

**AUBURN UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF VETERINARY MEDICINE  
ASSISTANT/ASSOCIATE/FULL PROFESSOR IN FOOD ANIMAL MEDICINE & SURGERY**

**Description:** The Department of Clinical Sciences at the Auburn University College of Veterinary Medicine invites applications for a full-time Tenure Track or Clinical Track position at the level of Assistant/Associate/Full Professor in the Food and Fiber Animal Section. The individual selected to join the team of food animal faculty members will provide independent primary clinical care and case management, participate in teaching and service within the Food Animal Section of the Veterinary Teaching Hospital, provide didactic lectures in the professional curriculum, and participate in graduate student and resident training programs. Tenure track positions include an expectation of independent and/or collaborative research. Clinical assignments will be performed in the food animal hospital services.

**Qualifications:** A DVM or equivalent degree and eligibility for veterinary licensure in the State of Alabama is required at the time employment begins. The candidate selected for this position must be able to meet eligibility requirements to work in the United States at the time of the appointment and continue working legally for the proposed term of employment. Excellent communication skills with clients, students, and colleagues are expected.

We seek candidates with diplomate status or board-eligibility in an appropriate specialty college (American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine – Large Animal; American College of Veterinary Surgeons – Large Animal; American College of Theriogenologists; American Board of Veterinary Practitioners – Food Animal Practice, Beef Cattle Practice, or Dairy Practice). An advanced degree (MS, PhD, or equivalent) and research experience is highly desired.

**Responsibilities:** The duties of this position will be divided between clinical service responsibilities, scholarly efforts, didactic lectures in the professional curriculum, and training of graduate students and residents. Clinical responsibilities will include independent, primary case care within the Food Animal Section. Teaching activities will be conducted principally in a clinical setting. The food animal caseload consists predominately of beef cattle and small ruminants, and includes dairy cattle, camelids, and swine.

The percent effort allocation toward clinical responsibilities and teaching, research, and outreach and service will be established to meet the incumbent's qualifications and interests and the needs of the Food Animal Services.

**Application Review:** Review of applications will begin December 18, 2020 and will continue until a candidate is recommended for appointment.

**Application Procedure:** Please apply online at <http://www.auemployment.com/postings/20172> . Applications must include a letter of intent stating professional goals, a curriculum vitae, and names and email addresses of three references. Please direct inquiries to the search committee chair: Dr. Thomas

Passler, Professor, Auburn University, Department of Clinical Sciences, College of Veterinary Medicine, Large Animal Teaching Hospital, 1500 Wire Road, Auburn, AL 36849-5540. Telephone: 334-844-4490. Email: [passlth@auburn.edu](mailto:passlth@auburn.edu)

The College of Veterinary Medicine is located on the edge of the Auburn University campus in east-central Alabama. Collaborative opportunities are readily available within the College of Veterinary Medicine and across the Auburn University campus as well as at medical colleges at the University of Alabama at Birmingham and Emory University. For more information about the College of Veterinary Medicine, please reference our website at [www.vetmed.auburn.edu](http://www.vetmed.auburn.edu).

Auburn University is understanding of and sensitive to the family needs of faculty, including dual-career couples. In addition, we are actively seeking candidates who will strengthen the diversity of our faculty in order to more accurately reflect the diversity of our students and community. Diversity among its administrators, faculty, staff, and students is an Auburn University commitment. <http://www.auburn.edu/academic/provost/facultyjobs/>

Auburn University is the land-grant University for the state of Alabama and has a contractual affiliation to provide veterinary education for the Commonwealth of Kentucky. Auburn University is one of the nation's premier public land-grant institutions. In 2020, it was ranked 40th among public universities by U.S. News and World Report. Auburn University is a Carnegie R1 Research Institution with very high research activity. Auburn maintains high standards for teaching excellence, offering Bachelor's, Master's, Educational Specialist and Doctoral degrees in agriculture and engineering, and the arts and sciences. Its fall 2020 enrollment of 30,737 students includes 24,505 undergraduates and 6,232 graduate and professional students. Organized into twelve academic colleges and schools, Auburn's 1,426 faculty members offer more than 200 educational programs. The University, nationally recognized for its commitment to academic excellence, has a positive work environment, strong student engagement, and a beautiful campus. Auburn University is deeply committed to the principles of diversity, equity, and inclusion in the workplace and throughout the community.

Auburn residents enjoy a thriving community, recognized as one of the best small towns in America, with easy access to major cities or to beach and mountain recreational facilities. Situated along the rapidly developing I-85 corridor between Atlanta, Georgia, and Montgomery, Alabama, the combined Auburn-Opelika-Columbus statistical area has a population of over 500,000, with excellent public school systems and a recognized regional medical center. The Auburn Arts District includes the Jule Collins Smith Museum of Fine Art and the new Jay and Susie Gogue Performing Arts Center. Collegiate athletic events and renowned academic speakers provide an array of opportunities for social engagement and personal growth. Numerous other cultural and recreational venues and idyllic escapes are within 1 hour of Auburn including Callaway Gardens, the Alabama Shakespeare Festival, and numerous shopping and dining experiences. A moderate climate allows for extensive year-round outdoor recreational opportunities including trails for walking or cycling, Lake Martin with its 600 miles of shoreline, Chewacla State Park, and Tuskegee National Forest, all within a short drive from downtown.

Auburn University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. It is our policy to provide equal employment opportunities for all individuals without regard to race, sex, religion, color, national origin, age, disability, protected veteran status, genetic information, sexual orientation, gender identity, or any other classification protected by applicable law.