Michigan State University College of Veterinary Medicine Department of Large Animal Clinical Sciences

Assistant/Associate Professor - Cattle Health and Well-Being

The Department of Large Animal Clinical Sciences (LCS) at Michigan State University College of Veterinary Medicine (MSU CVM) is seeking applicants to fill a tenure track position at the assistant or associate professor level to conduct research and extension activities related to Cattle Health and Well-Being. The successful candidate will have an appointment in Michigan AgBioResearch and MSU Extension and be part of a dynamic and innovative team that is committed to world-class research, outreach and training to meet the needs of the food animal industry. Candidates must have a veterinary medical degree (DVM or equivalent), and an advanced graduate degree (PhD desirable) or evidence of equivalent research experience and scholarly productivity. The successful candidate will be expected to develop a nationally/internationally recognized, externally funded, research program related to Cattle Health and Well-Being. Research should focus on collaborative and applied efforts that would directly impact Michigan's cattle industry and could include such areas as antimicrobial stewardship, infectious and emerging disease control, microbiomics, epidemiology or immunology. The selected candidate will be expected to be part of MSU Extension Work Teams and collaborate with MSU Extension Educators in developing, delivering and evaluating extension programs integrated with their research. Additionally, a key gualification is experience collaborating with the cattle industry and allied professionals to solve problems and deliver solutions. Critical to the qualifications listed above, we desire an effective communicator able to impact both scientific peers and industry stakeholders, and possessing the ability to leverage technology to increase the reach and impact of research findings.

Special consideration will be given to applicants with, but not limited to: board certification, international experience, practical experience in cattle health management and/or outreach programs (such as previous extension position, clinical teaching at a university level, private or public practice or in agricultural industry), and multi-lingual abilities.

Salary and appointment level will be based on training and experience. Review of applications will begin October 28, 2016 and will continue until a suitable candidate is identified. MSU is committed to achieving excellence through cultural diversity. The university actively encourages applications of women, persons of color, veterans and persons with disabilities. Additional information about the Department of Large Animal Clinical Sciences and the College of Veterinary Medicine is available at http://cvm.msu.edu.

Applications to include a curriculum vitae, letter of intent, and contact information for at least three references (name, mailing address, telephone number and email address) are to be made online at: <u>https://jobs.msu.edu</u> (reference Position #4150). Inquiries should be made to Dr. Ron Erskine, Search Committee Chair, Large Animal Clinical Sciences, 736 Wilson Road, D202, Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan 48824; Phone: 517-353-4637; <u>erskine@msu.edu</u>.

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