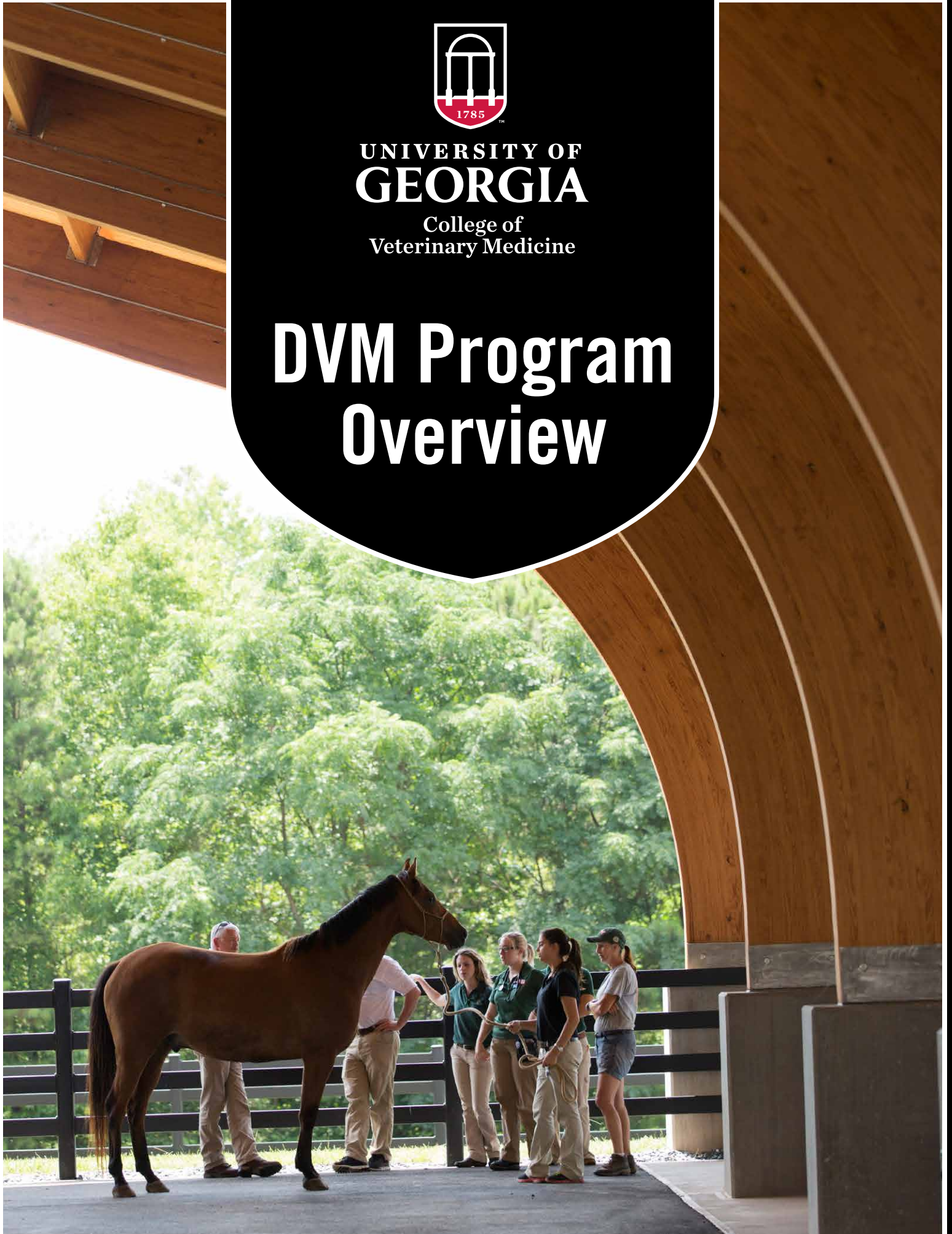


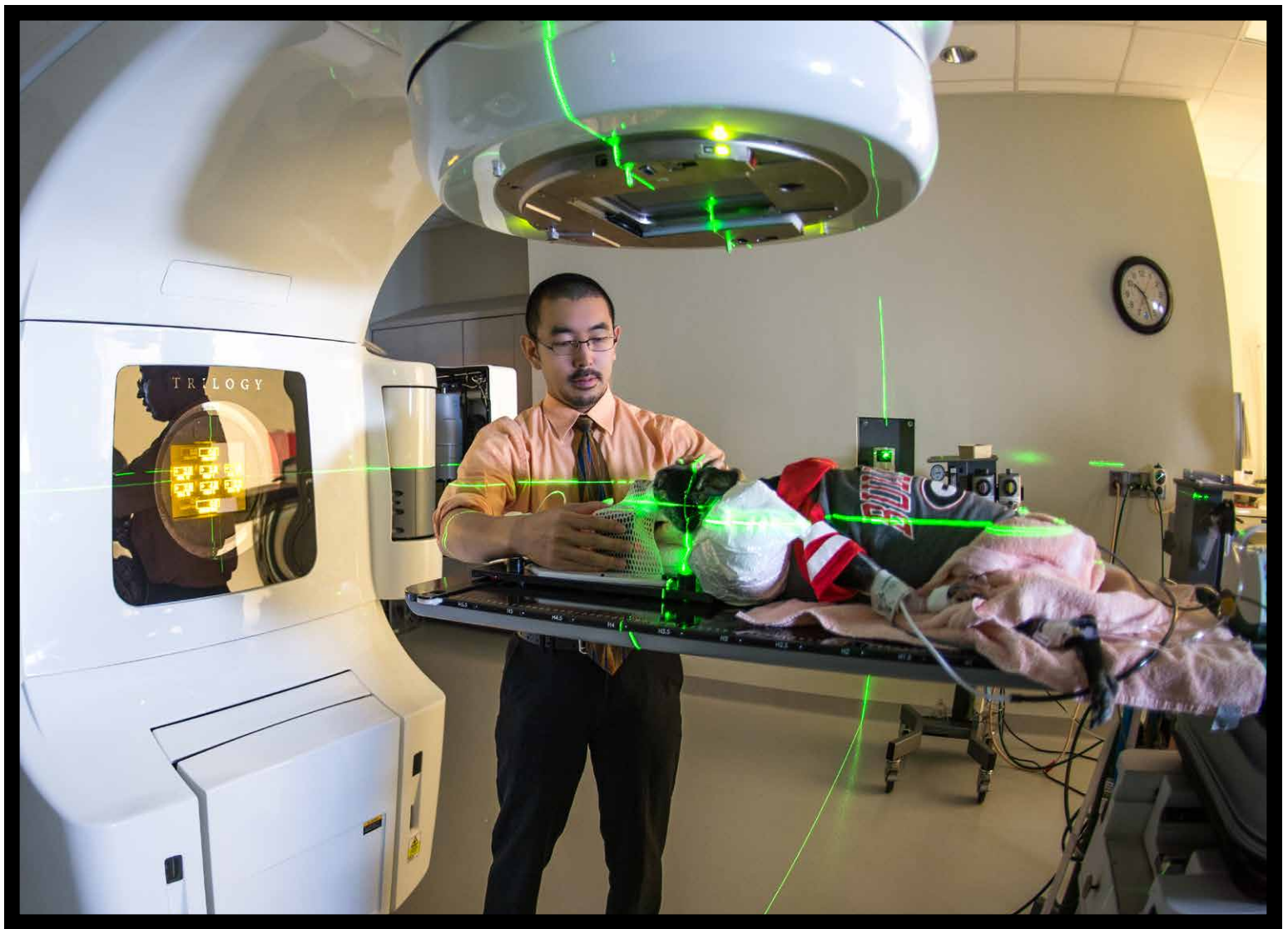


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DVM Program Overview





The Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM) program at the

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is centered around **educating and training the next generation of veterinarians**. Our mix of traditional classroom education combined with hands-on learning opportunities at our **state-of-the-art teaching hospital** leads to a solid foundation for a fulfilling career in veterinary medicine. Our graduates – almost 6000 of them over our 70+ year history – are practicing all over the United States, tackling some of our greatest challenges, and making an **impact on their communities** day in and day out.



How do I apply?



Complete an online application through the Veterinary Medical College Application Service (VMCAS) website.



Complete the supplemental application found on our website and submit the supplemental application fee.



Complete all required course prerequisites with a grade of “C” or better. We must receive transcripts from all attended institutions.



Take the Graduate Record Exam (GRE) completing the verbal, quantitative, and analytical writing portions. Results must be received by the VMCAS application deadline. Please use code 5752 when submitting.



Provide 3 letters of recommendation from strong references with at least one being from a veterinarian.




Complete a minimum of 250 hours of veterinary experience under the supervision of a veterinarian.

PREREQS

- 6 hours of English
- 14 hours of Humanities/Social Studies (Psychology, Sociology, Philosophy, History, Government, Foreign Languages, Economics, or Fine Arts)
- 8 hours of General Biology (with lab)
- 8 hours of General Chemistry (with lab)
- 8 hours of General Physics (with lab)
- 8 hours of Organic Chemistry (with lab)
- 3 hours of Biochemistry
- 8 hours of Advanced Biology (300/3000-level or higher biology courses that have general biology as a prerequisite. Nutrition, behavior, production and ecology courses do not count toward the advanced biological sciences. Recommended: 300/3000-level comparative anatomy, microbiology, cell biology, or genetics.)



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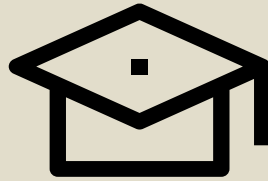
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JOB OFFERS AFTER
GRADUATION

(based on c/o 2018 exit survey)



Statistics based on 2017-2018

YEAR 1

FALL

- Veterinary Bacteriology and Mycology
- Principles of Veterinary Anatomy and Embryology
- Veterinary Cell Biology
- Microscopic Anatomy of Domestic Animals
- Physical Diagnosis
- Principles of Physiology I
- Basic Comparative Animal Nutrition

SPRING

- Veterinary Neuroanatomy and Neurophysiology
- Veterinary Virology
- Veterinary Immunology
- Laboratory on Comparative Anatomy of Horse and Food Animals
- Principles of Physiology II
- Professional Skills

YEAR 2

FALL

- Epidemiology and Preventive Medicine
- Veterinary Parasitology
- Veterinary Animal Behavior
- General Animal Pathology
- Dermatology and Integumentary
- Principles of Pharmacology

SPRING

- Principles of Anesthesia
- Veterinary Ophthalmology
- Polysystemic Diseases
- Principles of Surgery & General Surgery Practicum
- Systemic Pathology I
- Clinical Pathology
- Veterinary Toxicology

YEAR 3

FALL

- Theriogenology
- Large Animal Digestive Diseases
- Musculoskeletal Diseases
- Small Animal and Large Animal Basic Surgical Techniques
- Small Animal Digestive Diseases
- Radiology
- Systemic Pathology II

SPRING

- Neurology
- Respiratory Diseases
- Cardiology
- Veterinary Practice Management

The second term of year 3 is 8 weeks in duration. The clinical year starts immediately after this 8 week term.

YEAR 4

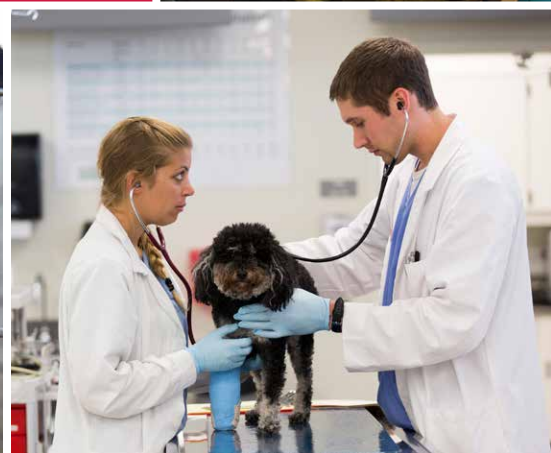
The fourth year program allows veterinary students some flexibility to concentrate their interests in specific areas. The program begins immediately following the conclusion of Year 3 (approximately early March) and continues for 14 months. Each course in the fourth year is taught as a 2 or 3 week block. Students take each course as a separate block. Students select clinical rotations with guidance from faculty advisors. Students may concentrate their attention toward small or large animal rotations, or pursue a general, mixed-animal course of study. Because the fourth-year program is continuous, some blocks may end or begin during holidays or semester breaks.

What classes do I take in vet school?



Areas of Emphasis:

- Food and Fiber/Equine Medicine
- Mixed Animal
- Public/Corporate/Zoo Medicine
- Small Animal



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