

The Campaign

for the Center for Veterinary Technology

Building upon a tradition of academic excellence, and with a firm commitment to a quality academic program with an exciting potential for growth, Mount Ida College has announced plans to construct a new, \$5 million Center for Veterinary Technology. This new building will feature state-of-the-art laboratory, surgery, and instructional facilities that will ensure that veterinary technology students will acquire the skills they will need to pursue a rewarding career caring for animals. The veterinary technology program at Mount Ida College currently has a 100% placement rate and employment opportunities for veterinary technologists are expected to increase by 41% over the next eight years. This vital new facility will significantly enhance the educational experience of veterinary technology students, and will enable Mount Ida to increase enrollment to meet workforce demands in the rapidly changing field of animal care.



The new building will enable Mount Ida College to achieve the following objectives:

- Increase enrollment in the veterinary technology program
- Expand continuing education opportunities for currently practicing vet techs
- Continue to offer a curriculum that prepares graduates for the modern workforce

The increased space to house animals, such as a larger kennel and cat room, is essential if the program is to sustain expected increases in enrollment. The new laboratories and lecture space will make it possible for Mount Ida to offer continuing education programs that will enable working veterinary technologists to modernize their skills. The modern laboratories, surgical rooms, and new instructional spaces will ensure that the program's curriculum will continue to keep pace with rapid changes in the animal science field.

The veterinary technology program at Mount Ida College exemplifies what the College aspires to achieve in its academic programs. The more than 170 students enrolled in the program receive a unique education that blends the liberal arts with professional preparation. Graduates work with animals in a variety of settings, such as veterinary practices, animal hospitals, aquariums and zoos, as well as research institutes, pharmaceutical companies and biotechnology firms. The success of this program is vital to Mount Ida College and also to employers and animal lovers throughout the region.

In order to ensure that this program continues to thrive and will achieve its full potential, Mount Ida College has launched The Campaign for the Center for Veterinary Technology. This Campaign, led by a volunteer committee of alumni, corporate leaders, and college faculty and staff, aims to raise a minimum of \$2 million in philanthropic support for the new building. The College is reaching out to its loyal supporters – trustees, alumni, faculty and staff, students, families and friends, and corporate and private foundations – to help us reach this goal.



For more information about *The Campaign for the Center for Veterinary Technology*, and to make a pledge, please visit:

www.mountida.edu/ccvt, e-mail vettech@mountida.edu, or call the Mount Ida College Development Office at 617-928-4630.

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From Potential to **Achievement**

Naming Opportunities

in the Center for Veterinary Technology

Facility	Gift Amount
Center	\$1,000,000
Kennel	\$500,000
Microscope/Biology Laboratory	\$250,000
Lecture Classroom	\$250,000
Surgery Suite	\$150,000
Main lobby	\$125,000
Methods Laboratory 2	\$125,000
Radiology suite	\$100,000
Methods Laboratory 1	\$75,000
Cat Room	\$75,000
Large Animal Space	\$50,000
Faculty common area	\$50,000
Cage wash room	\$40,000
Food Preparation room	\$40,000
Dogs internal exercise space	\$40,000
Dogs exterior exercise space	\$25,000
Rodents Room	\$25,000
Rabbits Room	\$25,000
Post-recovery room	\$20,000
Post-recovery cage room	\$20,000
Flex Room 1	\$20,000
Flex Room 2	\$20,000
Faculty/Staff Offices (9)	\$10,000 each
Dog units	\$2,500 each
Cat units	\$2,500 each



Named tiles in the Donor Wall:	\$1,000 =	Gold Level
	\$500 =	Silver Level
	\$250 =	Bronze Level

*All donations of \$2,500 or more will be listed on the Master Donor Plaque in the main lobby. Pledges may be fulfilled over three years. Donations are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.



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