

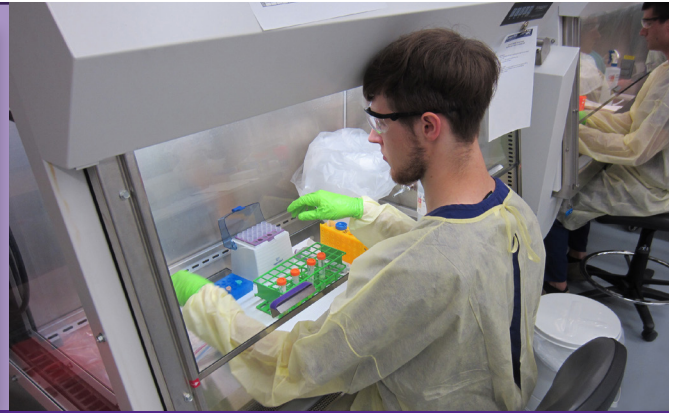
Information Session*

December 9, 2015 - 12:15 - 12:45 p.m.

December 17, 2015 - 12:15 - 12:45 p.m.

Biosecurity Research Institute
Pat Roberts Hall - Lecture Room

* Photo ID required (R.S.V.P. Recommended)



Transboundary Animal Disease Fellowship Opportunity

Program Description

The Biosecurity Research Institute (BRI) is accepting applications for five research fellowship positions in the Transboundary Animal Disease Workforce Development program. Each two-year fellowship is designed to foster the development of research scientists to safely plan and execute research on transboundary animal diseases (TAD) in BSL-3, BSL-3Ag, and BSL-4 environments.

During year one, fellows will enroll in an 18 credit hour program consisting of traditional classroom activities and practical rotations. This program is designed to instill common biosafety, containment, research laboratory, animal handling and regulatory compliance skills and proficiencies required to conduct TAD research in high-containment research settings.

In year two, fellows will have the opportunity to work at either the BRI or Plum Island Animal Disease Center (PIADC) to complete an independent research project under the guidance of an established researcher in the field of TADs.

In addition to the opportunities outlined above, participants will receive BSL-4 simulator training at the National Emerging Infectious Diseases Laboratory (NEIDL), and will be encouraged to apply to the PIADC training course. Each fellow will also receive tuition assistance and an annual stipend while participating in the program.

Benefits

- Annual Stipend
- Tuition Assistance
- Travel Expenses
- Research Material Assistance

Requirements

- Be accepted or enrolled in a DVM or Ph.D. program at Kansas State University, or possess an existing Ph.D. or DVM and be admitted to the graduate program as a non-degree student during the fellowship appointment
- Hold U.S. citizenship
- Be able to pass a background check and select agent Security Risk Assessment (SRA) clearance
- Possess superior interpersonal skills, excellent written and oral communication skills, the ability to work as a member of a team, have an excellent work ethic, and commitment to detail
- See our website for additional requirements

To R.S.V.P. or for Additional Information

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Visit our website: <http://www.bri.k-state.edu/education/TADFellowship.html>