## JOB DESCRIPTION

Title: Practical Skills Examiner

Responsible to: Vice Principle Veterinary Studies

Location: Leeds/London/Huntingdon/Edinburgh

Responsible for: Examining Practical Skills

## **Main Responsibilities**

- 1. Examine students according to the Degree and/or Awarding Body policy and assessment procedures
- 2. To draw any gueries and/or anomalies to the attention of the Clinical Skills Tutor
- 3. To assist the Clinical Skills Tutor in the preparation and administration of all practical examinations
- 4. To assist the Clinical Skills Tutor with the review and development of practical examinations (OSCEs)
- 5. To complete the programme documentation accurately and promptly
- 6. To maintain the integrity of the practical exams
- 7. To work with courtesy and consideration for all students
- 8. To attend any practical exam meetings as required by the College
- 9. To maintain your professional competence and subject expertise
- 10. To ensure confidentiality in all matters relating to the examination
- 11. To set up the OSCE stations prior to the examinations
- 12. Brief candidates at the practical examinations
- 13. Complete OSCE mark sheets
- 14. Carry out peer observations
- 15. Record candidate marks accurately on documentation provided
- 16. Ensure that the mark sheets are completed fully and are legible
- 17. Provide written comments on candidate performance where applicable
- 18. Complete OSCE station review forms and submit periodically for review
- 19. Adhere to the examiner dress code
- 20. Examiner to be available on the basis of a minimum of one examination period per year

## 2. Person Specification

Knowledge skills and attributes

Attributes	Desirable	Skills	Personal Qualities
Registered Veterinary Nurse (RVN or REVN) or Registered Veterinary Surgeon (MRCVS)  Experience in clinical coaching/assessing  Hold a recognised assessor and/or internal verifier certificate or equivalent	Practical experience Possess reasonable post-qualification experience (normally at least 2 years) working within veterinary practice in a position of responsibility that is actively involved in the training/assessing of student veterinary nurses	Current nursing knowledge and clinical skills  Conversant with the Occupational Standards and BSc VN Programme  Attend OSCE exam standardisation events annually	Personal Qualities  Organised and methodical  Excellent communication skills (written and verbal)  Possess a high degree of professional integrity  Diplomacy Approachable Empathetic