WELCOME TO OUR LOCUMS:
- Dr. Nicola Cribb will be in Large Animal Surgery October 21- November 1
- Dr. Shari Raheb will be in Cardiology October 28- November 1

1. SEARCH COMMITTEE UPDATES:
   - Emergency and Critical Care Medicine
     2 yr CL Assistant Professor- in progress
   - Large Animal Surgery
     Assistant or Associate Professor- in progress
   - Large Animal Internal Medicine
     3 yr CL Assistant or Associate Professor- in progress
   - Small Animal Surgery
     Assistant or Associate Professor- in progress

2. Congratulations to Massimo for receiving 1st place in the scientific poster presentation at the ACVF annual meeting.
3. **Wellness@Work**
   On Thursday, October 24th, Dr. Francesco Leri from the department of Psychology will describe the work his lab does on the effects of drug abuse on memory. Anyone interested will be invited to tour the lab following the presentation. This will take place in the Central Animal Facility, Room 108. You can register [here](https://ovc.uoguelph.ca/clinical-studies/).

4. **OVC SAS Graduate Program Services Drop-In Sessions** are happening every Monday until December 16th in room 2152.

5. Please see the attached notice for the **Take Our Kids to Work** program taking place on **Wednesday, November 6th**.

6. Please see the attached notice for an a **Dissertation Pedagogy: Effective Thesis Feedback Process** on **Thursday, October 24**, from **11:00am-2:00pm**. More information can be found [here](https://ovc.uoguelph.ca/clinical-studies/).

7. For assistance with preparing and submitting final grades, please see the [CourseLink help website](https://ovc.uoguelph.ca/clinical-studies/).

8. The next OVC college-wide community meeting will be held on **Thursday October 24, 2019** from **12:30-1:30pm** in **PAHL Rm 1800**. Agenda items include: Strategic Plan Update and Introductions to New Members of the Executive Team.

9. **GRAD ROUNDS!**
   This week’s seminar on **Wednesday, October 23, 2019** will be held from **8:30-9:30am** in **LLC Rm 1714**. Presenting this week:

   **Laura Goodman**
   **Title:** TBD
   **Case Advisor:** TBD

   &

   **Tainor Tisotti**
   **Title:** Anesthesia of a Harbour Seal (Phoca vitulina) for cataract surgery
   **Case Advisor:** TBD

10. **Save the Dates**: **Graduate Student Research Presentations** are scheduled on December 10 & 12, 2019. Details will follow.

11. **Campus Police** is partnering with Family Housing (FH) for the Winter Clothing Drive. We are looking for your kind donations of gently used winter coats (child or adult sizes) in good clean condition. Hats, mitts and scarves are always welcome as well! It is for a good cause, supporting the International Student and Family Housing communities at the University of Guelph to help them get ready for our Canadian winter!

   Campus Police will set up a box in the waiting area at Dispatch at the Campus Police Office on Trent Lane, for the donated items and these items will be dropped off at the FH Office on **Wednesday November 6th**. On **Wednesday November 13th**, the Community Centre at 78
College will be opened up for the students and their families to come in and select what they like.

The current Collective Agreement between the University of Guelph Faculty Association and the University of Guelph requires that all members of faculty search committees receive orientation to address potential unconscious (or implicit) bias in the faculty search process. To Begin the Orientation - please visit Minimizing Implicit Bias in the Search Process.