

# THE HR TIMES

Department of Veterinary Medicine

April 2017

## A big welcome to the Department...

Dr Arijit Kumar Das – Research Associate with  
Professor Bryant's research group.

Ewa Baronowska – Junior Clinical Training Scholar  
Equine

Hamish Morrin – Veterinary Radiographer

## Goodbye to....

Sean Langton

Dr Heike Rudorf

Dawn Sutton

Victoria Argent

## Congratulations

Marie-Aude Genain who starts her role as a Clinical Radiologist from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2017. Marie-Aude has just completed a Senior Clinical Training Scholarship in Diagnostic Imaging with the Department.

Helen Blamires who commenced her role as Deputy Head Theatre Nurse from 20<sup>th</sup> March 2017.

## Current Recruitment

We are currently recruiting for the following roles in the Department:

Research Assistant/Research Associate with Dr  
Alison Mather and Professor James Wood

Junior Clinical Veterinarian – Neurology

Junior Clinical Veterinarian – Diagnostic Imaging

Junior Clinical Veterinarian – Anaesthesia

We are currently recruiting for the following  
scholarships in the Department:

JCTS Equine

JCTS Farm Animal and Production x2

SCTS in Anaesthesia

You can find out more about these roles at  
<http://www.jobs.cam.ac.uk>

## **A warm welcome to Dr Jonathan Powell and the Biomineral Research Group**

With effect from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2017, Dr Jonathan Powell and his research group have transferred to the Department of Veterinary Medicine under Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations (TUPE).

Members of the group are:

Jonathan Powell

Ravin Jugdaohsingh

Nuno Faria

Rachel Hewitt

Carlos Passos-Bastos

Dagmar Koller

William Thom

We would like to welcome them all to the Department.

The group will be housed in the former clinical pathology area and workshop which is currently being refurbished.

Workshop can now be found to the rear of the PM room. Contact details remain the same.

## **Easter Break**

A reminder that the Easter break is this month. Good Friday is 14<sup>th</sup> April and Bank Holiday Monday is the 17<sup>th</sup> April 2017.

## **Leadership Essentials Training**

The Department have organised for Jessie Monck from Personal and Professional Development (PPD) to attend the Department to run 2 cohorts of Leadership Essentials course.

This is a fantastic opportunity and we are very fortunate to have PPD's support to run this in-house.

Invitations have been sent to the relevant individuals in the Department and we ask that you book onto the sessions as soon as possible.

## **Simple Relaxation**

Having recently attended a "Stress, Relaxation and Coping" course held by the University Counselling Service, I wanted to share with you all an information document on "simple relaxation" (attached to the email).

The leaflet provides information on the following:

- Spotting undue levels of tension
- Simple physical relaxation techniques for your hands, shoulders and face
- Relaxation and sleep
- Building relaxation into everyday life