Wildlife Conservation Society/Bronx Zoo One-Year Veterinary Technician Internship

The Wildlife Conservation Society (WCS)/Bronx Zoo has available a one year veterinary technician internship for a successful candidate to be trained as a specialized zoo and wildlife veterinary technician. The program will consist of one year of full-time employment for a graduate veterinary technician. During training, the intern will be primarily based at the Wildlife Health Center on the grounds of the Bronx Zoo, and also rotate through WCS’s other zoos (Central Park, Queens, and Prospect Park Zoos) and the New York Aquarium. The intern’s training will include participation in all facets of the Zoological Health Program’s medical and surgical program and will be based in the Clinical Laboratory located in the Wildlife Health Center. The training will be provided by our veterinary technicians and veterinarians and result in a fully trained experienced veterinary technician who can assume a leadership role as a zoological veterinary technician in the zoo, aquarium, or wildlife professions upon successful completion of the program. Annual salary is $30,000 and includes benefits as a full time WCS employee. Pre-requisites include NY state veterinary technician licensure or license eligibility; graduation with a veterinary technician degree prior to initiation of employment; previous experience working with small and/or large animals and/or exotics, with preference given for experience in a zoological institution; and ability to work effectively in a complex, multi-veterinarian, multi-technician health care setting.

Program dates: September 4, 2019 through August 2020
Application deadline: June 24, 2019

Please apply on-line at our website: wcs.org
Careers section (Veterinary Technician Intern One-Year)