

Our mission at Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine is to provide the best learning environment to prepare students to become members and leaders of the worldwide public and professional healthcare team, advancing human and animal health (One Health) through research and knowledge exchange.



GO WHERE YOU'VE NEVER GONE

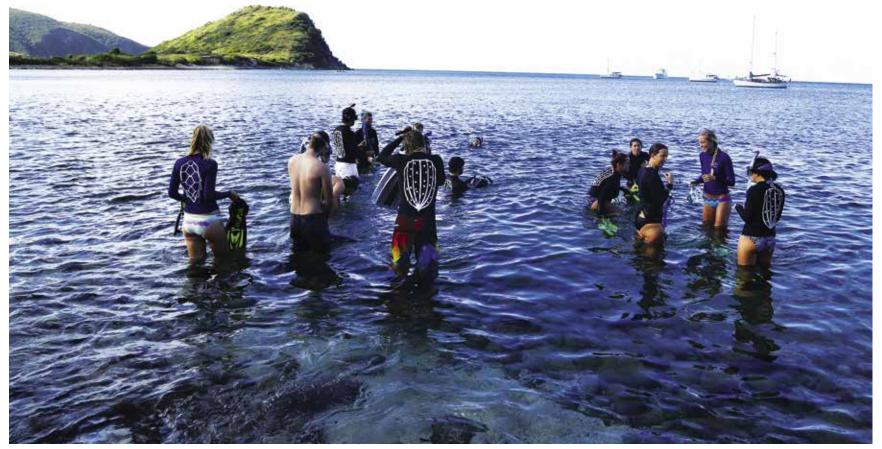


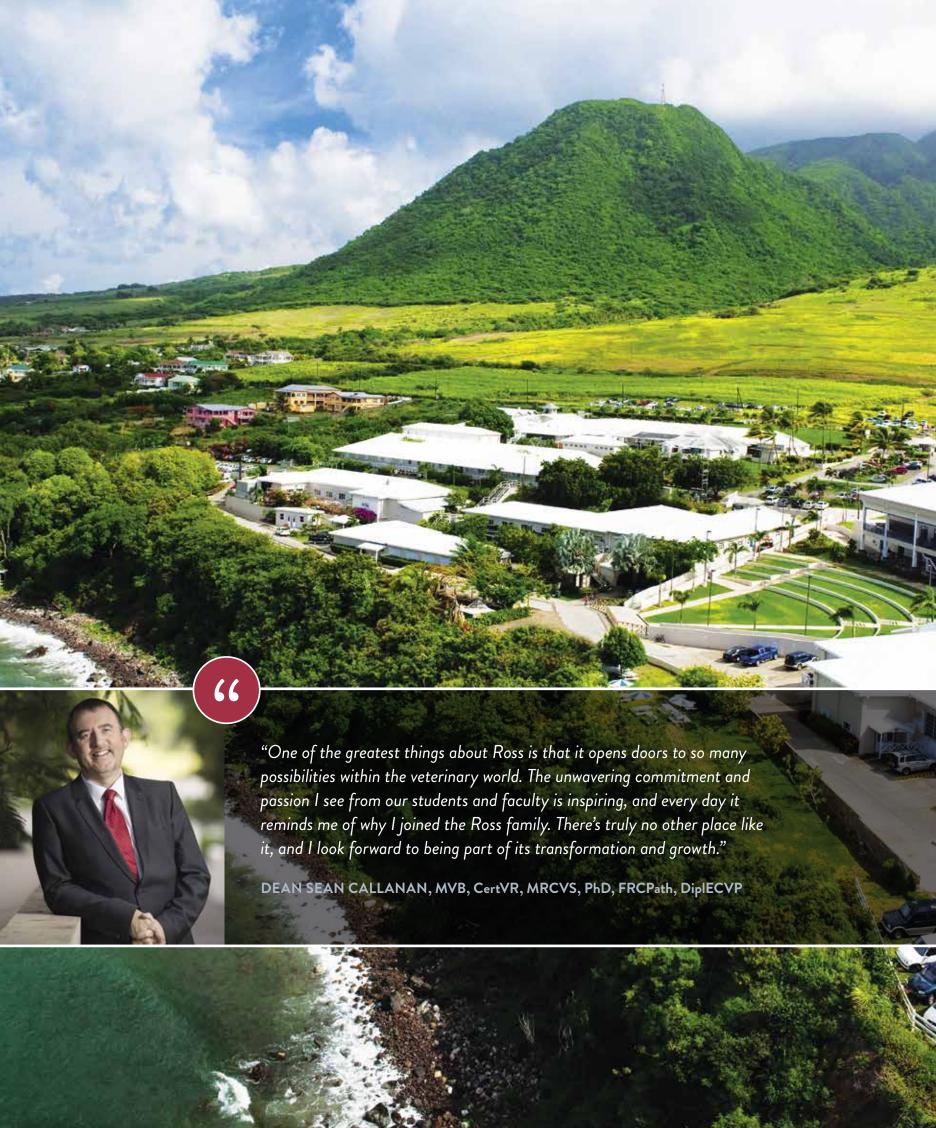
AN ISLAND RICH WITH OPPORTUNITIES

Under sunny skies, within a vivid landscape of glittering turquoise water and rainforest painted shades of vibrant green—where chattering monkeys, roaming cows, and exotic marine life call home—this is where your veterinary adventure can begin.

The campus of Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine is located on the island of St. Kitts in the West Indies, approximately 220 miles southeast of San Juan, Puerto Rico. Here in this unique tropical environment, students have the opportunity for an educational and cultural experience all at the same time.

Ross can help ignite your passion for veterinary medicine by challenging you to engage in something a little different. Step outside of the familiar, and into a whole new world of possibilities.





STEEPED IN HISTORY

St. Kitts' recorded history began after Christopher Columbus sailed past the island in 1493, followed by the first non-Spanish European colony settlement in 1624. Early inhabitants referred to their island as Liamuiga, or "fertile land"

due to St. Kitts' rich volcanic soil. Today, the 3,792-foot extinct volcano that goes by the name "Mt. Liamuiga" towers above the island's lush rainforests—a perfect geological landmark for tourists, students, and residents to climb.



ST. KITTS AT A GLANCE

PRIMARY LANGUAGE SPOKEN | English

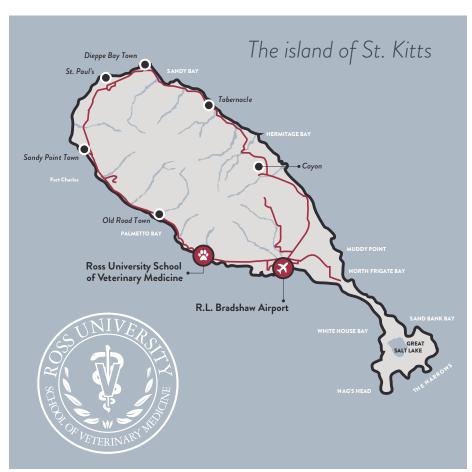
CURRENCY | Eastern Caribbean (EC) dollars

LOCAL TRAVEL | Taxi service, small buses, vans, and student shuttle. Many students also purchase cars on the island.

GOVERNMENT | St. Kitts and the neighboring island of Nevis make up the Federation of St. Christopher and Nevis, an English-speaking member of the British Commonwealth Nations.

COMMUNICATION | Cable television, telephone, and wireless networks.

ECONOMY | Primarily tourism, supplemented by agriculture.





On an island lined by windswept beaches with vistas of unspoiled natural splendor, and temperatures averaging 80 degrees year round, it can spark your passion for adventure outside of the classroom—and there's plenty to choose from.

It's time to explore:

BRIMSTONE HILL FORTRESS

This National Park (a UNESCO World Heritage Site) sits atop a hill nearly 800 feet high, and was man-made from hard volcanic rock beginning in the 17th century. It is a preserved historical fortification of cultural and architectural significance, and a "must see" site for tourists and residents alike.

ZIP-LINE TOURS

For a real sense of island adventure, you can zip-line above the St. Kitts rain forest, with a view of neighboring islands and historical sites via Sky Safari Tours.

ST. KITTS SCENIC RAILWAY

This railway, also called "The Last Railway in the West Indies" is a 3-hour tour that circles around the island of St. Kitts. Originally built in the early 1900s to transport sugar cane from plantations to Basseterre, this train tour now gives visitors a chance to experience views of the ocean, cliffs, small villages, farms, rain forests, and sugar cane fields, with Mt. Liamuiga's volcanic cone in the distance.

NEVIS HOT SPRINGS

For centuries, visitors have enjoyed the hot volcanic springs at Bath Village to treat various aches and pains. Nearby is the Bath Hotel, built in 1778 and the first luxury hotel in the West Indies.







JOIN THE CLUB

As a student at Ross, you'll have many opportunities to enrich your educational experience with extracurricular clubs and activities—we have more than two dozen active clubs on the St. Kitts Campus, more than 20 of which are recognized by SCAVMA.

These clubs include:

- Student Chapter of the AVMA (SCAVMA)
- American Association of Bovine Practitioners (AABP)
- American Association of Equine Practitioners (AAEP)
- American Society of Laboratory Animal Practitioners (ASLAP)
- Christian Veterinary Fellowship (CVF)
- Green Initiative Club
- Integrative Veterinary Medicine Club
- · One Health Club
- Pathology Club
- American Association of Small Ruminant Practitioners
- American Behavior Club/Student Chapter of the American Veterinary Society of Animal Behavior (SCAVSAB)
- Student Chapter of the American Veterinary Dental Society (SCAVDS)
- Student Chapter of the American Academy of Veterinary Nutrition (SCAAVN)
- Surgery Club

- Student Veterinary Emergency and Critical Care Society (SVECCS)
- Veterinary Business Management Association (VBMA)
- Volunteers for Intercultural and Definitive Adventure (VIDA), St. Kitts
- Veterinary Students as One in Culture and Ethnicity (VOICE)
- World Aquatic Veterinary Medical Association (WAVMA)
- Wildlife Disease Association (WDA)
- Zoo, Exotics, and Wildlife Medicine Club (ZEW Club)
- Kiteboarding Club
- People for Animal Welfare in St. Kitts (PAWS)
- ROSS Talk
- Saving Animals from Emergency (S.A.F.E.)
- SCUBA Club
- St. Kitts Sea Turtle Monitoring Network
- And more...











"[WAVMA] is my life. It holds me together, keeps me in check, and keeps the passion alive! Because I want to be an Aquatic Vet, it can be easy to get lost in the everyday cat/dog/horse/cow learning that goes on and it can be hard to keep my "eye on the prize." But WAVMA has weekly Marine Monday talks with professors and lecturers. It reminds me why I'm here. And having these professionals present their aquatics related research or expertise lets me know that I can get there too and there will be a place for me as an aquatic vet someday."

LARISSA MENKE, WAVMA VICE PRESIDENT, CLASS OF '19

"My pride [for belonging to student government] comes from seeing the events, initiatives and decisions impact Ross positively. I take great pride in the small things, such as being able to support and recognize initiatives of students on campus, watching the growing number of students who strive to go above and beyond in their respective passion as a result of the culture of empowerment and celebrating the achievements of my fellow Rossies. Being able to help my fellow Rossies succeed brings me great joy."

AFIFAH ABDUL RAHIM,
FORMER SCVMA PRESIDENT, CLASS OF '18





HERE, WE'RE ALL STUDYING ABROAD



"The first day landing in St.
Kitts, I was knocked down
by the heat and humidity (it
was August) and trying to figure out how I
would cope with all the changes that I would
experience in my temporary living situation
on this island. On my last day, I was saddened
that I was leaving my home, as that is what
the island had become."

KRISTA KELLER, DVM, Dipl ACZM '10











"When you come to Ross you don't only get a good education and the knowledge to go out into the world and become a doctor, but you also get an amazing cultural experience. You learn to 'rush slowly,' or take a step back, breathe life in a little deeper, and do things you never thought you would."

SARRAH CISNEROS, DVM '16



LIVE WHERE YOU LEARN

Located on the east side of campus by the Caribbean Sea, the University's Campus Living Residences offers rooms to approximately 140 students in five residences. As a new incoming student, you'll be required to live on campus for your first semester, unless approved to live off campus due to special circumstances. After your first semester, you'll then move to off-campus housing.

The residence hall names were chosen as a representation of the history of the island:

TEGREMAN HALL | Chief Tegreman (Early Inhabitant) 1600s; Leader of the Kalinago

COLUMBUS HALL | Christopher Columbus (Spanish) 1451–1506; Explorer

DOUGLAS HALL | Betto Douglas (African) 1774-18--; Symbol for Emancipation

WOODS HALL | Marcus of the Woods c.1834; Slave Who Fought for Freedom CLEGHORN HALL | Ralph Cleghorn (Kittitian) 1805-1842; Rights Activist, Businessman, Special Magistrate













A VETERINARY DEGREE WITH A DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVE

It isn't just our international location that makes Ross unique. It's our energetic students and how they embrace the experience. It's our dedicated faculty. It's our Ross family that we've formed together in our home away from home.

Above all else, it's our passion. Not just to help our students pursue a career in veterinary medicine, but to see the world from a different perspective and help save it, one animal, or one new idea at a time.





DOCTOR OF VETERINARY MEDICINE: ACCELERATING YOU TOWARD YOUR FUTURE

You likely spent four years or more completing your undergraduate degree. At Ross, you can earn your DVM and become a licensed veterinarian in three years and four months with our accelerated curriculum*.

Yes, that means less breaks between semesters, but it also means you can start making a difference in the world, sooner.

Our seven-semester preclinical curriculum blends classroom learning and hands-on interaction with animals early on in the program, helping prepare you for the final year of clinical training at one of Ross' affiliated veterinary schools. Our faculty members have outstanding credentials in teaching and research and share a passion for educating the veterinarians of tomorrow.

At Ross, the world is your classroom.

ROSS APPROVALS AND ACCREDITATIONS

- Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine's DVM degree program is accredited by the American Veterinary Medical Association Council on Education (AVMA COE).
- Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine's Clinic (RUVC) is accredited by the American Animal Hospital Association (AAHA).
- Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine is accredited by the St. Christopher & Nevis Accreditation Board, Ministry of Education to confer the degree of Doctor of Veterinary Medicine on its students who successfully complete the course of study. The Postgraduate Studies program is also accredited and offers Master of Science (MSc) and Doctoral (PhD) degrees in all research areas supported by Ross.

Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine confers a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM) degree which is accredited by the American Veterinary Medical Association Council on Education (AVMA COE), 1931 N. Meacham Road, Suite 100, Schaumburg, IL 60173, Tel: 800.248.2862. For more information visit https://www.avma.org/ProfessionalDevelopment/Education/Accreditation/Colleges/Pages/default.aspx.

Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine is currently under Probationary Accreditation with a major deficiency in one of 11 Standards, Outcomes Assessment.



EXPLORE MORE: veterinary.rossu.edu/accreditation

PRE-CLINICAL CURRICULUM

SEMESTER 1 & 2

The first two semesters of instruction focus on the basic biomedical sciences to provide students with an understanding of the structure and function of the healthy animal.

SEMESTER 3 & 4

Focus on pathobiology in preparation for later clinical courses in medicine, surgery, anesthesia, theriogenology, and diagnostic imaging.

SEMESTER 5, 6 & 7

The Diseases are studied in detail and disease management is introduced with surgery and medicine of small and large animal species. During these semesters—the final ones on the Ross campus in St. Kitts—students gain hands-on experience in diagnosis and treatment of medical and surgical diseases in large and small animals.

CLINICAL CURRICULUM

SEMESTER 8-10

Upon completion of the pre-clinical curriculum, student return to the US and begin three semesters in core, elective and externship rotations at a Ross clinical affiliate.

CORE CLINICAL ASSIGNMENTS

Small animal medicine, small animal surgery, anesthesiology, emergency medicine, diagnostic imaging, diagnostic services (clinical pathology and morphologic pathology), large animal medicine.

ELECTIVE CLINICAL ASSIGNMENTS

May include, but are not limited to, theriogenology, neurology, dermatology, cardiology, emergency medicine, critical care, behavior, exotics, wildlife or zoological medicine, ophthalmology, orthopedic surgery, laboratory animal medicine or others as offered by the affiliate programs.

THE PATH TO VETERINARY LICENSURE

SEMESTERS 1-7

Pre-Clinical Studies St. Kitts Campus 28 Months

SEMESTERS 8-10

Clinical Training At a Ross-affliated veterinary hospital 45 Weeks Earn your Doctor of Veterinary Medicine Degree

LICENSURE

North American Veterinary Licensing Examination® (NAVLE)

LEARNING, THE PAWPAD WAY

What if you could learn the bone anatomy of a bovine, train yourself to recognize feline illnesses, and learn equine anesthesia administration—all on an iPad®?



That's the PAWPad: a comprehensive, interactive education platform loaded with campus resources and game-based learning apps that simulate real-life scenarios. The PAWPad is integrated with the Ross' curriculum, and it's designed to fit the way you learn—dynamically, visually, socially, and actively engaged both inside and outside the traditional classroom.

You were the inspiration for the PAWPad. That's why we partnered with the industry leaders Apple[®], Cisco[®], and LGN to bring you a platform that integrates classroom curricula and expert instruction with the highly interactive features of digital media—so you have the tools you need to steer the future.

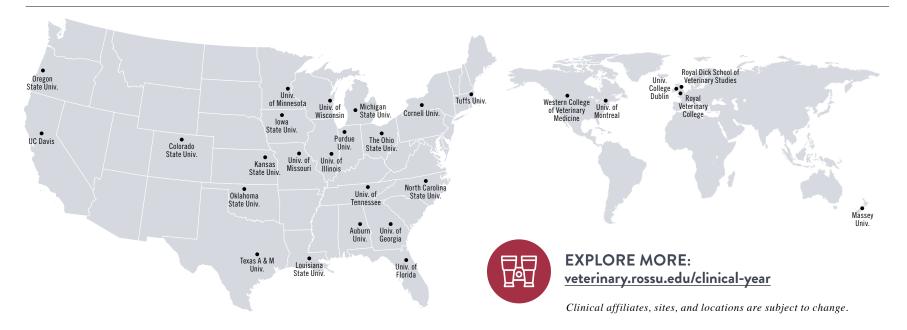


CLINICAL YEAR: UNIQUE IN DIVERSITY

The clinical year consists of three semesters at an AVMA-accredited school of veterinary medicine in the US, Canada, or international school affiliated with Ross. During this year, you'll take the same rotations, and will be evaluated and treated the same as our partner

school's own students, while remaining enrolled in and graduating from Ross. As our future colleagues in the veterinary profession, both Ross and our partner schools work hard to help prepare you for life after graduation.

ROSS VET IS PROUD TO BE AFFILIATED WITH 28 AVMA ACCREDITED SCHOOLS IN THE US, UK, CANADA, NEW ZEALAND, AND IRELAND



BIG HEARTS FOR SMALL ANIMALS



Ross University Veterinary Clinic (RUVC) is an AAHA-accredited clinic in St. Kitts that offers our students a chance to hone clinical skills, and become involved in animal care in a real-life setting. Our clinic provides a wide range of medical and surgical services for small animals owned by local residents, such as preventative care, dental care, spay and neuter, and emergency care.







TAKE A WALK ON THE WILD SIDE, DISCOVER YOUR STORY

SARRAH CISNEROS, DVM '16

Even back when she was young and catching lizards in her backyard in Brownsville, TX, Sarrah Cisneros knew the world was a much bigger place. She couldn't wait to be a part of it—and had a good feeling Ross could help get her there.

"Wildlife is my passion, and I knew I wanted to travel and didn't want to be in the states any longer, so I figured 'why not?' so I applied to Ross and I got in. It was one of the best decisions I think I've ever made. It was a whole new adventure."

Moving to St. Kitts was just the beginning of that adventure.

In her third semester, Sarrah signed up to go to Africa through SA WorldVets, and has since traveled to numerous countries around the world to work with animals that include: rhinoceros, elephants, endangered cockatoos, platypuses, monkeys, and lions.

She was even en route to Kenya to watch the wildebeest migration when she found out she would be doing her clinical year at Murdoch University in Perth, Australia.

"I've had the chance to travel to places and live in places that I don't think I ever would have been able to go to until I came to [Ross]. I've been able to work with wildlife that a lot people would probably never see."

For Sarrah, it was Ross that allowed her to explore the world with new eyes, to discover what's possible. And for that, she is forever thankful for her time as a student.

"It changed me for the better. As a student, it's one of the best experiences that you're going to receive in life. You're going to develop a family, you're going to develop a relationship with the island, and you're going to come out with amazing knowledge and an opportunity to go wherever you want to go in life."









ORIGINALLY FROM: Brownsville, TX

OTHER LANGUAGES BESIDES ENGLISH: Some Spanish & Afrikaans

NUMBER OF COUNTRIES TRAVELED TO: 20+

NUMBER OF STAMPS ON PASSPORT SINCE JOINING ROSS: Passport is filled!

FAVORITE ANIMAL: White rhino

FAVORITE FOOD IN ST. KITTS: Wahoo Bagels at Gallery Café

BEST SPOT TO STUDY ON CAMPUS: Anywhere outside

BEST SPOT TO STUDY OFF CAMPUS: The beach



DARE TO BE DIFFERENT, SEE HOW





Krista Keller, now an avian and exotic animal veterinary specialist, gives credit to her time spent in St. Kitts and Ross in discovering a specialty she was passionate about—all thanks to the unique opportunities on and off campus.

"Non traditional species always interested me, but a pivotal point in the decision to choose that route as a career was spending two weeks [during semester break] at a conservation medicine course in African wildlife in South Africa. We did anesthesia, surgery, diagnostics, restraint, and so much more on a huge variety of species including elephants, rhinos, and Nile crocodiles, it was *amazing*."

When it comes to your passion, Dr. Keller says to go outside your comfort zone to find it.

"Chances are; you're going to find something else nobody else has a passion for. You'll discover different opportunities. I can't imagine doing anything else."

ORIGINALLY FROM: Maine

OTHER LANGUAGES BESIDES ENGLISH: Some French

NUMBER OF COUNTRIES TRAVELED TO: 8

FAVORITE ANIMAL: Southern ground-hornbill

FAVORITE FOOD IN ST. KITTS: Gorgonzola gnocchi at Ciao restaurant in Frigate Bay
FAVORITE OUTDOOR ACTIVITY IN ST. KITTS: Hashes (monthly hike in a different part
of the island)

BEST SPOT TO STUDY ON CAMPUS: Stairway to the sea



LIKE A FISH TO WATER: DIVING INTO VETERINARY MEDICINE

LARISSA MENKE, CLASS OF '19

Even though Larissa Menke always knew animals would be part of her future, because they had always been part of her past, it wasn't until college that she truly found her love for marine life.

"It took a few years for my ambitions and goals to mature. I switched majors from biology to marine science and it was the best decision I ever made because I discovered a passion I didn't realize I always had. It lit the fire underneath me to keep pursuing vet med so I can later become an Aquatic Veterinarian."

And what better place to study marine life than Ross, she says.

"This aquatic focus helped me make my decision to attend Ross. Situated in the middle of the Caribbean, a marine science lover's paradise, what could be better? How many vet students can say they get to go SCUBA diving on weekends to de-stress? For me, the ocean beats being land-locked any day!"









EXPECTED GRADUATION DATE: January 2019

SEMESTER: 3rd

ORIGINALLY FROM: Tampa, FL

NUMBER OF COUNTRIES TRAVELED TO: 4

NUMBER OF STAMPS ON PASSPORT SINCE JOINING ROSS:

3 (St. Kitts, Belize, Guatemala)

FAVORITE ANIMAL: Manatee

FAVORITE FOOD IN ST. KITTS: Lionfish

BEST ON CAMPUS SPOT TO STUDY: Meditation Dock down by the ocean or at home with my kitten, Indie

STUDENT CLUBS: WAVMA, SCAVDS, SCUBA club,

Country Western Dance Club



DIFFERENT EXPERIENCE, ONE COMMON GOAL

MATTHEW MARQUIS, CLASS OF '18

"Ross has given me the opportunity other schools wouldn't give me. A lot of people think they are missing out on something by not being in the states, but you're not. You are missing out by not being here, by not getting to experience a different country, by not having the teachers we have here."

With aspirations to go into surgery, and eventually wildlife medicine after graduation, Matthew is thankful for the support he's received from Ross thus far.

"What really drives you through it is the fact that you have so many people here with you trying to get to that same goal. We all have that one thing in common. We are all here together, and we've formed a family that helps push each other through."







EXPECTED GRADUATION DATE: January 2018

SEMESTER: 6th

ORIGINALLY FROM: Woolwich Township, NJ NUMBER OF COUNTRIES TRAVELED TO: 7

NUMBER OF STAMPS ON PASSPORT SINCE JOINING ROSS: 10+ FAVORITE ANIMAL: Snow leopard

FAVORITE FOOD IN ST. KITTS: Spiny lobster best on Campus spot to Study: The library

STUDENT CLUBS: SCAVMA Student Representative, SCUBA Club, Surgery Club



VETERINARY MEDICINE CAN BE YOUR PASSPORT TO POSSIBILITIES

Where can your DVM take you? With a combination of passion and hard work, anywhere you want it to.

There are exciting career opportunities that can await you in the veterinary field once you graduate—whether that's working in a small practice, continuing your training in a specialized internship or residency leading to board certification, working in research or academia, or becoming a practitioner in the public sector—you can find a career that fits your interests.

Do what you love while positively impacting global health. A career in veterinary medicine provides the opportunity to contribute to both animal and human health, food quality and safety, food security, behavior, biomedical research, wildlife and environmental health. Studying animal life and disease ultimately helps to improve our understanding of human life and disease.

"The cool thing I didn't realize about veterinary medicine was how varied of a path you can take. You hear about things like lab animal medicine and public health, but you can also go into animal welfare, general practice, large animal, small animal, equine, public policy, or research and you can study and work anywhere in the world."

SCOTT KIDD, DVM '13





PASSION FOR PUTTING STUDENTS FIRST

At Ross, our professors' doors are always open to you, because they want you to become the best veterinarian you can be.

Our faculty has outstanding credentials as veterinarians, teachers, and researchers, and pursue a broad variety of advances in veterinary medicine, public health, conservation, and government to shape the face of medical science worldwide. And they're passionate about passing on that knowledge to you.



"In traditional classes in veterinary school, you are lucky if you get one class on exotic animals. But I had instructors who were willing to come in on their lunch hours to give a lecture on the work they'd done on an exotic species. One professor even did a six-lecture series after class. Without that, I wouldn't have had as much preparation as I did coming out of school."

RIC BERLINSKI, DVM '03







IF THIS IS YOUR PASSION, GO ALL IN

Your veterinary education shouldn't have limits. In addition to the DVM program, you may also take advantage of earning a research degree at the same time.

DUAL DEGREES: DVM/MSC RESEARCH

Ross' dual degree options provide our students the opportunity to develop their research experience and interests while building on other research activities that are part of the DVM curriculum. The core requirement for the Masters by Research degree is the completion of a substantial research project that is written up as a thesis.



This intensive 11-semester program provides our DVM students the same opportunity as our intercalated MSc by Research degree program, with an accelerated curriculum. In addition to your DVM studies, as a student researcher, you will:

- Focus on a topic specific to one of our four Research Centers, working alongside research-active staff and students, while supervised by faculty members
- Receive research training and preparation for your research project, which is fully integrated in semesters 1-3 prior to dedicating a full semester to the conduct of research
- Complete data analysis and thesis preparation, which will take place in the last 4 semesters, in addition to DVM requirements



This 13-semester program provides our DVM students the opportunity to develop their research experience and interests while building on other research activities that are part of the DVM curriculum. As a student, you will:

- Undertake a project specific to one of our four Research Centers, working with our research-active community, with supervision of faculty members
- Have the opportunity to fully immerse yourself in research for three semesters, including training and preparation for your project

INVESTING IN YOUR FUTURE EDUCATION

This isn't just the cost of a Ross Vet education. This is an investment toward your future in veterinary medicine—from the moment you step foot on St. Kitts, to everything you aspire to do after.

FOR STUDENTS STARTING VET PREP OR SEMESTER 1 IN SEPTEMBER 2018 OR LATER

SEMESTER 1 IN SEPTEMBER 2018 OR LATER	VET PREP PROGRAM	DVM PROGRAM (PRE-CLINICAL/CLINICAL SCIENCES) ¹
Tuition Per Semester	\$18,859	\$20,304
Education Resource Fee ⁴	\$0	\$780
Student Government Association Fee per semester ⁶	\$24	\$24
Student AVMA Fee per semester ⁷	\$0	\$16
Health Insurance Fee per semester	\$766	\$766
Student Visa Processing Fee (one-time) 5	_	\$150

On-Campus Housing	Damage Deposit ²	\$250
Vet Prep Program & Semester 1	Pet Deposit ³	\$250
Pre-Clinical students only— based upon availability	Dorm Facilities Fee	\$110
	Efficiency, Single Occupant	\$4,235
	Two Bedroom, Double Occupant	\$3,203
	Two Bedroom, As a Couple	\$6,292
	Two Bedroom, Triple Occupant	\$2,934
	Total Charges	\$3,044 - \$6,402

Rates effective September 2018 and are subject to change without notice.

⁷ Student AVMA fee is applicable during Semesters 1–7 (pre-clinical).



¹ Please note that students that are repeating basic sciences coursework may be subject to tuition rates different than those listed above; Students repeating 1–4 credits pay 50% of the tuition listed and students repeating 5–7 credits pay 75% of tuition listed above. Please note that if you need to remediate any clinical coursework, you may be subject to additional fees charged by the clinical affiliate.

² Damage Deposit Fees less any damages incurred are refundable; see the Campus Living Handbook for additional information.

³ Pet Deposit is a non-refundable, one-time fee and will cover one pet up to 35 lbs.; see the Campus Living Handbook for additional information.

⁴ Education Resource Fee is a mandatory, one-time fee assessed in Semester 1 and is for the RUSVM PawPad initiative.

⁵ Students in their first semester or those attending the Vet Prep Program are assessed a one-time student visa processing fee of \$150.

⁶ Student Government Fee is applicable during the Vet Prep Program and Semesters 1–7 (pre-clinical).



YOUR DOORWAY TO A HIGH QUALITY VETERINARY EDUCATION

If you're passionate about veterinary education, we want to provide you with personalized financial support and counseling needed to make that education happen. Get in touch with

our financial aid office, and tell us about your financial situation—there are loan and scholarship opportunities that may benefit you, as they have so many other Ross students that came before you.

Contact our Office of Student Finance for more details: finaid@rossvet.edu.kn or call +1-732-509-2051.







SEE WHAT YOU'VE NEVER SEEN



TODAY'S QUESTIONS CAN BECOME TOMORROW'S ANSWERS

There's an entire world beyond the walls of private practice waiting to be discovered—waiting for committed individuals like you to make an impact on improving healthcare for future generations on a global scale.





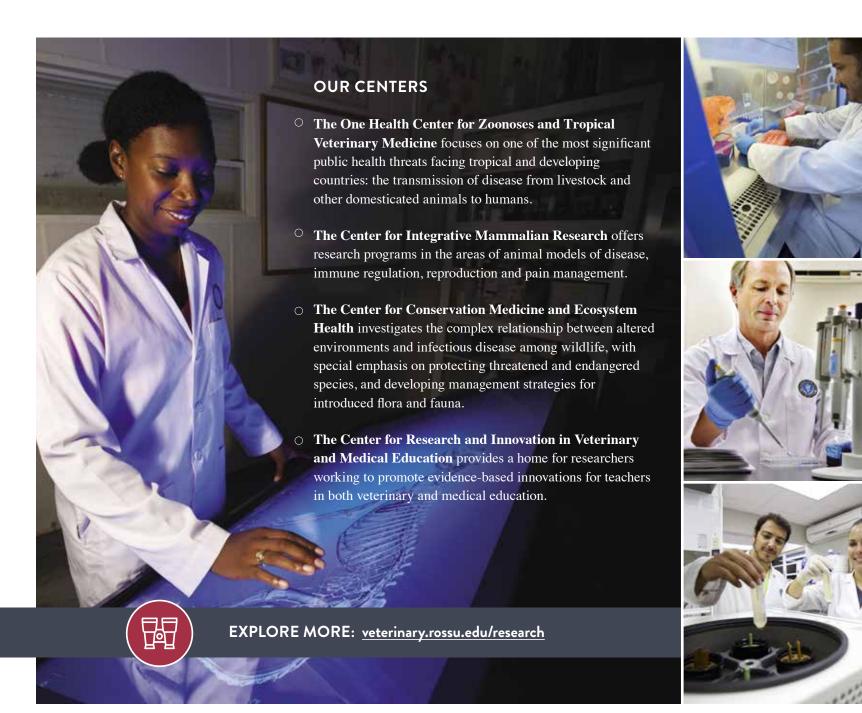
"The educational and research opportunities afforded by this relationship enforce the One Health concept of interconnectedness and will encourage our students to become leaders in the protection and promotion of planetary health."

A. LEE WILLINGHAM, ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR RESEARCH AND POSTGRADUATE STUDIES AT ROSS.



GLOBAL DISCOVERY FRONT & CENTER

Our research centers are built by powerful new ideas, and each one is a community of like-minded scientists collaborating on ambitious projects that could change the face of global medicine, for animals and humans alike.





MAKE AN IMPACT ON YOUR WORLD

With a postgraduate degree, you can take your educational experience to the next level to start making a difference on tomorrow, today.

MSc in One Health

One World, One Health, One Ross: Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine is committed to offering veterinarians, animal scientists, medical doctors, and biomedical and environmental scientists the opportunity to gain an in-depth understanding of One Health and Ross' transdisciplinary approach to assessing and sustainably reducing the burden of zoonoses and other diseases affecting livestock production and health—empowering them with greater potential to have a positive impact on the economic growth, health and food security, and alleviation of poverty in tropical and resource constrained countries.

Ross' MSc in One Health degree program:

- Is well suited for professionals working in public health, veterinary medicine and environmental health, as well as biomedical scientists and researchers
- Features 100% online course delivery with a 1-week residency
- Provides **flexible learning options**: Study 1-year full time or 2-3 years part time
- Provides students the opportunity to focus on an area of interest, such as food safety, vector borne diseases, zoonotic infections or conservation medicine.

The MSc in One Health degree program culminates in a required research project and thesis.

MSc by Research

The master of science (MSc) by research degree program is based on supervised research over a period of one year full-time or a maximum of 24 months part-time. The MSc Research degree is most likely to benefit applicants going on to pursue a doctoral degree.

As a postgraduate researcher, MSc candidates will be supervised by experienced faculty and focus on a topic specific to one of Ross' four Research Centers including but not limited to Public Health, Global Animal Health, Tropical Animal Health, and Conservation Medicine. Postgraduate students will be expected to show they can deliver and manage their research project and advance knowledge within their chosen discipline. The core requirement for a research degree is the completion of a substantial research project that is written up as a thesis, not exceeding 30,000 words.

PhD by Research

The doctor of philosophy (PhD) degree consists of three years (9 semesters, full-time) of original research making a significant contribution to knowledge in the field of study.

As a postgraduate researcher, PhD candidates will be supervised by experienced faculty and focus on a topic specific to one of Ross' four Research Centers including but not limited to Public Health, Global Animal Health, Tropical Animal Health, and Conservation Medicine. PhD candidates will be expected to demonstrate the capacity to pursue original research in the field of study and to present the results in a critical and scholarly way.

The PhD degree can be undertaken as a joint PhD with a small number of international higher education partners.





STUDENT OVERVIEW

ETHNICITY

White | 58%

Hispanic or Latino | 18%

Asian | 6%

Black or African American | 3%

Two or More Races | 1%

American Indian or Alaskan Native | > 1%

Not Reported | 13%

STUDENT BIRTH NATIONS

Brazil Canada Japan

Mexico

United Kingdom

United States

Venezuela

Ecuador

Germany

India

Philippines

Peru

Singapore

GENDER

Female | 70%

Male | 19%

Not Reported | 11%

Based on fall 2017 semester enrolled students.



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