

**An Interview with ANSC Major Lauren Bauer regarding her Green Valley Veterinary Services Internship (Connecticut, Summer 2014)**

**Q: Where did you intern, and when?**

In 2014, I interned with Green Valley Veterinary Services and worked directly with Dr. Dennis Thibeault, DVM.

**Q: Was it a paid internship? What did you do there?**

The internship was strictly voluntary. I traveled around CT and RI with Dr. Thibeault to perform Veterinarian services for both farm and domestic animals. The animals that we responded too included horses, cattle, goats, sheep, pigs, cats, and dogs. I assisted with animal restraint, vaccine preparation, surgeries, clientele communications, and medication dispensing.



**Q: When did you apply for this internship?**

N/A

**Q: How long did the internship last?**

The summer of 2014

**Q: How did you learn about this opportunity?**

I learned about this opportunity when I interned at the Lebanon Veterinary Hospital

**Q: Anything else you'd like to add about your experience?**

Dr. Thibeault uses his mobile van when he is serving Eastern CT and RI. The van is fully stocked with medical equipment, medicine, a computer and printer, etc. I had interned at a small animal clinic during high school (4 years) and this wonderful opportunity provided me a unique experience assisting a traveling veterinarian and working outside my normal expectations. Now I can look at each type of operation and sort through the advantages and disadvantages and apply the experience to future



opportunities as a Veterinarian in optimizing efficiency for animal care.

**Q: What is your area of interest as an ANSC major?**

I am working on the Pre-Veterinary track

**Q: So, what are your plans when you graduate?**

I will attend Veterinary School in pursuit of an Equine or Small Animal Veterinary practice.

**Q: If someone has questions, can they contact you regarding your internship experience?**

Yes