

Summer Enrichment Program (SEP) 2024 Application

The Summer Enrichment Program (SEP) began over 30 years ago and has welcomed students from around the world. It is designed to provide disadvantaged students with activities that will enhance their veterinary school applications. This year we have expanded the program to have two, 4-week summer sessions. Each session will accommodate 14 students to participate in a variety of experiences designed to expose you to multiple fields within veterinary medicine and help you strengthen your vet school application.

Additional details about the program can be found on our website:

<https://www.vetmed.ucdavis.edu/admissions/so-you-want-be-veterinarian/summer-enrichment-program>

* Indicates required question

Email *

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Full name *

Your answer

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Preferred name (if applicable)

Your answer

Application Instructions

Applications are due by Friday, March 15 at 5:00 pm (PST). All application materials, including transcripts and letters of recommendation, must be received by the application deadline.

It is recommended that you refer to the PDF application before beginning the online application as it is difficult to save and come back to the actual application. This application cannot be saved while in progress. If you are not able to complete the application in one sitting, either restart from the beginning or put an "X" in the remaining fields to be completed at a later time and hit submit so that you do not lose the responses to the questions you completed. You can then return to the application and continue filling in your responses or edit. You are able to edit or update your application until the due date, and you will not have access to your application after the due date.

Because all application materials, including transcripts and letters of recommendation, need to be in by the application deadline, we suggest starting with these two steps:

1. Order official electronic transcripts (with all college coursework completed and in progress) to SVM-SEP@ucdavis.edu : .
2. Request two letters of recommendation and have them emailed directly to the program coordinator at SVM-SEP@ucdavis.edu. References are encouraged to include "SEP Recommendation – [Your Name]" in the subject line. Recommendations can be from supervisors or professors.

Eligibility

Required section. Before proceeding with the application, please verify your eligibility for the program. Please indicate which session you are able to attend in this section; you may select one of or both sessions.

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I certify that: *

- ☐ I am 18 years or older
- ☐ I am from a disadvantaged background (including, but not limited to, educational, economic, social, or disability barriers)
- ☐ I have already completed a minimum of one year of undergraduate biology and/or chemistry courses
- ☐ I have a minimum of a 3.0 GPA in all sciences and cumulative coursework
- ☐ I have some veterinary and/or animal-related experience
- ☐ I understand that all application materials, including transcripts and letters of recommendation, must also be received by the March 17 deadline or my application will not be considered.
- ☐ I am or will be able to provide up to date vaccination records for COVID-19, tetanus, and Rabies Vaccine or Waiver by June 1
- ☐ I am available to attend the first session June 5-July 5, 2024
- ☐ I am available to attend the second session July 3-August 2, 2024

Demographic Information

Required section.

Date of Birth *

Your answer

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Sex *

- ☐ Male
- ☐ Female
- ☐ Nonbinary
- ☐ Other:

Pronouns *

- ☐ He/him/his
- ☐ She/her/hers
- ☐ They/them/theirs
- ☐ Other:

Marital Status *

- ☐ Single, never married
- ☐ Married
- ☐ Divorced or separated
- ☐ Widowed
- ☐ Other:

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Ethnic background (select all that apply) *

- ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native
- ☐ Asian
- ☐ Black or African American
- ☐ Hispanic/Latinx
- ☐ Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander
- ☐ White/Caucasian
- ☐ Middle Eastern/North African
- ☐ Other:

Are you a first generation college student? (Neither of your parents graduated from a 4 year college) *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

Do you currently attend an HBCU? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

Please indicate the name of the HBCU you attend. Write N/A if you do not attend an HBCU. *

Your answer

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Are or were you a Federal Pell Grant recipient? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

Current Address (street, city, state, zip) *

Your answer

Phone Number *

Your answer

Permanent Address (street, city, state, zip) *

Your answer

State of Legal Residency *

Your answer

Country of Legal Residency (for statistical purposes only; SEP is open to US and international students) *

Your answer

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Family Background

This information helps us get a better idea of your background and is optional.

Name of parent/guardian 1

Your answer

Living or deceased

- ☐ Living
- ☐ Deceased

Parent/guardian's occupation

Your answer

Is English a second language for parent/guardian?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

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Parent/guardian's highest level of formal education

- ☐ Graduated from elementary school
- ☐ Graduated from high school
- ☐ Graduated from community college or technical school
- ☐ Graduated from a four-year college or university
- ☐ Graduate/professional degree

Name of parent/guardian 2

Your answer

Living or deceased

- ☐ Living
- ☐ Deceased

Parent/guardian's occupation

Your answer

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- ☐ Graduated from a four-year college or university
- ☐ Graduate/professional degree

Parents/guardians' marital status

- ☐ Married
- ☐ Never married
- ☐ Separated
- ☐ Divorced
- ☐ Widowed

Is either parent/guardian an immigrant?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

If yes, how long have they resided in the US?

Your answer

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How many siblings do you have? List ages.

Your answer

Education

Required section.

Have you ever filed an application for admission to UC Davis School of Veterinary * Medicine?

☐ Yes

☐ No

If yes, under what name? Please give month and year(s) of application(s) submitted

Your answer

Have you participated in a Health Professions Summer Program? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

If yes, please give a brief description.

Your answer

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Number of years of undergraduate work completed at the time of SEP application *

Your answer

List in chronological order all colleges attended, regardless the length of attendance. Please list college name, dates attended (month & year), major, degree conferred or expected and date conferred or expected. *

Your answer

List in chronological order all science courses you have completed to date including any repeated courses. List the course number, grade, term, and year completed. Example: Chem 2A (B+), fall 2010. List each course on a single line. Do not include animal science courses *

Your answer

Employment History

Required section. If you have not had paid employment, write N/A. Please list only positions for which you have been paid. Do not include unpaid internships, job shadowing, etc.

List employment history since high school. Include location, name of employer, type of employment, position, if full/part-time, and dates to and from. *

Your answer

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Employment history continued (if needed)

Your answer

Veterinary & Animal Experience

Required section.

List and describe the most recent veterinary experience first. Include volunteer and/or paid positions. *

Your answer

List any animal, agribusiness, health sciences, or research experience starting with the most recent first. Do not include experiences with personal pets.

Your answer

Extracurricular Activities

Required section. If you have not had involvement in extracurricular activities, put "N/A."

List and describe any extracurricular or community activities that you are or have been involved in. *

Your answer

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Required section. Responses to the following questions are very important for your SEP application evaluation as the primary purpose of SEP is to provide opportunities for disadvantaged and underrepresented students to strengthen their veterinary school applications.

Please note: attending a university with no pre-vet program is not a disadvantage for the sake of eligibility to this program.

Check any of the areas below that you believe have posed as barriers or obstacles to your academic and/or professional advancement *

☐ Educational

☐ Economic

☐ Social

☐ Disability

☐ Other:

Please describe what these barriers are and how they have impacted your education. *

Your answer

Letters of Recommendation

Required section.

Evaluator #1 name *

Your answer

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Evaluator #1 address & phone number *

Your answer

Evaluator #1 email address *

Your answer

Evaluator #1 occupation *

Your answer

Evaluator #2 name *

Your answer

Evaluator #2 address & phone number *

Your answer

Evaluator #2 email address *

Your answer

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Evaluator #2 occupation *

Your answer

Personal Statement

You've made it to the final section!

Please explain how your background and personal interests relate to your desire *
to become a veterinarian. Discuss your understanding of veterinary medicine as a
profession as well as your career goals and/or professional objectives. 500 words
max.

Your answer

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