

Equine Imaging Nurse/Radiographer

Description

UE06 – £32,982 to £38,205

Royal (Dick) School Veterinary Studies, The Equine Hospital

Open-ended, fulltime (35 hours per week, flexible working will be considered)

We are looking for an experience Equine Imaging Nurse/Radiographer to ensure the efficient running of the Equine Hospital imaging facilities, producing a high-quality diagnostic imaging service for our large animal clinical services, research and teaching.

The Opportunity:

The Dick Vet Equine Hospital, Scotland's premier equine clinic, boast arguably the broadest range of advanced imaging capability in Scotland and the UK. With recently updated facilities our hospital boasts a 64 slice CT unit and a cone beam CT for evaluation of both heads and legs in the standing equid. In addition to this we have a cone beam 90cm wide bore CT unit accessible for horses standing and under general anaesthesia. We have a standing low field MRI and with the opening of the Large Animal Imaging and Research Facility access to high field MRI, the only one of its kind in the UK. The clinic also offers nuclear scintigraphy for investigation of lameness. Supported by a multidisciplinary team, our clinic treats over 2500 horses per annum from across Scotland and beyond and our vibrant and diverse advanced imaging portfolio is unique to the Dick Vet Equine Hospital.

We seek an enthusiastic individual to join our team and support all aspects of our advanced imaging service. The successful candidate will have excellent interpersonal skills and experience handling and working with horses. A background in imaging would be advantageous but is not critical.

The post-holder will work independently to organise and prioritise daily/weekly workload and will contribute to teaching veterinary students in all aspects of producing diagnostic images. Imaging modalities covered are MRI in standing horses, scintigraphy, radiography and CT of standing and anaesthetised horses. Appropriate training will be provided where necessary. The post-holder will also ensure ongoing operation of imaging equipment by organising and planning their maintenance programmes; and ensure effective digital archiving of images obtained from these sources. The role may also involve assisting in other aspects of clinical care/procedures as directed by the equine head nurse.

Hiring organization

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Employment Type

Full-time

Beginning of employment

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Job Location

Edinburgh – Easter Bush Campus,
Midlothian, United Kingdom

Working Hours

40

Base Salary

euro GBP 32K - 38K

Date posted

May 16, 2024

The post is suitable for a Radiographer or Veterinary Nurses with significant experience of, and interest in, equine imaging. Horse handling skills are essential.

We are ideally looking for a full-time imager; however, we will consider for those that require flexible working. For further details or informal enquiries, please contact Elinor Muir Equine Veterinary Services Manager on largeanimal.vetservices@ed.ac.uk

Your skills and attributes for success:

- Qualification as a diagnostic radiographer with at least two years' experience

OR a qualified Veterinary Nurse with significant equine imaging experience

- Excellent horse handling abilities
- Good communication and interpersonal skills.
- Knowledge of radiation protection regulations and university systems, guidelines and policies.
- Teaching experience desirable

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As a valued member of our team, you can expect:

- A competitive [salary](#) starting of £32,982 – £38,205
 - An exciting, positive, creative, challenging and rewarding place to work.
 - To be part of a diverse and vibrant international community
 - Comprehensive Staff Benefits, such as a generous holiday entitlement, a defined benefits pension scheme, staff discounts, family-friendly initiatives, and flexible work options.
- Check out the full list on our [staff benefits page](#) (opens in a new tab) and use our reward calculator to discover the total value of your pay and benefits

Championing equality, diversity and inclusion

The University of Edinburgh holds a Silver Athena SWAN award in recognition of our commitment to advance gender equality in higher education. We are members of the Race Equality Charter and we are also Stonewall Scotland Diversity Champions, actively promoting LGBT equality.

Prior to any employment commencing with the University you will be required to evidence your right to work in the UK. Further information is available on our [right to work webpages](#) (opens new browser tab)

Key dates to note

The closing date for applications is 28 May 2024

Unless stated otherwise the closing time for applications is 11:59pm GMT. If you are applying outside the UK the closing time on our adverts automatically adjusts to

your browsers local time zone.

As a world-leading research-intensive University, we are here to address tomorrow's greatest challenges. Between now and 2030 we will do that with a values-led approach to teaching, research and innovation, and through the strength of our relationships, both locally and globally.

How the process will look like

Your teammates will gather all requirements within our organization. Then, once priority has been discussed, you will decide as a team on the best solutions and architecture to meet these needs. In continuous increments and continuous communication between the team and stakeholders, you're part of making data play an even more important (and understood) part withing Brand New Day.

Job Benefits

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