Scholarships for Current UGA Vet Students  
College of Veterinary Medicine

Stephen B. Groover Memorial Scholarship - $500

This $500 scholarship is for a rising fourth year DVM student (C/O 2016) who is interested in equine internal medicine. Candidates must demonstrate that they will use the scholarship for a meaningful externship experience to further their knowledge in equine internal medicine. The externship location must have a board certified large animal internist on site. To apply, please submit a letter of application (no more than one page) describing your externship experience and a copy of your resume to Amy Thompson by 5:00 pm Monday, February 2.

VOICE Scholarship - $400

VOICE is sponsoring two $400 scholarships to students who have promoted diversity within the profession of veterinary medicine and at the College of Veterinary Medicine. All SCAVMA members are eligible to apply.

To apply, please complete the attachment that was sent out via email.

Applications are due to Amy Thompson on Monday, February 2 by 5:00 PM.

Brenda Horton Middle GA Scholarship -- $500

The veterinarians at Brantley & Jordan Animal Hospital wish to honor Brenda Horton for her dedicated service to the UGA College of Veterinary Medicine and its students (she was my predecessor and worked in Academic Affairs for 27 years). The purpose of the scholarship is to increase interest and awareness of veterinary students of the practice of veterinary medicine in the middle Georgia area. The scholarship will provide $500 for a deserving third year student who has an interest in practicing veterinary medicine in a similar community after graduation.

To apply and be eligible, the recipient must:

1. Write a short (one page) essay containing background information, current and future interest pertaining to veterinary medicine
2. Have a 3.0 minimum GPA
3. Complete an externship at the Brantley & Jordan Animal hospital during their fourth year.

Please turn in your application materials by 5:00 pm Monday, February 2 to Amy Thompson.

Practice Website  
http://bjahpc.net
Simmons Educational Fund Business Aptitude Award in 2015 - $3,000

The details are as follows:

- Open to all 3rd year students (membership in the VBMA is strongly encouraged)
- One award will be presented for $3,000
- Winner will also be presented with an engraved plaque (SEF will provide)
- Applicants must submit a resume along with a short essay type answer to the following question:

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Josh Howle Memorial Veterinary Scholarship - $1,000

This special scholarship is given by family and friends of Josh Howle, member of the Class of 2007 from the UGA College of Agriculture and Environmental Sciences with a degree in Animal Science and a member of the Class of 2011 at the UGA College of Veterinary Medicine. A native of Hartsville, SC and the son of Jerry Boyce and Donna Johnson Howle, Josh wanted to be a veterinarian from an early age. One of Josh’s many successes was as an undergraduate student working for Dr. Russ Page and presenting the findings of a research project at a scientific meeting for the American Embryo Transfer Association and the Canadian Embryo Transfer Association in Canada. “This was an international audience of about 300 to 350 people who are the embryo transfer industry in these two countries,” Page said. “To my knowledge, Josh is the only undergraduate student to ever present a research paper to these two combined associations. He did an excellent job with the presentation and even excelled at answering questions from fellow scientists.” He will be missed by so many, but his legacy of success, excellence, and friendship will be carried on through this memorial scholarship.

The purpose of the Josh Howle Memorial Scholarship is to provide a scholarship to a veterinary student who meets the following requirements:

1. Preference is given to a student with a degree in animal science from the UGA College of Agriculture and Environmental Science.
2. Preference is given to a student from South Carolina.
3. Requirement that recipient is in the large animal or mixed animal medicine emphasis, preference given to students that have a sole focus in reproduction.

4. Demonstrates compassion not only for animals but also his fellow man

To be considered for this scholarship, applicants should submit an essay of intent outlining the above requirements/preferences along with a current resume to Amy Thompson by **Monday, February 2 by 5:00 pm**. Please make sure your name appears on all pages of your application materials.

**Student Chapter of the American Association of Bovine Practitioners Award - $500**

A $500 award presented annually to a junior student who is active in the student chapter, is a member of the national AABP organization, and has shown an interest in advancing bovine medicine

Who is eligible to apply?

Applicants must be third year students who are current members of the national AABP organization and in good standing with the student chapter at UGA.

How to apply:
Applicants must submit a short statement demonstrating his or her interest in food animal medicine, bovine related activities, externships, etc. to Amy Thompson by **Monday, February 2nd by 5:00 pm**.

**Steve Lee Memorial Scholarship for First or Second Year Students - $3,000**

Student in the first or second year who have a special interest in equine research are invited to apply for the Steve Lee Memorial Scholarship. The $3000 scholarship opportunity is for students who are interested in working in the Equine Colic and Inflammation Research Program for the summer following their first or second year of veterinary school.

Interested students should provide the following:

- A letter of intent explaining why the applicant deserves the award and how he or she would benefit from the research experience.

- Resume including pertinent experience.

- Two letters of recommendation.

Selection will be based on scholastic achievement and demonstration of interest in equine veterinary research. Please make sure your name is on each page of your application materials.

**Applications are due on Monday, February 2 by 5:00 to Amy Thompson**

Any questions about the scholarship/experience can be directed to Dr. Eric Mueller emueller@uga.edu
**Steve Lee Memorial Scholarship for Third Year Students - $500 – $1,000**

Students in the third year who have a special interest in equine medicine and surgery are invited to apply for the Steve Lee Memorial Scholarship. The $500-$1000 scholarship is to provide support for a veterinary student seeking a unique externship experience in equine medicine, surgery, ambulatory practice, or research during a fourth-year externship. Up to 5 scholarships may be awarded each year.

Interested students should provide the following:

- A detailed description of the proposed experience, including what makes it unique, and how the externship would benefit the student.
- A letter from the sponsor or mentor of the fourth-year externship experience that clearly states the objectives of the experience and acceptance of the applicant is desirable.
- Resume including pertinent experience.
- Two letters of recommendation.

Selection will be based on scholastic achievement, demonstration of interest in equine veterinary medicine, the quality of the training experience, and demonstration that the applicant has made arrangements to fulfill the training. Please make sure your name is included on all of your materials.

**Applications are due on Monday, February 2 by 5:00 to Amy Thompson**

Any questions about the scholarship can be directed to Dr. Eric Mueller *emueller@uga.edu*