



2026 AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS



Oregon State University

**Gary R. Carlson, MD,
College of Veterinary Medicine**

Class of 2029

Creston and Dorothea Lamont Memorial Veterinary Medicine Scholarship



Recipients Jeremy Case Phoebe Pannell

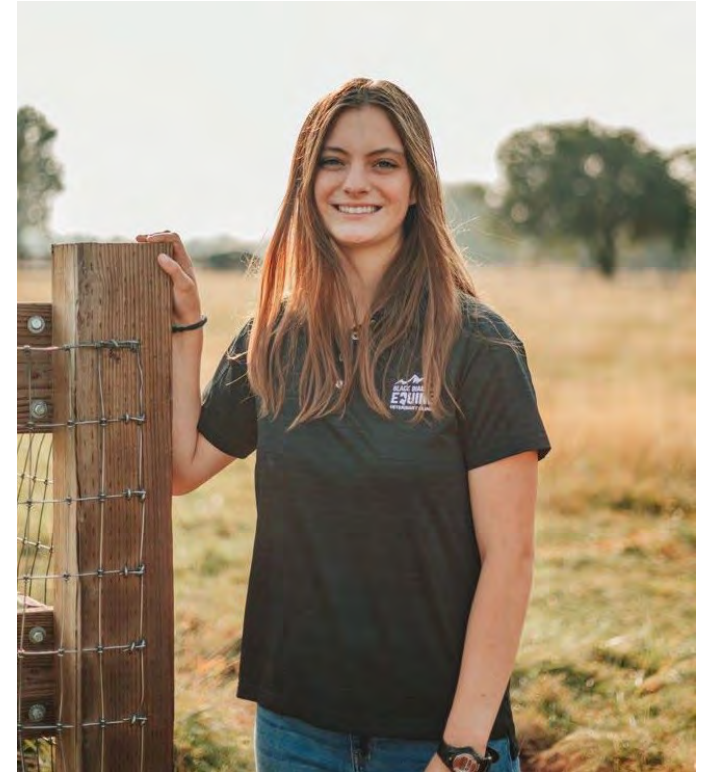
The scholarship was established by George Lamont in honor of his parents Creston and Dorothea in 1986. This scholarship is given to students with an interest in the poultry industry.



Daniel E. and Dorothy J. Petrequin Scholarship

Recipient Grace Stevenson

This scholarship is given to a student who graduated from an Oregon high school and is pursuing a career in veterinary medicine. The Petrequins were residents of Benton County, leaders in 4-H and equestrian programs and donated land to Corvallis which is now Chip Ross Park.



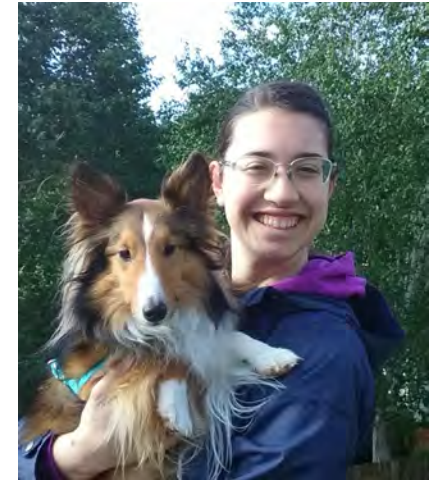
Marion-Polk Veterinary Association Scholarship



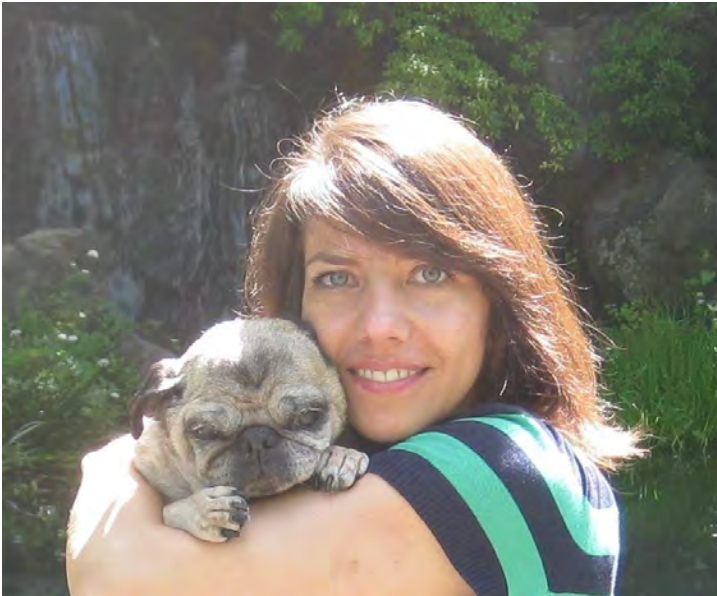
P.O. Box 4199 • Salem, OR 97302
"Professionals Who Care"

Recipients
Gena Davis (2029)
**Melanie Meador
(2028)**
**Jenna Tompkins
(2028)**

Marion-Polk Veterinary Association is a group of veterinarians in Marion and Polk Counties who are dedicated to quality animal care in the Mid-Willamette Valley.



Whizzer and Zita Nyitrai Scholarship



Recipient Caleb West

The scholarship was endowed by Zita Nyitrai in loving memory of her pug, Whizzer, who was adopted through a breed-specific rescue organization and came with special needs. It was through committed veterinarians who taught Zita how to care for Whizzer and extend his quality of life. Whizzer was incredibly resilient and it is through his spirit that this scholarship was created to ensure that support is provided to future generations of veterinarians.



Oregon Veterinary Medical Association Memorial Scholarship

Recipient M'Kenzie Kirchner



This scholarship recognizes first-year students who have been selected for their character, attitude, moral and professional conduct, and dedication to the welfare of his/her classmates. Funds for this scholarship have been given in memory of Dr. C. Dale Clark, Dr. Austin Eivers, Dr. Kenneth Behrends and Dr. Percy A. Powers and on behalf of the OVMA membership.



Dr. Sheri Morris and Mr. John Maddigan Scholarship



Recipients Corina Klein Kate-Riley Rogers

Dr. Sheri Morris and Mr. John Maddigan are long-time supporters of students at the CCVM. This scholarship is given to recognize a student with an interest in shelter medicine.

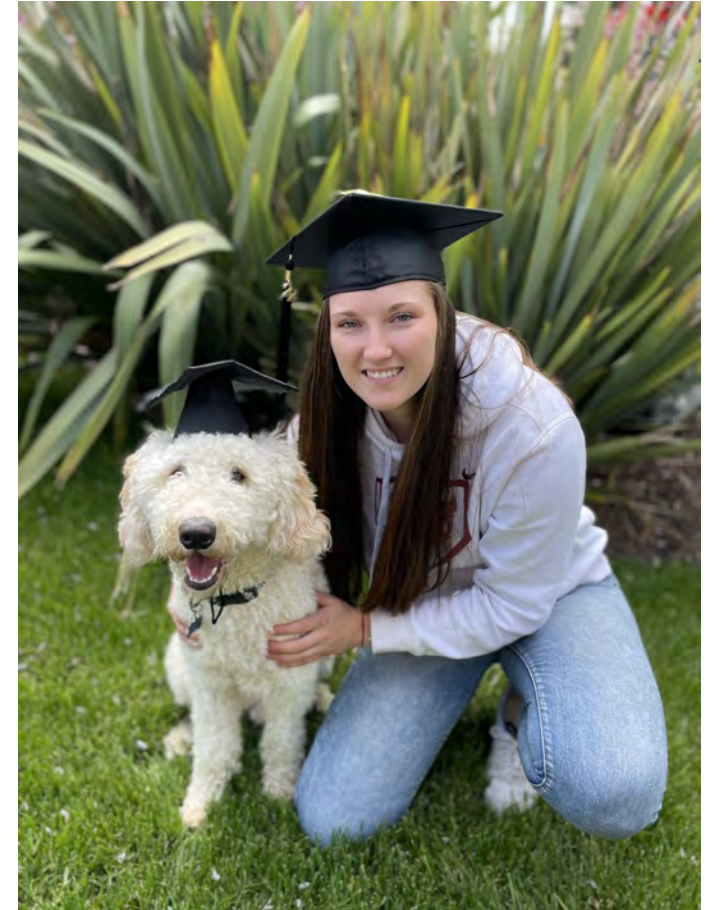


Lori Gibson Scholarship



Recipient Cassie Cosler

Dr. Gibson is a 1999 OSU-CVM grad and attended in the olden days when OSU vet students had to also go up to Washington State University for 1.5 years. Dr. Gibson established an in home pet euthanasia and Aquamation (water-based cremation) practice in the Portland area, and is a huge supporter of OSU grads. She knows what it is like to be a struggling vet student, and is honored to help support them if only a little bit. GO BEAVS!



Natalie & George Cantrell Veterinary Medicine Scholarship

Recipients

Benjamin Anglin

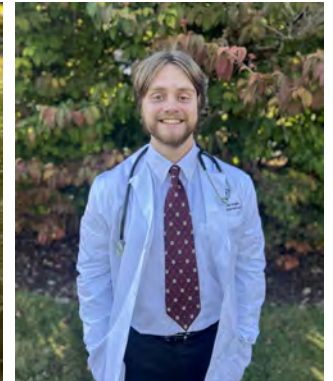
Sydney Kubiak

Claire Mayer

Izabelle Robinson

Simone Vega Rabelo

Natalie and George Cantrell are lifelong animal lovers having had many pets in their life. They are honored to support animal welfare and the veterinarians who take care of our most precious creatures.



Mark and Linda Phillips Veterinary Medicine Scholarship

Recipient Maggie Stone



Mark and Linda Phillips established their scholarship with deep generational ties to what is now CCVM, as OSU fanatics and as Grateful Clients. Their hope is that this scholarship eases the financial burden of veterinary education and empowers recipients to make a meaningful impact.



Donald Mattson, DVM, PhD and Donald McCoy, DVM Scholarship

Recipients Emily Hurtado

A retired DVM established the Donald Mattson, DVM, PhD, and Donald McCoy, DVM, Scholarship in 2025 to honor two mentors who were profoundly influential in his path to becoming a veterinarian.



Zoetis Foundation/AAVMC Veterinary Research Scholarship

Recipient Jacob Berrocal

The Zoetis Foundation/AAVMC Veterinary Research Scholarship is awarded to a veterinary student who is pursuing an advanced degree in basic or veterinary clinical research field of study.



Pet Memorial Academic Excellence Award



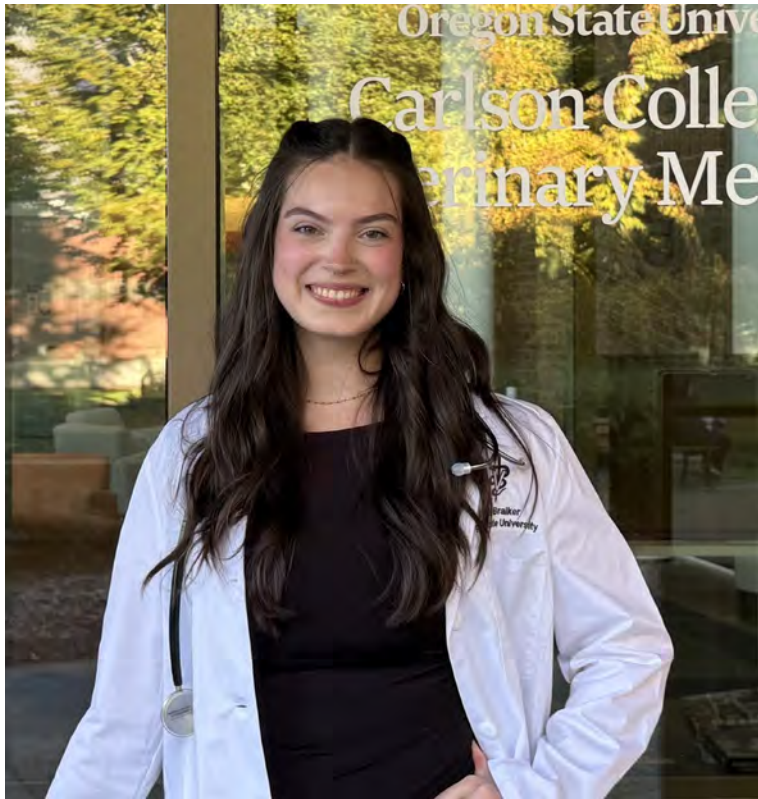
Recipients
Daniela Brown
Rachel Lortz
Kyle Marks-Brown

The academic excellence awards are funded by the Pet Memorial Program Fund, which is provided by people wishing to honor the memory of their pets.

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Carlson College of Veterinary Medicine Community Outreach Award



Recipients Lydia Braiker Lily Jonas

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Carlson College of Veterinary Medicine Mentorship Award



Recipients

Nora Bissonnette

Celeste Esser

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Carlson College of Veterinary Medicine Leadership Award



Recipients Lily Jonas Peter Sparks

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Class of 2028

Kermit and Mildred Peterson Scholarship

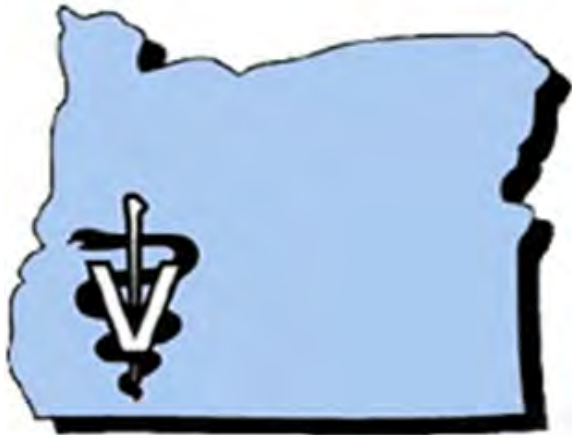


Recipient Sierra Gleason

Dr. Peterson was a professor at OSU in veterinary medicine from 1959-1977. Dr. Peterson was involved with 4-H and took kids to horse shows and horse camping trips. This scholarship was established in 2014 by Mrs. Peterson's estate and her two daughters.

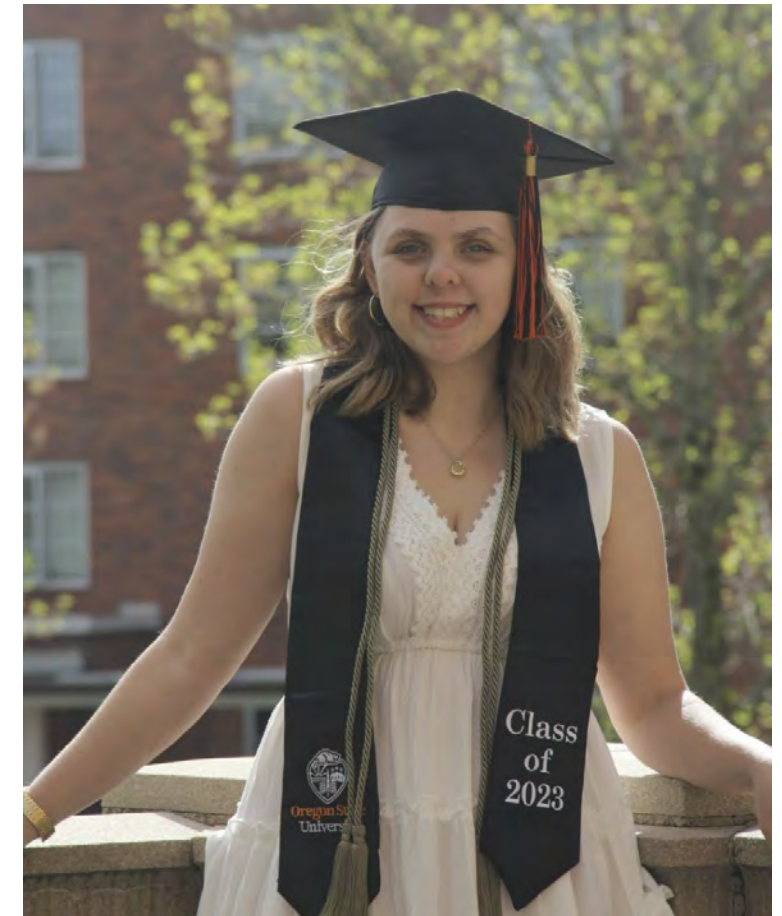


Rogue Valley Veterinary Medical Association Scholarship



Recipient Makayla Clawson

This scholarship is presented to a student with preference given to students from Jackson and Josephine counties.



Andres Family Scholarship Fund

Recipient Jackson Helm

Jerry and Jinny Andres established a scholarship for OSU veterinary students who have an interest in working with large animals in rural areas. This scholarship was created in appreciation of the veterinary care their horses have received over the years.



Jesse and Ellie Beagle Scholarship in Veterinary Medicine

Recipients

Madison Edmunds

Tiffany Johnson

Alyssa Rosales

Marisa Rivas-Castaneda

The scholarship was established by Jim Hanselman and Joann Ronzio in honor of their beloved beagles who received care in the oncology service. Jim and Joann were deeply moved by their VTH experience and want to publicly recognize Shannon Litchfield, Dr. Kelly Hicks, and Dr. Charlotte Donnan for their compassion and care.



Mountain Dog Rescue Scholarship

Recipients

Renee Rodriguez
Kally Vanderford

This award is sponsored by an alumna from the Class of 1991, Dr. Patti Prato. The scholarship is to recognize a student that has demonstrated community responsibility in the fields of shelter work, animal rescue or volunteer work. It is named in memory of her first rescue dog and the many Great Pyrenees and Bernese Mountain Dogs that have followed.



Maude and June Camden Memorial Scholarship



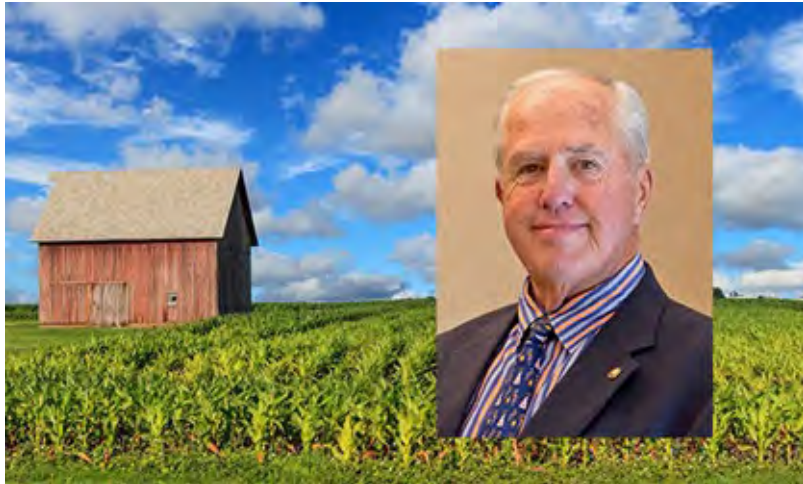
Recipient Marisa Kalafer

Established in 2017 by Ms. Rebecca Camden, this scholarship honors the memory of her beloved dachshunds, Maude and later June—both cherished visitors to the college and adored by students. The scholarship provides support for excellence in shelter medicine, with preference given to students who demonstrate a strong interest in rescue animals.



Dr. Wayne and Jean Rehn Scholarship in Veterinary Medicine

Recipients Madison Bazer Colin Koyle



This award was established by Dr. Wayne and Jean Rehn to recognize a deserving veterinary student with a strong background and interest in animal science, 4-H or FFA. Wayne and Jean met in Corvallis when she was attending OSU and he was in the Air Force. Dr. Rehn specialized in food animals and had an Angus herd.



Carlson College of Veterinary Medicine Service Award



Recipients Bailey Matthews Kayla Wagner

This award is given in recognition of efforts to promote the OSU Carlson College of Veterinary Medicine and the veterinary profession.

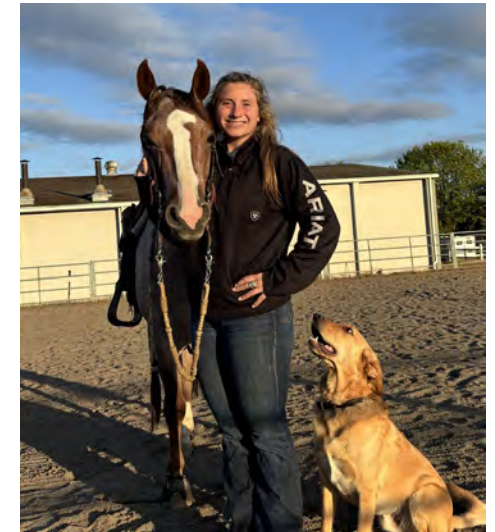


Sharon and Cliff Burgess Scholarship



Recipients
Steven Copple
Taylor Herman
Anneliese Husaby
Amanda
Majchrzak

Sharon and Cliff Burgess are long-time supporters of the college and established this scholarship for students from Oregon to help with educational costs.



Dr. Michael Bellinghausen '84 Veterinary Medicine Scholarship

Recipients

Elaina DeWitt
Gabrielle Garcia
Kyla Miyashiro
Amy Wang

Dr. Michael Bellinghausen endowed this scholarship to support students with financial need, giving preference to students from groups historically underrepresented in the veterinary medicine profession.



Emerald Dog Obedience Club of Eugene Scholarship



Recipient Kally Vanderford

This award is given to a student with interest and ability in training dogs for obedience, tracking or agility. Emerald Dog Obedience Club, Inc. is a non-profit organization located in Eugene and their mission is strengthening the bond between dog owners and their dogs through training.



North West Camelid Foundation Scholarship



Recipient Kiara Varga

This award, given by the North West Camelid Foundation, is for a student who is interested in a career related to the camelid industry.



Glen Pfefferkorn & Morris Wendorf Camelid Scholarships

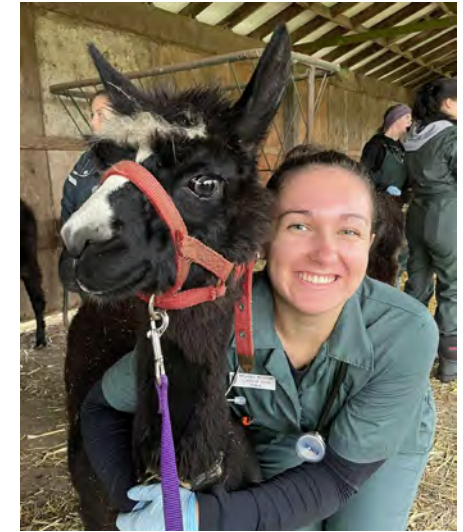


Recipients

Melanie Meador (2028)

Amy Swenson (2026)

Mr. Glen Pfefferkorn and Mr. Morris Wendorf, longtime supporters of the College and of students, established this scholarship to recognize a student with an interest in llamas.



AKC Veterinary Outreach Scholarship



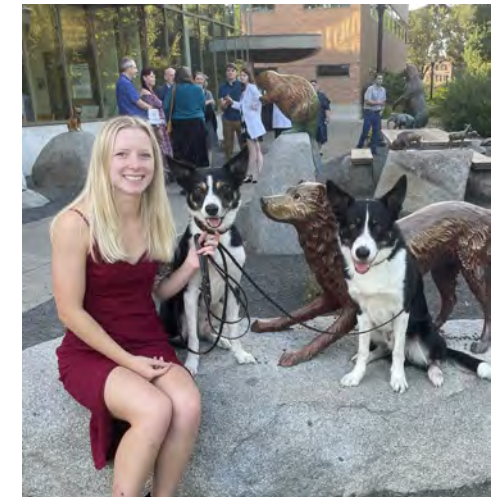
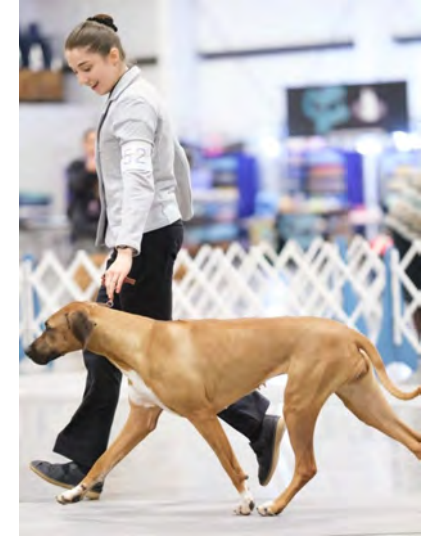
AMERICAN
KENNEL CLUBSM

Recipients

**Madison Edmunds
(2027)**

Alyssa Premo (2028)

This scholarship aims to support those with backgrounds in AKC events and programs seeking to promote animal health and medicine.



Charles and Karen Short Veterinary Pharmacology Scholarship



Recipient Steven Copple

This award was established to honor Dr. Charles Short. Dr. Short served as Head of the Department of Physiology, Pharmacology and Toxicology at Louisiana State University until his retirement in 2004. Through his leadership, scholarship and mentorship of professional and graduate students, Dr. Short has contributed significantly to the development of veterinary pharmacology nationally and internationally.

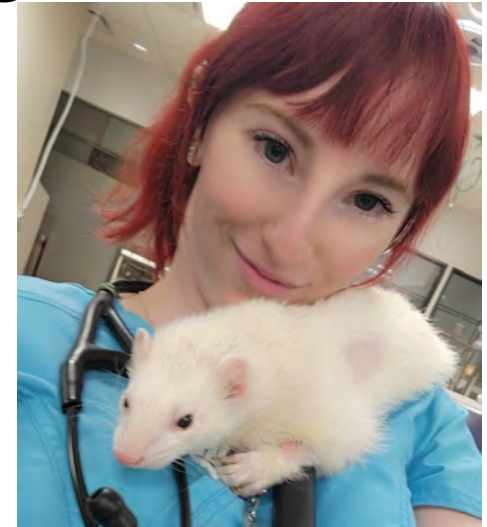


Dennis and Claudia Zerba Veterinary Medicine Scholarship

Recipients
Galen Alsobrook
Bryan McCrindle



Dennis and Claudia Zerba endowed this scholarship to help students with educational costs who have an interest in small animal practice.



Scott and Sandra Hendy Veterinary Scholarship



Recipient Maiyah Norton

Dr. Scott Hendy is a retired veterinarian in Roseburg where he and his wife, Sandra are very involved in their community through various organizations like the YMCA, United Way, and Douglas County Humane Society. Scott and Sandra Hendy support this award to recognize a veterinary medicine student intending to go into mixed animal or food animal practice.

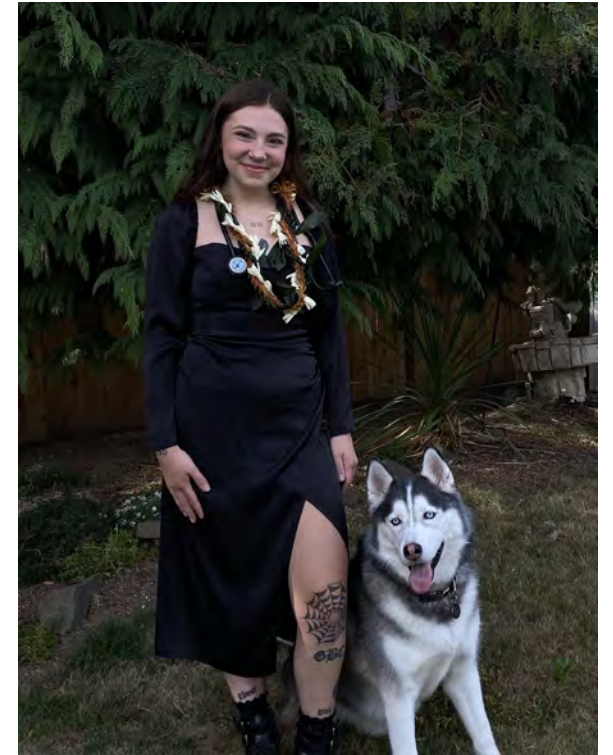


Pet Memorial Program Academic Excellence Award



Recipients

Steven Copple
Taylor Herman
Moriah Palmer



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Kaitlin Iwahashi

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Jackson Helm
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University

Recipient
Ashleigh Ehrke
Renee Rodriguez

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Stanley and Louise Snyder Scholarship

Recipient Stephanie Hayashi



This scholarship was established by Stanley and Louise Snyder. “Historically, more than 10% of veterinary graduates pursue careers in a variety of areas other than traditional private veterinary practice. Most scholarships are awarded to students showing proficiency in practice areas. It is our desire to reward students that have shown interest in laboratory diagnostics, an area of our profession that I have found interesting and exciting throughout my career.



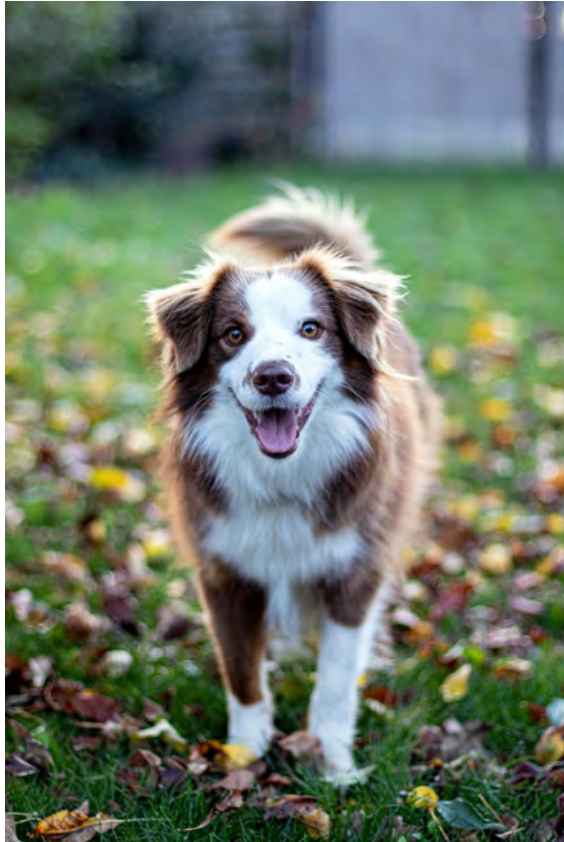
Tualatin Kennel Club Scholarship In Memory of Debbi Kaluza

Recipient Ian Grant

The Tualatin Kennel Club is generously providing this scholarship in memory of Debbi Kaluza to a student with an interest in pursuing a career in small animal medicine.

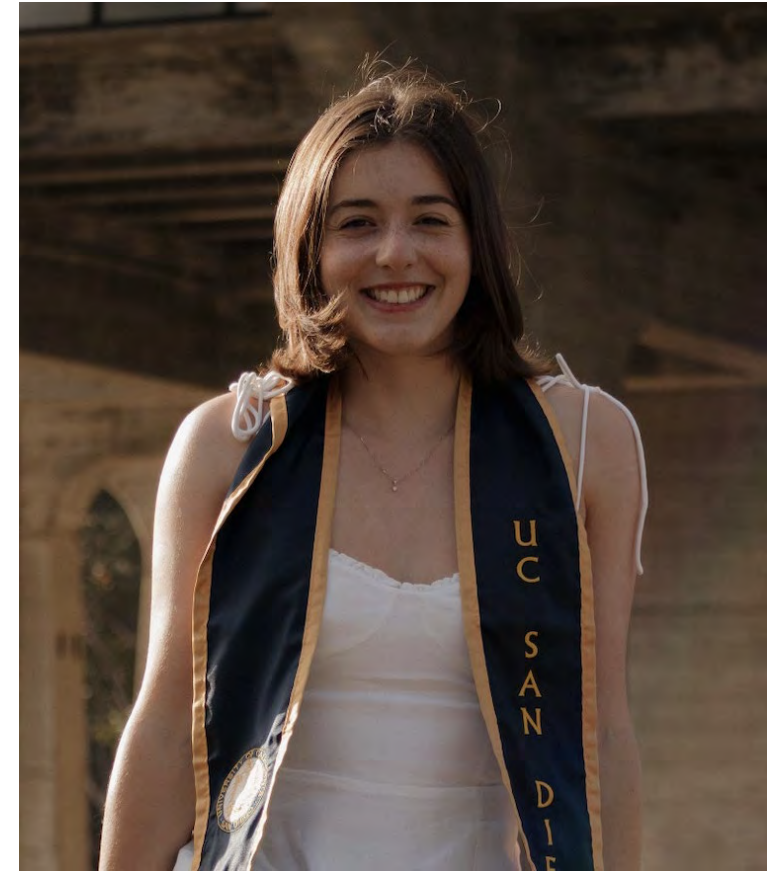


Margaret Copeland Memorial Scholarship



Recipient Abigail Schnapper

Scholarship given to a student interested in small animal medicine or research that benefits dogs, is in memory of Margaret Copeland, one of the founders of the Tualatin Kennel Club.



Ann Koenig Scholarship in Small Animal Medicine

Recipient Kristen Bird

This scholarship was established by Mark Koenig in loving memory of his mother, Ann Koenig. Ann was a lifelong animal lover who always cherished her dogs and other pets. This scholarship supports a student who is pursuing an interest in small animal medicine and care.



Debbi Bricco Memorial Scholarship Fund in Shelter Medicine



Recipients **Dottie Brown** **Nicole Holland**

Debbi Bricco was a member of the Class of 2018 who passed away on June 24, 2016. Debbi believed in living life with a joyful heart and a positive attitude. Debbi planned this scholarship as a way to pass along her passion for shelter medicine.



McKenzie Cascade Dog Fanciers Scholarship



Recipient Evangeline Bautista

This award recognizes a student who is an Oregon resident, and who has an interest in small animal medicine and purebred dogs. McKenzie Cascade Dog Fanciers, Inc. is a non-profit all-breed dog club dedicated to the love and care of purebred dogs in the Springfield, Oregon area.



Jeff Brant and Kris Otteman Scholarship for Shelter Medicine



Recipient Yena Song

OSU CVM alumni Drs. Jeff Brant and Kris Otteman Brant established this award in 2013. Dr. Brant currently serves on the CVM Advisory Council and Dr. Otteman was the director of the Animal Medical Learning Center at the Oregon Humane Society. This scholarship is for a student interested and involved in shelter medicine.



Jeff & Kris Otteman Brant Scholarship for Mixed/Food Animal Practice



Recipient Brittany Mogannam

OSU CVM alumni Drs. Jeff Brant and Kris Otteman Brant established this award in 2013. This scholarship is for a student with plans to pursue a mixed or food animal practice.



Pacific Northwest Alpaca Association Scholarship



Recipient Luke Currey

The Pacific Northwest Alpaca Association (PNAA) was organized in 1994 by alpaca owners and breeders in Washington, Idaho, Oregon, and Montana. PNAA exists to provide information to the public on alpacas, to offer educational opportunities and fellowship for our members, and to promote the growth of the American alpaca livestock and fiber industries.



Steven M. Camden Veterinary Rehabilitation and Sports Medicine Scholarship

Recipient Jaycie Ota

This award was established by Ms. Rebecca Camden, a CCVM Advisory Council Member, in memory of her husband, Steven, to recognize a student with an interest and excellence in rehabilitation and sports medicine. Ms. Camden is a long-time supporter and friend of the College.

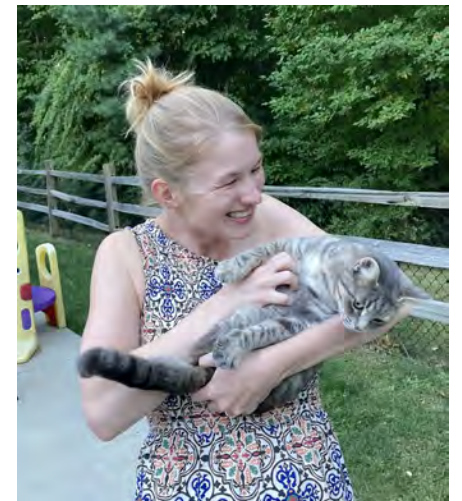
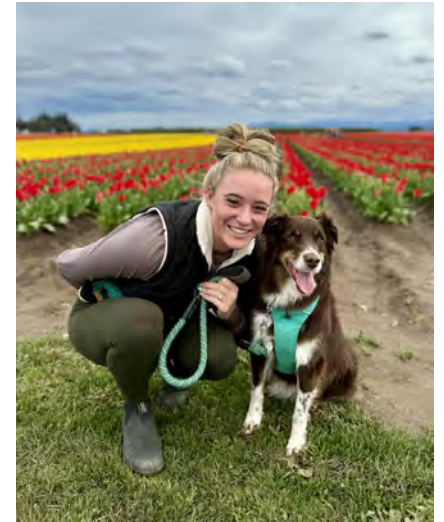


Randall E Dunn Memorial Scholarship

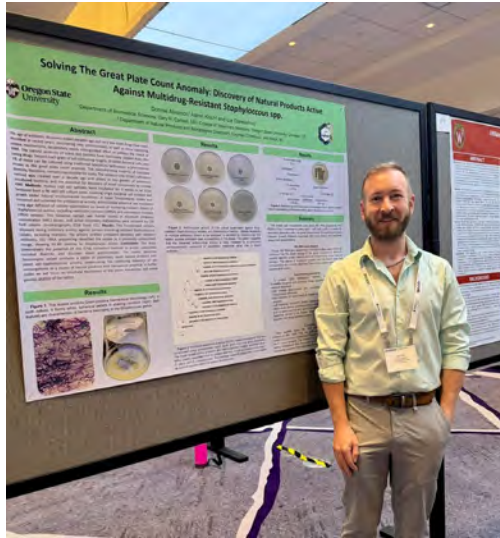
Recipients

Abigail Gleason
Keatley Hofer

This scholarship was endowed by Linda Dunn in memory of her beloved husband Randy Dunn. Randy had great love of horses, especially Appaloosas. This scholarship is for a student with an interest in large animal medicine.



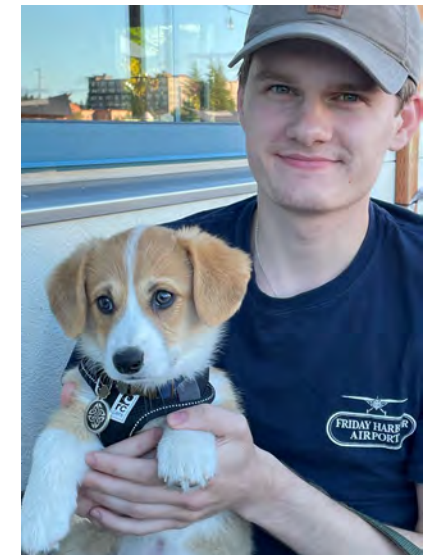
Supera Anesthesia Innovations Scholarship



Recipients
Donnie Alverson
Nils Andreasen
Luke Currey
Ian Grant



Supera Anesthesia Innovations, formerly LEI Medical, is an Oregon based company that produces medical equipment for the veterinary field since 1993 and is located in Oregon.



Portland Veterinary Medical Association Scholarship



Recipient Alyssa Spires

This award is for a student from the Portland metro area /or desires to work there following graduation and from a historically underrepresented in higher education population.

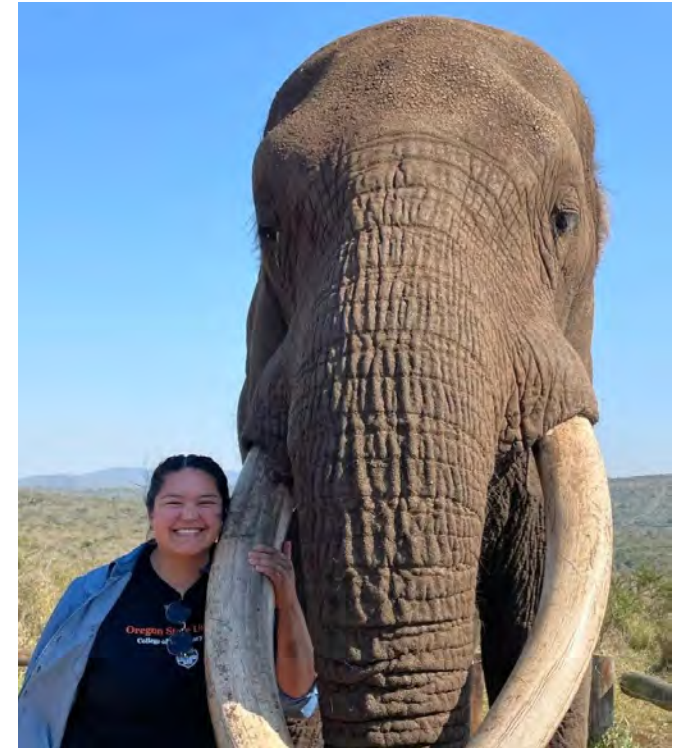


Jacobson Family Scholarship

Recipient Miriam Barbour



Larry and Carol's lifelong involvement with training and showing horses led them to the OSU Vet School for various treatments. Their son, Russell '87, pursued a career in equine veterinary medicine, eventually starting a 36-year solo practice in Maryland. The family later established a scholarship as a token of their gratitude.



Jamie Sona Memorial Scholarship

Recipient Erin Nemivant

Jamie was a CCVM instructor, valued and loved colleague, friend and mentor to many. He passed away in October of 2022. Jamie joined the CCVM in September, 2007 and was an important part of our community for 15 years. We mourn this loss but celebrate his life with contributions made to the college by colleagues, students and friends for this scholarship.



Bernard and Stephanie Zylewitz Scholarship

Recipients Taylor Gravley

Betty Zylewitz created this scholarship in honor of her late husband Bernard and daughter Stephanie. Mrs. Zylewitz had a very positive outlook on life and enjoyed concerts, plays and outings with her friends.



Animal Health Foundation of Oregon Scholarship

Recipient Dottie Brown



The Animal Health Foundation of Oregon is a non-profit charitable organization that brings veterinarians and the public together to educate and advocate for the well-being of all animals. This award is to recognize a student who promotes the importance of the human-animal bond and the well-being of animals.



Dr. Robert B. Bailey Memorial Scholarship



Recipient Isaac Buckwalter

The family and friends of Dr. Robert B. Bailey have established this scholarship to be awarded to a student with an interest in small animal surgery and/or intending to enter a mixed practice.



Shane Brown Memorial Scholarship



Recipient Wyatt Vallejo

Shane Brown, a third year student in the class of 2003, lost his life in a car accident while in Pullman. His classmates wanted Shane to be remembered forever, so they took it upon themselves to help raise over \$10,000 to endow the scholarship in Shane's name. In less than a year, they were able to raise this money with help from friends, faculty, and family. The scholarship recognizes a student with an interest in large animal medicine who is an enthusiastic, involved member of the class.



Ken and Celia Austin Camelid Study Scholarship

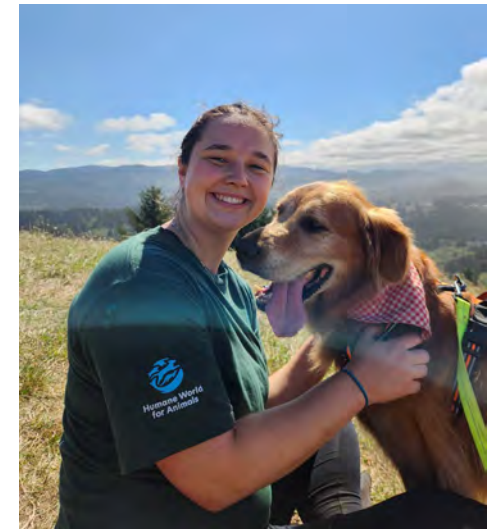
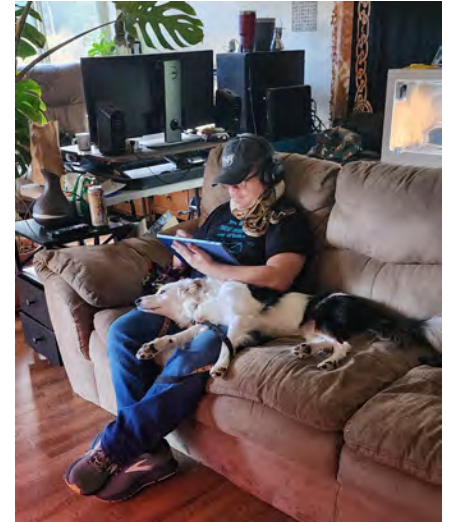
Recipients

Andrew Abernathy

Reya Hanks



Ken and Celia Austin are OSU alumni and strong supporters of our University and the College. They support this award to recognize veterinary medicine students with an interest and aptitude for working with camelids. They raise llamas on their ranch and have a deep interest in their welfare.



Endowed Scholarship in Food Animal Medicine

Recipient Lacey Jackson

Scholarship for a third year student with a declared focus in Food Animal Medicine (cattle, sheep, goats, and swine).

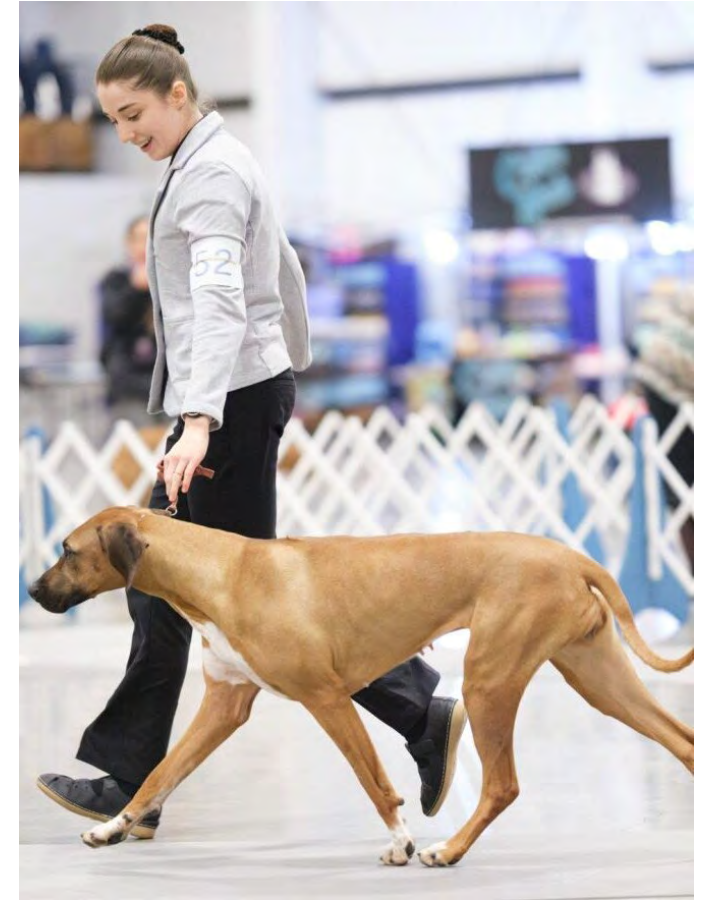


Chintimini Kennel Club Scholarship



Recipient Alyssa Premo

The Chintimini Kennel Club, local to this area, has provided this award for many years to veterinary students who are Oregon residents and have an interest in canine reproduction or rehabilitation.

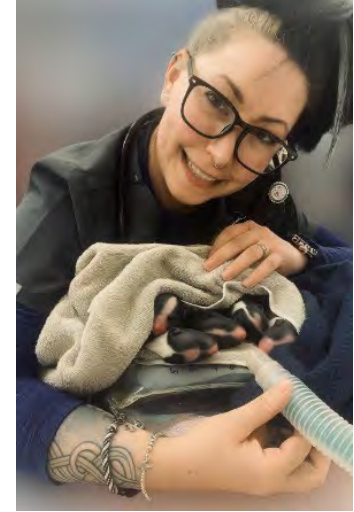


Grace L. Kreitz Endowed Veterinary Scholarship



Recipients Desiree Gray Maica Riana Ridenour

Jon and Carolyn Kreitz established this scholarship in memory of Jon's mother Grace Kreitz who was an animal lover and in honor of the great care their animals have received from Dr. Steve Haley (OSU '01). This award is for an Oregon resident with a career goal of practicing in small animal medicine.



Phi Zeta Induction Recognition Certificate

Recipients

Kristen Bird

Kristina Camarena

Yena Song

Abigail Gleason

Kelly Lindemann

Kristin Long

Maggie Mysz

Jaycie Ota

Stephanie Deam Parks



The top ten percent of the third-year class are invited to become members of the Phi Zeta National Honor Society. These students have accepted the invitation to become members and will now receive their certificates.

Pet Memorial Program Academic Excellence Award



Recipients

Makayla Barkhurst

Kelly Lindemann

Maggie Mysz

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Carlson College of Veterinary Medicine Community Outreach Award



Recipients Nicole Holland Simran Nagi

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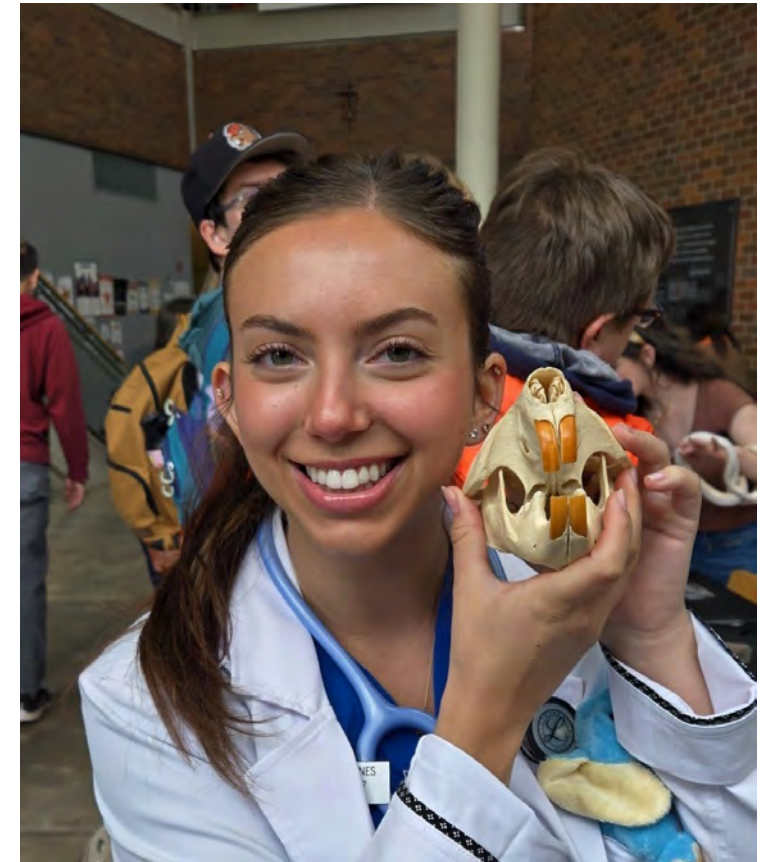


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Recipients Kristina Camarena Tyler Quinones

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Recipient Enjhalika Esmena

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Don and Betty Bailey Scholarship



Recipients
Louise Bishop
Celestina Davidson
Lindsey Kaluza

This award is given to students in recognition of their interest and aptitude in small ruminant medicine.



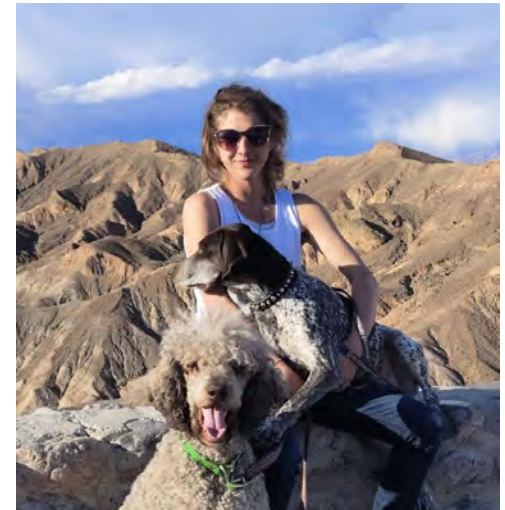
Dick Magruder Memorial Scholarship



Recipients

Monica Esquivel-Zarate
Faurest Nelson Wicks

This award is given in memory of The Honorable Dick Magruder, who was a member of the House of Representatives and was instrumental in helping to establish the College.



Good Boy Barney Award in Honor of Michael Harms, DVM



Recipient Caitlin Gaffney

This scholarship recognizes excellence in prompt, personal client follow-up, customer service, community service and leadership and is given to a student interested in pursuing a career in large animal medicine.



DVM Student Research Award

Recipient Allen Ralston



This award recognizes an outstanding research effort by a DVM student.

Allen worked with Dr. Townsend on data acquisition and management for a prospective NIH study investigating sentinel lymph node mapping of mast cell tumors using an experimental nanoparticle drug and infrared imaging.



Carolina Cabaret Memorial Scholarship

Recipient Dario Flores



This scholarship recognizes a student with a demonstrated interest in equine medicine and surgery. This award was made possible by Carole and Jim Bradford. In 1995 their prize Morgan stallion, Carolina Cabaret, became ill and was treated by the teaching hospital staff led by Dr. Huber. Unfortunately, they could not save Carolina Cabaret. The Bradfords were so impressed with the care both they and their horse received during this difficult time that they created this award in their honor and in memory of their beloved Morgan stallion.



Columbia River Pembroke Welsh Corgi Club Student Assistance Award



Recipient Matthew Gilbert

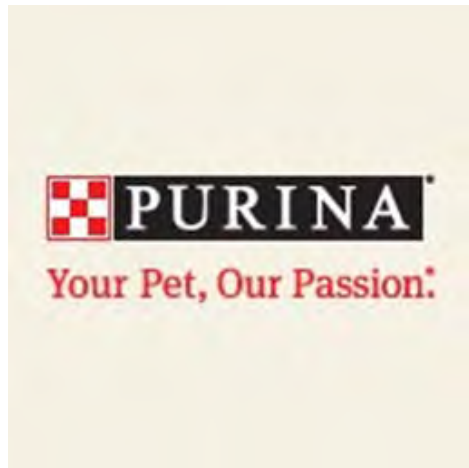
This scholarship recognizes a veterinary student with a special interest and/or aptitude in promoting purebred dog activities who plans to pursue a small animal veterinary practice. Alumna Michelle Lawson from the Class of 1997 was instrumental in establishing the award.



Nestlé Purina Companion Animal Nutrition Scholarship

Recipient Kara McComb

This scholarship is to recognize a student who has demonstrated excellence or interest in companion animal nutrition and plans to pursue a career in small animal medicine.



Senior Paper Excellence Awards

Recipients

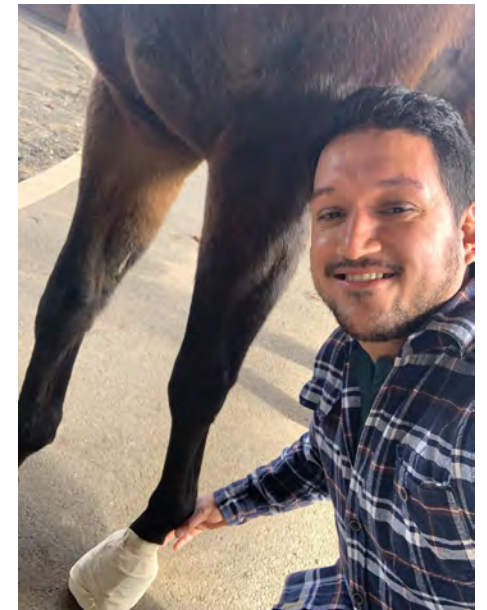
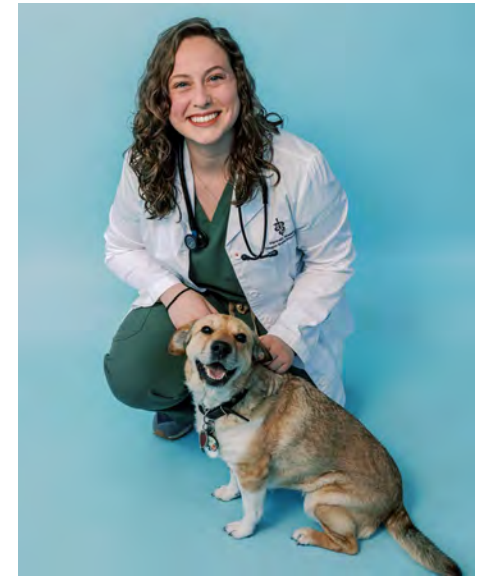
Samuel Fisher

Yvonne Figueroa

Christopher Gonzalez

Hannah Walker

This award recognizes the top four senior papers as voted by CCVM faculty.



Dr. Joe and Jane Snyder Senior Award

Recipient **Savannah Bowles** **(staff and student votes)**

This award was established by Dr. Joe Snyder (Class of 1983) and his wife Jane to recognize two senior students. One award recognizes the student who has been most polite, thoughtful, and cooperative and is chosen by a vote of the College staff and the other award recognizes the student who has done the most to help his or her fellow classmates during the course of their four years of veterinary school and is voted on by the senior class.

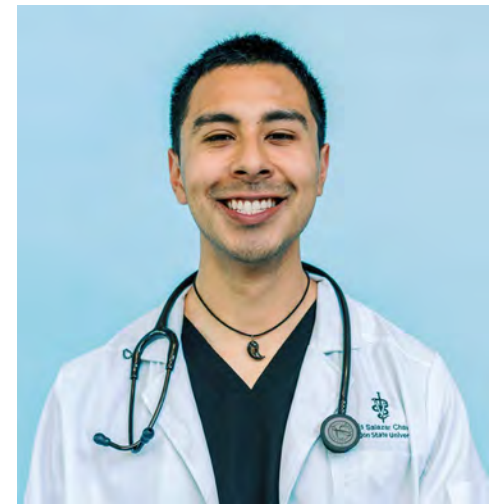
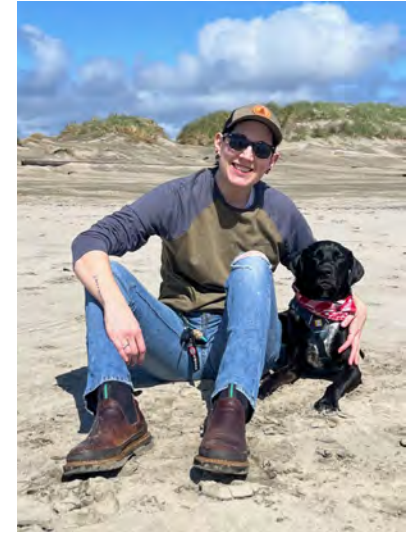


Pet Memorial Academic Excellence Award



Recipients
Danielle Kaschmitter
Merric Malley
Luis Salazar Chavez

The academic excellence awards are funded by the Pet Memorial Program Fund, which is provided by people wishing to honor the memory of their pets. This scholarship is presented in recognition of academic excellence, initiative, perseverance and potential for leadership.



Carlson College of Veterinary Medicine Community Outreach Award



Recipients **Kimi Bakkom** **Emilia Starchvick**

This award is given to students in recognition of their efforts to promote the Oregon State University Carlson College of Veterinary Medicine and the veterinary profession. The recipients of these awards are chosen by their classmates.



Carlson College of Veterinary Medicine Mentorship Award

Recipients Savannah Bowles Aisling Kyne

This award is given to students in recognition of their positive attitude and willingness to help and support their classmates. The recipients of these awards are chosen by their classmates.



Carlson College of Veterinary Medicine Leadership Award



Recipients Kimi Bakkom Regina Martinez

This award is given to students in recognition of their active role in the leadership and organization of class activities and the promotion of class unity. The recipients of these awards are chosen by their classmates.



E. E. Wedman Outstanding Senior Award



Recipient Luis Salazar Chavez

This award is given to honor Dr. E.E. Wedman, first dean of the College of Veterinary Medicine at Oregon State University. His efforts were instrumental in establishing the College and building Magruder Hall. The purpose of the award is to recognize one outstanding senior each year who is in the top third of their class. The recipient of this award must possess and have demonstrated the qualities of scholarship, leadership, service, dedication to veterinary medicine, and compassion for animals and colleagues. It is hoped that this person will have a commitment to life-time learning.



Camden Rural Practice Scholarship

Recipient Henry Laurita



This scholarship is to assist a fourth year student entering rural practice post-graduation. Ms. Rebecca Camden established this scholarship in 2019. She is an Advisory Council member and long-time supporter and friend of the College.



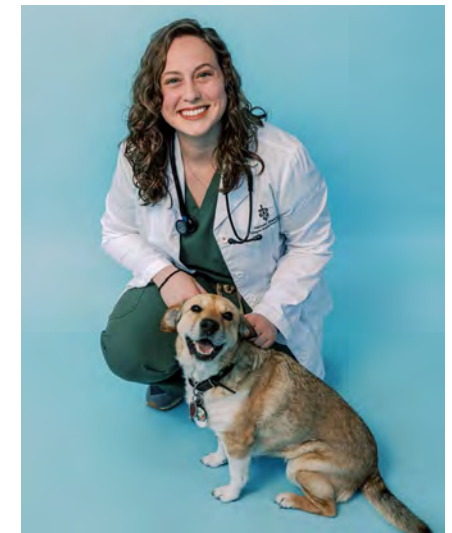
Beverly M. Thayer Veterinary Medicine Scholarship



Recipients
Elizabeth Cheyne
Brynley Cozzi
Holly MacInnes
Hannah Walker



Ms. Thayer was a friend to the College who left her estate to fund scholarships for assisting students who have a special interest in dairy cows and/or horses.

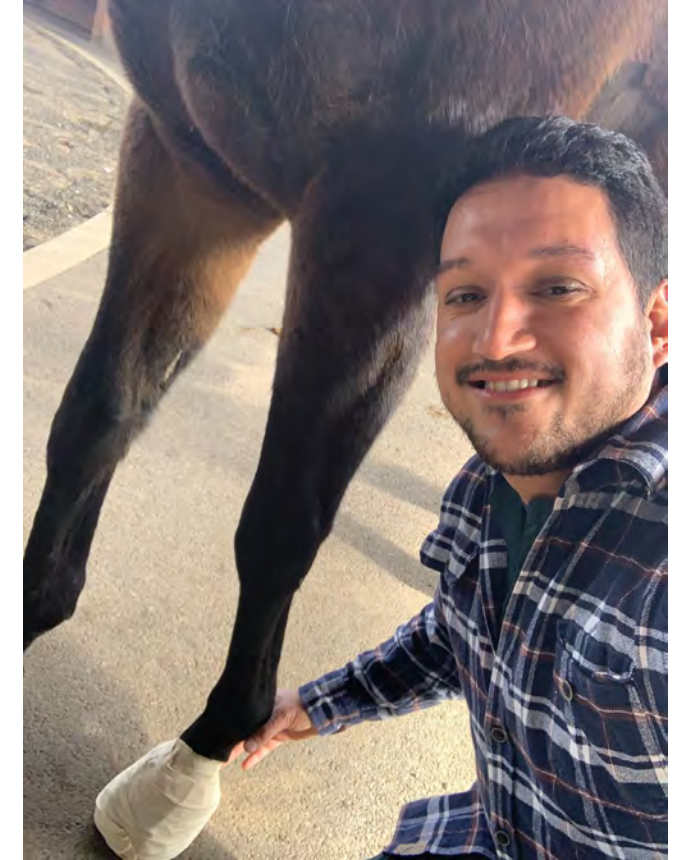


Frank and Amy Finch Memorial Scholarship



Recipients **Brianna Bryan** **Christopher Gonzalez**

This award is given to recognize seniors with proficiency in equine medicine and surgery.



American Association of Feline Practitioners Outstanding Senior Award



Recipient Raven Green

American Association of Feline Practitioners Outstanding Senior Award is for one graduating senior recognized as a leader in the study of feline health.



Proficiency in Theriogenology Award

Recipient Dario Flores

This award is given to recognize a senior student with demonstrated proficiency in theriogenology.



American College of Veterinary Radiology & Ultrasound Award



Recipient **Seanna Byron-Perry**

To recognize a senior veterinary student who demonstrates outstanding enthusiasm and understanding for diagnostic and therapeutic radiology.



American College of Veterinary Surgeons Award - Large Animal



Recipient Caitlin Gaffney

Started in 1989, the American College of Veterinary Surgeons wishes to recognize senior students for academic and clinical proficiency and interest in large animal surgery.



American College of Veterinary Surgeons Award - Small Animal



Recipient Luis Salazar Chavez

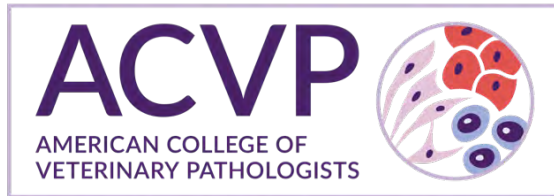
To recognize senior students for academic and clinical proficiency and interest in small animal surgery.



American College of Veterinary Pathology Award

Recipient Anthony Markos

Recognizes a fourth year student for outstanding achievement, proficiency, and interest in veterinary pathology.



American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine Certificate of Clinical Excellence - Large Animal



Recipient Lindsey Kaluza

To nationally recognize one fourth-year veterinary student who demonstrate a sincere interest in internal medicine and outstanding didactic and clinical skills in large animal internal medicine that emulate future clinical scientists and the mission of the ACVIM.



American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine Certificate of Clinical Excellence - Small Animal



Recipients Madelyn Gomez Jenna Robbins

To recognize two fourth-year veterinary students who demonstrate a sincere interest in internal medicine and outstanding didactic and clinical skills in small animal internal medicine that emulate future clinical scientists and the mission of the ACVIM.



Veterinary Cancer Society's Bob Rosenthal Senior Student Award For Proficiency in Clinical Oncology



Recipient Aisling Kyne

This award recognizes a student who has outstanding aptitude for, and competence in, the diagnosis, treatment and general care of companion animals affected by malignant disease.



American Academy of Veterinary Dermatology Certificate of Clinical Excellence

Recipient Jocelyn Chou

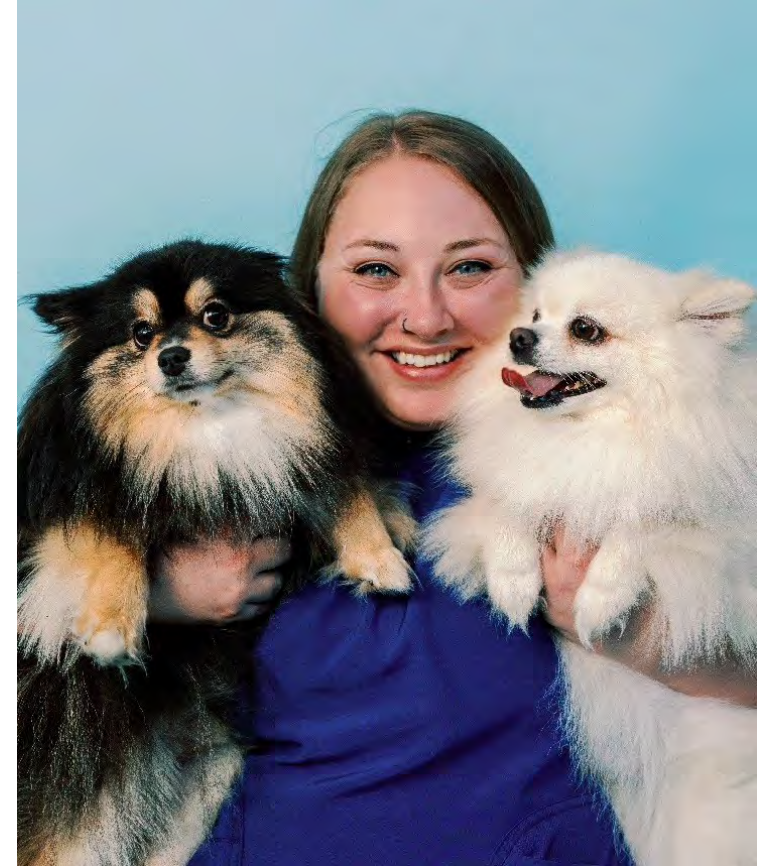
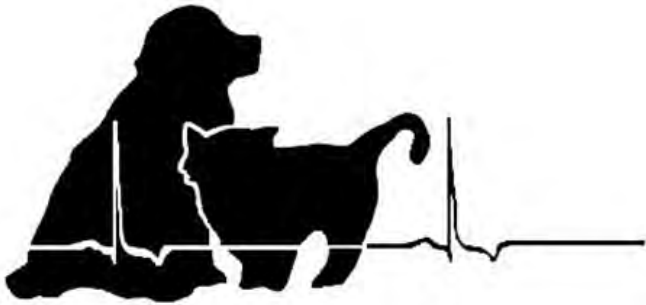
Recognizes a student who shows
enthusiasm for and understanding of
diagnostic and clinical dermatology.



Award for Proficiency in Emergency & Critical Care sponsored by the Veterinary Emergency & Critical Care Society (VECCS)

Recipient Brooke Ramos

The Award for Proficiency in Emergency & Critical Care sponsored by the Veterinary Emergency & Critical Care Society (VECCS) is for a 4th year student who has demonstrated extraordinary commitment and exceptional proficiency in caring for emergency and critical care patients (regardless of species).



American Animal Hospital Association Award for Proficiency in Primary Care



Recipient Kory Chan

The American Animal Hospital Association Award for Proficiency in Primary Care recognizes one fourth-year veterinary student proficient in primary care.



Carlson College of Veterinary Medicine Compassion for Animals Award

Recipient Kory Chan

This award is given to recognize a senior student who exhibits "caring and compassionate" behavior for animals and their owners. The selection is based on a vote of the fourth-year class.



Phi Zeta Induction Recognition and Presentation of Gold Cords

Recipients



Certificate and lifetime membership to the National Phi Zeta Honor Society to recognize fourth-year students in the top 25 percent of their class. Gold cords are worn at graduation in recognition of this honor.

Brianna Bryan

Lillian Corwin

Samuel Fisher

Danielle Kaschmitter

Regina Martinez

Faurest Nelson Wicks

Amy Swenson

Katherine Calvo

Bonnie Dunworth

Matthew Gilbert

Aisling Kyne

Kara McComb

Luis Salazar Chavez

Amanda Tang

Tammie Chao

Delaney Ericson

Lindsey Kaluza

Merric Malley

Murdock Millwood

Sarah Stinson

Merck Veterinary Manuals

Recipients



Lillian Corwin
Lindsey Kaluza
Merric Malley
Luis Salazar Chavez

Delaney Ericson
Danielle Kaschmitter
Faurest Nelson Wicks
Amanda Tang

The Merck Veterinary Manual is presented to students in recognition of the top GPAs at the end of winter term.

Multi-Year Scholarships

Linn County Kennel Club Scholarship

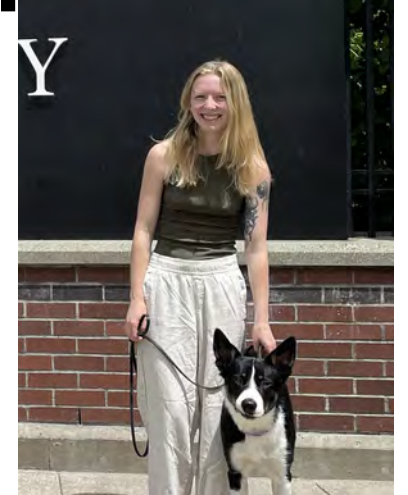
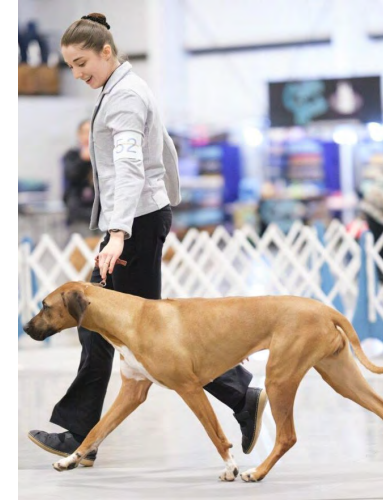
Recipients

Madison Edmunds (2028)

Alyssa Premo (2027)

Madelyn Gomez (2026)

This award is presented to a student who is an Oregon resident with an interest in small animal medicine and purebred dogs. Linn County Kennel club is a non-profit organization founded to further the advancement of all purebred dogs.



Benny Garver Endowed Scholarship



Recipients

Isabelle Cameron (2029)

Bryan McCrindle (2028)

Greyson Jenkins (2027)

Matthew Gilbert (2026)

This scholarship was endowed by alum Sara Garver ('18) and her husband Mitch in the name of their beloved Boxer Benny.



Camden Scholarships

Recipients

Amanda Tang (2026)
**Stephanie Deam Parks
(2027)**
Meagan Bezin (2028)
Glen Morgan (2029)

Ms. Rebecca Camden provides this scholarship to assist students with their veterinary medicine educational expenses.



Zoetis Animal Health Veterinary Student Scholarship



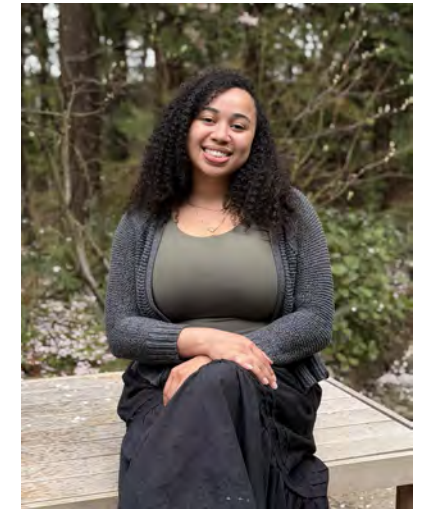
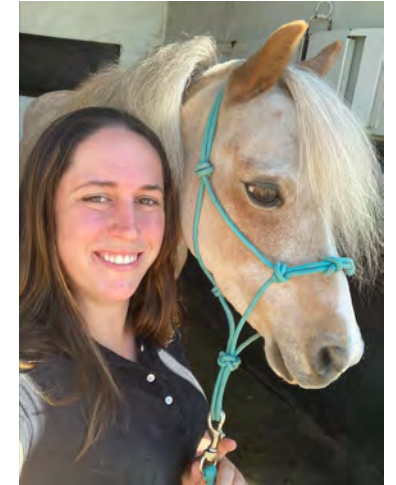
Class of 2028 Recipients

Makayla Clawson Katja Erringer

Jessica Johnson

Class of 2027 Recipients

Kayla Stone Alyssa Spires



The American Veterinary Medical Foundation's Grants and Awards Scholarship subcommittee selected the following students to receive the Zoetis Animal Health Veterinary Student Scholarship. The subcommittee based its decision on academic excellence, leadership, diversity, and potential to contribute to the sustainability of the veterinary profession.



OSU SAVMA - Dr. Karyn E Bird Leadership Award

Recipient
Naomi Wild
(Class of 2028)

This award is given to a student who has shown outstanding leadership within the Carlson College of Veterinary Medicine.



SAVMA Alternative Experiences in Veterinary Medicine Scholarship



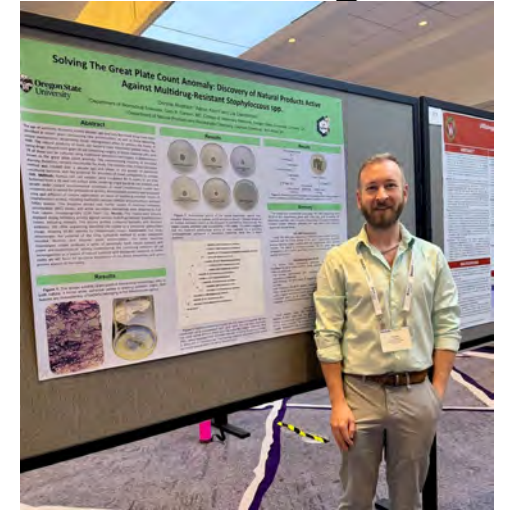
Recipients

Donnie Alverson (2027)

Greyson Jenkins (2027)

Alejandra Ortega (2028)

These awards are intended for students interested in sharing their experiences and future career goals in non-traditional areas of the veterinary profession. Interest in wildlife, zoo and aquarium medicine, exotic and pocket pet medicine, lab animal medicine, research, disaster relief, international veterinary care, veterinary education, mental health and wellness, and various other areas of veterinary medicine is the focus of these awards.



Graduate Student/House Officer Awards

Graduate Student Research Award

Recipient Simran Nagi

This award is to recognize a graduate student demonstrating excellence in research.

Simran's research interests focus on wildlife medicine, diseases affecting wildlife species, and the impacts of multi-disease epidemiology on wild populations.



Outstanding House Officer Award

Recipient

Dr. Kae Shigihara

To recognize one House Officer, elected, by voting of the senior class, as outstanding in their contributions of time and expertise as a teacher and mentor.

Student comment: Dr. Shigihara is a wonderful veterinarian to work under and an amazing teacher. She never makes her students feel dumb or silly for asking questions or not knowing the right answer, and is great at guiding students to the correct line of thinking when they may not have the 100% correct thoughts. She is confident, funny, fun to be around, welcoming, and makes a stressful and difficult rotation fun for everyone no matter their interests in veterinary medicine. Dr. Shigihara deserves all the awards, and she will benefit her next practice or academic institute in amazing ways.



Outstanding Resident Award

Recipient

Dr. Kae Shighihara

To recognize one resident, as outstanding in their performance in a clinical setting, excellence in teaching and research, and overall collegiality.

Dr. Shighihara is an exceptional clinician who functions at the level of a colleague, a dedicated and effective educator and a productive scholar who has balanced a prospective clinical trial with bench research, a major retrospective publication and successful completion of Phase I board all during her residency.



Faculty Awards

New Investigator Award

Recipient Dr. Holly Arnold

The New Investigator Award recognizes the research potential of an early-career faculty member who is making good progress toward establishing a research program with an international reputation for excellence.

Dr. Arnold is a DVM/PhD alum and has been an assistant professor in Biomedical Sciences for the past 2.5 years. Her research focus is on linking the microbiome to ecosystems, with a long-term aim of improving human and animal health.



CCVM Excellence in Teaching Awards

Recipients

Jennifer Johns
Lauren Newsom
Nova Prince-Kelly
Kate Scollan
Stacie Summers
Constance White
Lilian Wong



The CCVM Excellence in Teaching Award is given to the top faculty members nominated by each of the four classes for their excellence in teaching.

Zoetis Distinguished Teacher Award



Recipient Dr. Alis Fogarty

This award recognizes faculty excellence in teaching. The purpose of the award is to improve Veterinary Medical education by recognizing outstanding instructors who, through their teaching, dedication, and leadership, contribute significantly to the advancement of the profession.

Dr. Fogarty is a CVM alum (Class of 2010) and has been a clinical skills instructor at the CCVM for the past 2.5 years.

Student comment:

“She is an absolutely exceptional teacher who goes above and beyond for her students. She is empathetic, patient, and radiates kindness in everything she does. Her calm, encouraging presence during surgery labs makes a world of difference. She truly feels like a steady light in an otherwise stressful setting. I can't imagine learning surgery without her, and I know she has had an incredible impact on my confidence and growth. Dr. Fogarty is a true gem, and we are so lucky to have her.”



Zoetis Research Excellence Award



Recipient Dr. Anna Jolles

The Zoetis Award for Research Excellence fosters innovative research by recognizing outstanding research effort and productivity.

In her research she studies the effects of bovine tuberculosis in buffalos, transmission of Aspergillosis in sea fans, transmission and immunologic effects of parasite infections in buffalos, effect of virus infection in Big Horn sheep in California. Her work has been published in numerous prestigious journals and her research has brought in millions of dollars to the college.



Additional Scholarships Awarded

- A B Lewis Student Assistance Fund
- Anna Conley Trust Veterinary Medicine Scholarship
- Benedict Vet Med Education Fund
- CCVM Scholarship
- Dale and Alene Moulton Scholarship
- Emery & Agnes Kern Memorial Scholarship
- George and Edna McDowell Scholarship
- George & Gretia Spaur Scholarship
- Glenna H. Corson OSU Veterinary Medicine Scholarship
- John and Pearl Casovia Scholarship
- John W. DeMuth, Jr. Veterinary Medicine Scholarship
- Jolie Cobbs Scholarship
- Lois Acheson Scholarship
- Richard B & Elsie Millard Lawton Scholarship
- Ruth Thompson Scholarship
- Salsbury Veterinary Medicine Scholarship

Gary R. Carlson, MD College of Veterinary Medicine

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