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Residency Program 2026-2030

Starting date: January 2026

University College Dublin (UCD) Veterinary School has a four-year Small Animal Track Diagnostic Imaging Residency position to be filled starting January 2025. The successful applicant will be enrolled in the residency training programme that focusses on preparing for board certification by the European College of Veterinary Diagnostic Imaging (ECVDI) while concurrently enrolled in a research based professional doctorate (Doctorate in Veterinary Medical Specialisation programme- DVMS). Residents get 12 weeks off clinics for study/ research and four weeks holiday each year.

The Diagnostic Imaging unit is staffed by two full-time and three part-time radiologists, two other DI residents, and three full-time radiographers. In house training in clinical radiology, (both large and small animal), ultrasonography, echocardiography, CT and MRI is included in the residency programme. Clinical research projects and academic course work associated with the DVMS is also undertaken. UCD is the largest university in Ireland, and the UCD veterinary hospital is based on the main university campus in Dublin.

On-site imaging equipment includes: Fixed small animal (Siemens Axiom Aristos DR) and adjacent large animal (Siemens Vertix Vet, Optitop X-ray tube) radiography rooms, 2 HF Portable x-ray machines, two portable Cuattro wireless DR systems, CR system and Ziehm vision fluoroscopy. Ultrasonographic equipment includes a GE Logic E10, GE Vivid 9 and three other portable ultrasound machines. A 16/32-slice CT unit (Siemens Somaton scope) on a sliding gantry and a 1.5T MRI GE Signa Artist complete the on-site equipment.

Qualifications required: Applicants must have a veterinary degree that is registerable by the *Veterinary Council of Ireland* (vci.ie) and have a minimum of two years veterinary experience or an internship preferably with an imaging component.

Content of the application / selection process

Candidates should forward electronic copies of their current curriculum vitae, letter of intent, proof of English proficiency and contact details for two referees to the Senior Executive Assistant Emma Golding emma.golding@ucd.ie by Sunday November the 30th 2025. Shortlisted candidates may be invited for virtual/in-person interview.

Stipend €24,000 - €26,000

Further information is available at: The University website: www.ucd.ie

The College/Management Unit: www.ucd.ie/agfoodvet
The School/Programme Office: www.ucd.ie/vetmed

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