

# **Tuskegee University College of Veterinary Medicine (TUCVM)**

## **Office of the Associate Dean for Research and Advanced Studies (ADRAS)**

### **Graduate Students Frequently Asked Questions**

What research opportunities are available in the TUCVM?

Graduate faculty members in the TUCVM have research expertise in the following areas: infectious diseases, cancer, obesity, regulation of food intake, food safety, computational epidemiology, environmental toxicology, pharmacology, immunology, embryology, renal disease, and embryo transfer technology.

Does the office of the ADRAS assign students to research faculty?

No. During the first semester, the ADRAS is your temporary advisor. Students are responsible for finding a research faculty based on the students' research interest.

How do I find a mentor for my summer research or for my graduate thesis?

Research faculty profiles can be viewed by clicking the link listed below:

<https://www.tuskegee.edu/programs-courses/colleges-schools/cvm/cvm-adras-facultystaff>

Can I switch between Thesis and Non-thesis Options for my Master's in Veterinary Science?

There is a limited amount of Non-thesis slots. The ADRAS will decide if there are available slots to change to the Non-thesis option.

**When are the deadlines for registration, to drop or add a course, to apply for candidacy, or to apply for graduation?**

The university and graduate student deadlines can be found on the academic calendar and the Graduate Studies Research website by clicking the links listed below:

<https://www.tuskegee.edu/programs-courses/academic-calendar>

<https://www.tuskegee.edu/graduate-school>

**How many Credits am I allowed to transfer from another School or from my undergrad?**

Nine transfer credits are allowed. Transfer credits must be decided by the ADRAS and approved by the Dean of Graduate Studies.

**How do I know which courses to register for? How do I know if the courses are offered this semester?**

The program curriculum lists the courses. The courses offered for each semester is listed on Tigerweb registration section.

**Who is responsible for registering, adding and dropping courses?**

Each student is responsible for identifying the courses for the semester, communicating the professor/s who teach the course, and for registering. The ADRAS office will assist students with registering for the selected courses.