

# Laboratory Technician Training Program

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## Undergraduate Fellowship Opportunity at Kansas State University



### Summer Stipend Available

**Informational Meetings:** via Zoom, contact Dr. Joshua Willix ([jwillix@k-state.edu](mailto:jwillix@k-state.edu))

Monday, Nov. 15	1 p.m.
Thursday, Nov. 18	9 a.m.
Tuesday, Nov. 30	3 p.m.
Wednesday, Dec. 1	10 a.m.

See other dates online (below)

The Department of Diagnostic Medicine/Pathobiology in the College of Veterinary Medicine and the Biosecurity Research Institute (BRI) at Kansas State University are accepting applications for up to ten undergraduate fellowship positions. This U.S. Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (USDA APHIS) sponsored program is designed to build technical skills and expertise to fill the workforce needs of the Foreign Animal Disease Diagnostic Laboratory (FADDL) at the new National Bio and Agro-defense Facility (NBAF) in Manhattan, KS and the National Veterinary Services Laboratories (NVSL) in Ames, IA.

The NBAF Laboratorian Training Program (NLTP) will provide experience:

- Working with pathogens in a high containment environment
- Hands-on experience with assays and procedures used in a diagnostic laboratory
- Initial training for people interested in applying for technical positions with USDA APHIS or other veterinary laboratories.

- Must be a U.S. Citizen
- Must be entering junior or senior year of undergraduate study OR have recently graduated from an accredited undergraduate program with a degree in the field of biology, chemistry, microbiology, agriculture, or other related major
- **See full Required qualifications online (below)**

### Program Requirements

- Enroll in required summer courses through Kansas State University
- Participate in an eight-week training seminar June through July 2022 at BRI

**BRI**  
Biosecurity Research Institute



See complete application requirements at: [www.bri.k-state.edu/education/NLTP/index.html](http://www.bri.k-state.edu/education/NLTP/index.html)

All application materials must be received by 11:59 p.m. CT, January 5, 2022.