SCHOOL OF VETERINARY MEDICINE
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, DAVIS

POSITION: Assistant/Associate/Full Professor of Developmental Cancer Therapeutics in either the Department of Surgical & Radiological Sciences or Department of Molecular Biosciences

SALARY: Dependent on qualifications and experience

START DATE: Negotiable

QUALIFICATIONS: DVM, PharmD, MD, or PhD (any one or a combination) required with relevant post-doctoral experience in cancer biology, medicinal chemistry, pharmacology, immunology, or a closely related scientific field. Must have a documented research record or potential in the discovery of new cancer therapeutics including expertise to discover new drugs targeting cancer specific pathways (targeted therapies) and accelerate the drug discovery pathway is required. Demonstrated history of multi-institutional collaboration and expertise in translational drug discovery preferred. DVM candidates seeking clinical privileges are expected to be Diplomates of a clinical specialty in veterinary medicine is required. Must possess outstanding interpersonal and communication skills paired with a demonstrated ability to work with others in a collegial team atmosphere.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

Research: The successful candidate will be expected to establish and/or maintain a strong extramurally-funded research program in developmental cancer therapeutics. Publication of results in professional/scientific journals is a fundamental and indispensable requirement of the position. The successful individual will be expected to provide leadership in directing research projects of residents and graduate students.

Teaching: Primary instructional responsibility will be focused on veterinary students, residents, and graduate students. Other specific responsibilities include: 1) instruction in the DVM professional curriculum; 2) instruction and mentorship in graduate academic (MS, PhD) programs; 3) participation in graduate clinical (resident) medical oncology training; 4) continuing professional education, and; 5) for qualified individuals, clinical teaching in the VMTH oncology and clinical pharmacology services. The successful individual is expected to demonstrate excellence in teaching.

Service: University and public service through committee work, participation in professional organizations, continuing education, and other appropriate means is required.

Clinical (optional): A clinical effort assignment for board certified veterinary specialists within the William R. Pritchard Veterinary Medical Teaching Hospital (VMTH) or the UC Davis Veterinary Center for Clinical Trials is negotiable depending on individual expertise and level of research funding and activity. Responsibilities include directing, instructing, and supervising veterinary students and residents; and may involve providing health care and service to patients; and advising and consulting with referring veterinarians and clients.

APPLICATION: To receive fullest consideration, applications must be submitted by August 3, 2015. Position is open until filled. To begin the application process, interested applicants should apply online at https://recruit.ucdavis.edu/apply/JPF00552 and submit the following materials: 1) a letter of intent outlining special interest in the position, overall related qualifications, experience and career goals; 2) curriculum vitae; and 3) the names and addresses of four professional references; and 4) a statement summarizing their experience and professional contributions in the area of equity and diversity. For additional information contact Dr. Erik Wisner (Chair, Surgical & Radiological Sciences at erwisner@ucdavis.edu), or Dr. Birgit Puschner (Chair, Molecular Biosciences at bpuschner@ucdavis.edu). For questions about the application process please contact:

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The University of California, Davis, and The Department of Surgical & Radiological Sciences and Department of Molecular Biosciences, School of Veterinary Medicine, are interested in candidates who are committed to the highest standards of scholarship and professional activities, and to the development of a campus climate that supports equality and diversity. The University of California is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.