

Second Year Elective Courses – Summer 2019 Semester

August 19th – 23rd 8am – 5pm

□ **CS 811 M – Rural Business Practice Skills – Dr. Brad White – 1 Credit**

This course will use a discussion and didactic environment to promote student learning in areas promoting success in rural practice. Students will actively participate in the discussion with a variety of speakers including KSU faculty and experts from outside KSU.

Online

□ **CS 811 K – Topics in IVM-Shelter Systems – 3 Credit Hours**

Understanding of the critical role played by veterinarians in protecting the health and welfare of sheltered dogs and cats, and develop population wellness and management practices that optimize their wellbeing and best outcomes. This course is divided into nine modules and each module includes interactive activities, readings, recordings, group discussions and assignments to deepen student understanding as well as assess achievement. By the end of this course students will be able to use the Association for Shelter Veterinarians Guidelines as a guide for the practice of veterinary medicine in a shelter environment, develop population wellness and management practices, respond to common health threats, animal welfare issues and animal abuse, understand recent trends, issues and epidemiology related to animal homelessness, apply key concepts crucial to the practice of shelter medicine (e.g., HQHVSN, One Health, Five Freedoms), use communication and leadership skills in interactions with shelter personnel and peers.

CS 766, 767, 767 – Preclinical Mentorships – Dr. Ronnie Elmore – 1 Credit

CS 766, CS 767, and CS 768 each require at least one week (forty hours) of activity with a veterinary mentor during academic breaks (fall break, spring break, semester break, or summer break). To get course credit for these electives you must satisfactorily complete all of the required forms. Please see <http://www.vet.k-state.edu/education/students/mentorships.html>. Approval forms for these elective courses must be submitted before the externship/mentorship is begun. You can select during which semester you want the enrollment to occur on the approval form