Opportunity Title: Institutional Animal Care Intern
Opportunity Reference Code: USAF-DGMC-CIF-2022-0001

Organization	U.S. Department of Defense (DOD)
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How to Apply	Click on *Apply* at the bottom of the opportunity to start your application.
Description	The U.S. Air Force David Grant Medical Center - Clinical Investigation Facility is offering a post-bachelor's internship at Travis Air Force Base.

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What will I be doing?

As an ORISE participant, you will join a community of scientists and researchers in an effort to support all 60th clinical investigation and research, to include human subjects, animal, and non-human/non-research protocols. Activities will focus on coordinating administrative/logistic programs for animal users and IACUC (Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee) members.

Why should I apply?

Under the guidance of a mentor, you will engage in a variety of research activities, including:

- Preparing IACUC-related mandatory reports
- Communicating directly with AAALAC International, USDA, and the applicable oversight offices as required for all matters pertaining to animal care and use program(s).
- Maintaining database of all animal use protocols and animal use for applicable reports
- Documenting and collecting protocol change requests by IACUC
- Submitting documents to Institutional Official (IO) in accordance with Animal Welfare Act Regulations (AWAR) and accreditation standards
- Maintaining record of reviews for IACUC reference, verification, and compliance with regulatory requirements
- Coordinating periodic review of all animal use protocols approved by IACUC in accordance with federal law and DoD regulations.

Where will I be located? Travis Air Force Base, California

What is the anticipated start date?

Exact start dates will be determined at the time of selection and in coordination with the selected candidate. Applications are reviewed on an ongoing basis and internships will be filled as qualified candidates are identified.
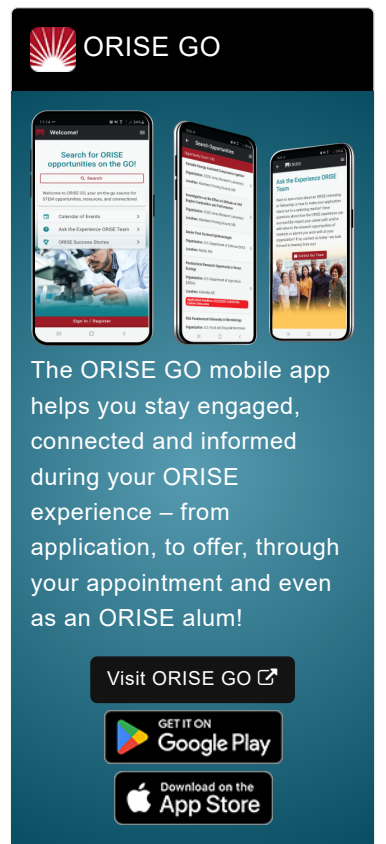
What is the appointment length?

Appointments are initially for one year with the option to extend the appointment for up to four additional years, contingent upon project needs and funding availability.

What are the benefits?

You will receive a stipend to be determined by USAF-DGMC-CIF. Stipends are typically based on a participant's academic standing, discipline, experience, and research facility location. Other benefits may include the following:

- Health Insurance Supplement (*Participants are eligible to purchase health insurance through ORISE)*
- Relocation Allowance
- Training and Travel Allowance

About USAF-DGMC-CIF

The 60th Medical Group, David Grant USAF Medical Center (DGMC) Clinical Investigation Facility (CIF), is one of 17 DHA Clinical Investigation Programs with formal clinical research programs and resources specifically designated to support such operations. The primary mission is to support DGMC personnel in the implementation of approved clinical investigation and training projects. The CIF provides oversight for and conducts cutting-edge research to meet the future needs of DoD (Department of Defense) medical readiness, en-route care, force protection, clinical medicine, and homeland defense initiatives. DGMC's primary mission is to provide Expert Research and Training to Support Graduate Medical Health Science Education, Clinical Capabilities, and DHA/AFMS-Relevant Clinical Investigations. The CIF supports 16 Graduate Medical Education Residency Programs and Line/DHP Readiness mission research requirements by addressing medical capability gaps to improve health outcomes. CIF engages in over 50 human/animal research protocols annually, a $2.0M O&M budget, $6M R&D budget and $4M gifts/grants research endowments. The CIF is a $20M/25K Sq Ft infrastructure facility with a diverse 40 member staff that includes physicians, nurses, scientists, technicians, veterinarian, animal care technicians, biostatisticians, and various support

personnel. http://www.airforcemedicine.af.mil/Organizations/Graduate-Medical-Education/Medical-Research

https://www.travis.af.mil/Units/Fact-Sheets/Article/855964/david-grant-usaf-medical-center-clinical-investigation-facility

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Qualifications The qualified candidate will have an associate's or bachelor's degree received within five years of the appointment start date.

Highly competitive applicants will have education and/or experience in one or more of the following:

- Research protocol support experience that includes Animal Care/Research
- Certified Professional in IACUC Administration (CPIA)

Application Requirements

A complete application consists of:

- Zintellect Profile
- Educational and Employment History
- Essay Questions (goals, experiences, and skills relevant to the opportunity)

- Resume (PDF)
- Transcripts/Academic Records - For this opportunity, an unofficial transcript or copy of the student academic records printed by the applicant or by academic advisors from internal institution systems may be submitted. Click here for detailed information about acceptable transcripts.
- Oner recommendation Your application will be considered incomplete and will not be reviewed until one recommendation is submitted. We encourage you to contact your recommender(s) as soon as you start your application to ensure they are able to complete the recommendation form and to let them know to expect a message from Zintellect. Recommenders will be asked to rate your scientific capabilities, personal characteristics, and describe how they know you. You can always log back in to your Zintellect account and check the status of your application.

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Eligibility Requirements	- **Citizenship:** U.S. Citizen Only
	- **Degree:** Associate's Degree or Bachelor's Degree received within the last 60 month(s).
	- **Discipline(s):**
	  - **Chemistry and Materials Sciences** (12 👁)
	  - **Communications and Graphics Design** (2 👁)
	  - **Computer, Information, and Data Sciences** (17 👁)
	  - **Earth and Geosciences** (21 👁)
	  - **Engineering** (27 👁)
	  - **Environmental and Marine Sciences** (14 👁)
	  - **Life Health and Medical Sciences** (48 👁)
	  - **Mathematics and Statistics** (11 👁)
	  - **Physics** (16 👁)
	  - **Science & Engineering-related** (2 👁)
	  - **Social and Behavioral Sciences** (28 👁)