail.com



Mary Mancillas ▶ UF CVM Careers

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Now hiring full time and/or part time associate veterinarians!

Lake Veterinary Clinic is a four doctor practice located in beautiful Mount Dora, Florida. It is conveniently located just 30 minutes from Orlando, 45 minutes from Walt Disney World, and 45 minutes from Daytona Beach. The practice has been well established in the community since 1956. The practice is hiring for full-time positions with benefits. Part-time positions are also available.

The busy small animal practice offers and utilizes:

In house digital radiology

Full Idexx Diagnostic suite in house

5 examination rooms

In house pharmacy

Surgical suite

In-patient and out-patient treatment options

Lake Veterinary Clinic offers its full time associate veterinarians:

Competitive salary with Pro-Sal

Paid vacation and personal time off

Medical insurance

Retirement enrollment

Liability and medical malpractice insurance

Life insurance and long-term disability insurance

Paid continuing education

Paid license fees

New Graduates Welcome!

Contact Patti Mosteller at lakevet2208@aol.com or 352-735-6047.



Parkland Veterinary Hospital, Parkland Florida ▶ UF CVM Careers

July 10 · 🌐

Are you a NEW or RECENT GRAD veterinarian seeking an entry-level veterinary position in a family-friendly environment with mentorship and working with a great staff? We are seeking a candidate with a passion for caring for pets and strong interest in dentistry, surgery, internal medicine, and dermatology. This position is a great opportunity for a recent graduate who is looking for an entry point for future long-term growth. This veterinarian will join an organized team in a fast growing hospital and will have the opportunity to grow as the hospital grows. The ideal candidate is personable, professional, and able to build and maintain client relationships. Email: Job@parklandvethospital.com or call: 954-757-1729

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