

Animal Welfare Officer (20 to 50 %) Ref. AWO01

The Institute of Molecular and Clinical Ophthalmology Basel (IOB) is seeking a highly motivated **Animal Welfare Officer**.

The Animal Welfare Officer will support several research groups and an animal facility at the IOB. IOB is a research institute combining basic and clinical research. Its mission is to drive innovations in understanding vision and its diseases and develop new therapies for vision loss. It is a place where your expertise will be valued, your abilities challenged, and your knowledge expanded.

Your responsibilities

- Provide support for planning and execution of animal experiments
- Provide technological, administrative support and content review for experimental permit applications
- Provide administrative support for reporting and direct engagement with the cantonal veterinary office
- Teaching, maintaining and ensuring good laboratory animal practice
- Train research support personnel and oversee their work
- Ensure compliance with institutional, cantonal, and federal regulatory policies, procedures and directives
- Coordinate breeding, experimental work with IOB animal facility team
- Assist IOB communication team

Requirements

- Degree (or equivalent) in veterinary medicine, life sciences or biomedical research with strong emphasis on in vivo experimental biology
- Minimum 5 years of experience
- Knowledge of animal experimentation and related Swiss regulations
- Knowledge of cantonal regulatory policies and procedures is preferable
- Highly organized, detail-oriented, problem solving personality
- Good written, verbal communications, interpersonal and stress management skills
- Self motivated, team oriented working style
- Fluency in oral and written English and German

We offer

- Highly competitive conditions in a dynamic and international research community in Basel
- IOB is an equal-opportunity employer with family-friendly work policies

Application / Contact

Interested candidates should submit their application documents as a single PDF file to jobs@iob.ch. Please indicate the position you are applying for by writing the reference number (AWO01) on the subject line. For further information, please visit our website www.iob.ch.