

## Specialisation Committee Vetsuisse Faculty Bern:

### Ruminant Medicine (Focus on Individual Animal Care)

Partial training for the title of “Fachtierarzt/Fachtierärztin für Wiederkäuermedizin (FVH)”

#### Brief content description:

Practical training in internal medicine, surgery, obstetrics, gynaecology, and herd health management in ruminants (primarily cattle) with a focus on individual animal care. Additional short-term training in large animal radiology and anaesthesiology, as well as laboratory diagnostics in various institutes (elective). Scientific activity during designated research time (according to regulations of the Department of Clinical Veterinary Science): conducting a dissertation and/or writing case reports, delivering specialist and/or scientific presentations at continuing education events for veterinarians.

#### Duration and Location:

The duration of the training is 3 years, usually starting in spring or autumn (1-2 positions per year). Main location: stationary ruminant clinic; rotations in various departments including 3 months of herd health management.

#### Programme Objective:

The programme is recognised as **part of** the requirements for obtaining the title «Fachtierarzt/-tierärztin (FVH) in Ruminant Medicine» ([SVWASSR](#)). The 25 weeks of practice required by the FVH regulations in livestock practice cannot be completed at the ruminant clinic, but all other requirements of the FVH Ruminant Medicine can be fulfilled within the framework of the 3-year programme.

#### Requirements:

- \_ Recognised diploma in veterinary medicine
- \_ Proficiency in spoken and written **German and French**, good written English skills!

#### Publications:

[Publications ruminant clinic](#)

#### Open positions:

[Job offers ruminant clinic](#)

#### Links:

For more information about the clinic and the programme, as well as other useful links:

[Clinic website](#)

[Training programme information](#)

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