Position available: Professor and Director of the Veterinary Medicine Teaching and Research Center (VMTRC).

Position is located at the VMTRC in Tulare, CA (Tenure-track Position).

Salary dependent on qualifications and experience.

Appointment effective as soon as suitable candidate is identified.

Veterinarian with advanced training in livestock, with emphasis on dairy production medicine, food
safety, food defense and biosecurity; board certification in the American College of Veterinary Preventive Medicine (ACVPM) or equivalent; and, specialist in epidemiology and a PhD or advanced training in epidemiology and preventive medicine.

Must have a documented record of an independent research program in production medicine; demonstrated aptitude/experience in clinical instruction of DVM students and/or residents in production medicine; demonstrated ability to develop creative instructional programs for professional students in the classroom, laboratory and in production units; demonstrated clinical administrative experience and effective leadership; and, must possess excellent interpersonal and communication skills and a demonstrated ability to work with others in a collegial team atmosphere.

Administration: The Director shall be the chief administrative officer for the VMTRC. Responsible, with the Associate Dean for Clinical Programs at the VMTRC, for all administrative matters, including strategic planning, personnel and material management, business procedures, budgeting and fiscal management. The Director shall report directly to the Dean of the School of Veterinary Medicine.

Teaching: Responsibilities include: 1) participation in lectures and laboratories in the DVM/MPVM professional curriculum; 2) clinical teaching at the VMTRC; 3) participation in the graduate clinical (resident) training program of the VMTRC; and, 4) participation in the graduate academic programs (MS and PhD) of the campus.

Clinical: Individual will be expected to provide senior leadership for the clinical programs of the VMTRC, including mentorship of junior faculty and residents in dairy production medicine. The individual will be responsible for directing, instructing and supervising veterinary students and residents; providing health care and service to animal enterprises, especially large dairies; and, advising and consulting with referring veterinarians and clients.

Research: The development of a creative, independent and productive basic and/or clinically-oriented research program in livestock production medicine and epidemiology is a fundamental and indispensable requirement of the position, including publication of results in professional/scientific journals. The individual will provide leadership in directing research projects of residents and graduate students.

Service: University and public service, through committee work, participation in professional organizations, continuing education and other appropriate means, is required.

To receive fullest consideration, applications must be received by March 31, 2010. Position open until filled.
Interested applicants should submit: 1) a letter of intent, outlining special interest in the position, overall related qualifications and experience and career goals; 2) curriculum vitae; and, 3) the names and addresses of three professional references, to:

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