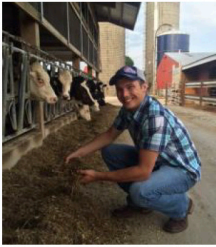


# PURDUE ANIMAL SCIENCES DEPARTMENT

The Department of Animal Sciences is the place to go for students interested in learning about animal agriculture. The department offers five different areas of study, multiple hands-on learning opportunities, study abroad experiences, scholarship awards, and support for multiple student organizations.

## Animal Agribusiness



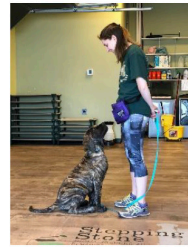
- Enjoy meeting new people and have strong communication skills
- Interested in economics, marketing, and business management

## Animal Production and Industry



- Aspire to operate a livestock or animal products enterprise
- Interested in working with and managing people and solving problems

## Behavior/Well-being



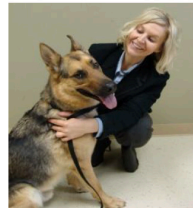
- Appreciate a combination of animal production, behavioral sciences, and animal wellbeing
- Interested in animal welfare, exotic animals, and/or zoos

## Biosciences



- Fascinated with biology, chemistry, and math
- Interested in attending graduate and/or professional school

## Pre-Veterinary Medicine



- For students who are seeking careers in research or technical animal services
- Interested in biology, chemistry, math, and physics and aspire to attend veterinary school

## Scholarships

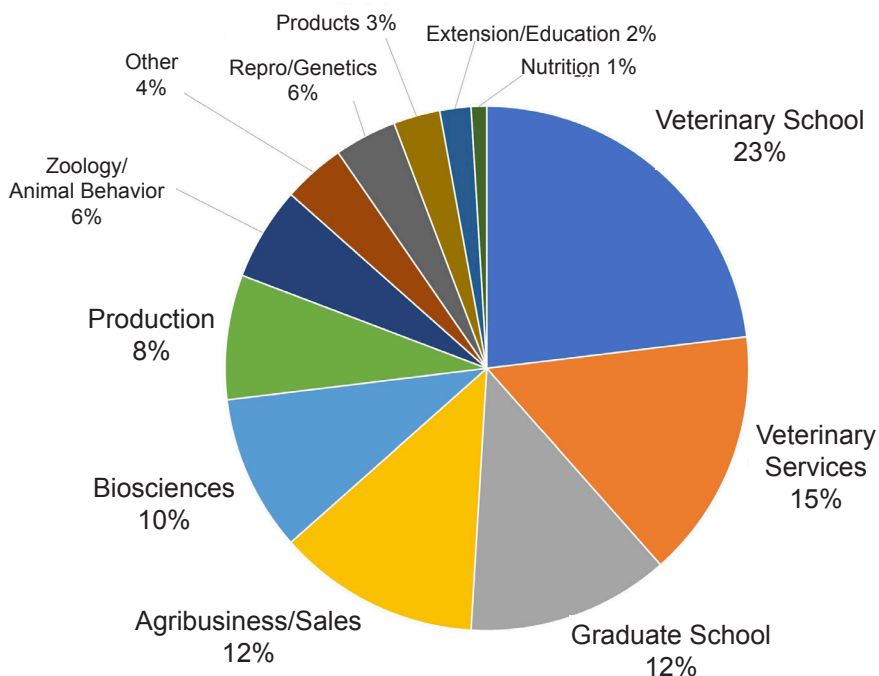
Over \$75,000 awarded each year to Animal Sciences students. Scholarships highlighted different species interests, career goals, academic success, leadership qualities, and campus involvement.

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## Continuing Education

	Masters Degree (2 years)	Ph. D. (4 years)	Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (4 years)
Average Educational Debt	\$29,627	\$46,734	\$145,336
Average Starting Salary	\$61,700	\$81,000	\$100,370

## Careers of Graduates



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## Working in the Poultry Industry

### From the May 2022 Class

- York Ag Products - Poultry Feed Sales Rep, Evansville, IN
- Jennie-O - Assistant Area Supervisor, Willmar, MN
- Herbruck's Poultry Ranch – Live OperaEons Supervisor, Topeka, IN
- Hurst Farms - Farm Manager, Ferdinand, IN
- Purdue University - Poultry Physiology Graduate Program, West Lafayette, IN

### From the December 2022 Class

- Perdue Farms - Live Management Trainee, Washington, IN

### From the May 2023 Class

- Bell & Evans - Broiler Technician, Fredericksburg, PA
- Rose Acre Farms - Live Operations Management Trainee, Guthrie Center, IA
- Indiana State Egg Board - Inspector, West Lafayette, IN
- Cal-Maine Foods - Management Trainee, Rossburg, OH
- North Carolina State University - Poultry Nutrition Graduate Program, Raleigh, NC

### From the December 2023 Class

- Purdue Extension - Livestock Extension Specialist w/emphasis in Poultry, Elkhart, IN

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