A doctoral degree in Animal Science and Poultry Science with a concentration in either Animal Science or Poultry Science is offered. Specific course requirements are flexible and each student's program is developed in consultation with their Ph.D. advisory committee. The minor is optional but if a minor is included, external faculty representation is required on the advisory committee.

There are two curriculum codes for the Animal Science and Poultry Science doctoral degree program. If a student is interested in a program concentration in Animal Science, the appropriate curriculum code for the admissions application is ANA. If the student is interested in a program concentration in Poultry Science, the appropriate curriculum code for the admissions application is ANP. If the appropriate curriculum code is not selected, it will delay the department's receipt of the applicant's information from the Graduate School.

Note: The Master's programs in Animal Science or Poultry Science are administered independently by each department.

Animal Science Concentration (ANA)
Admission Requirements
Factors considered for admission include: grade point average, scores on the GRE, undergraduate and graduate courses, experiences, statement of interest, and letters of recommendation. In addition, a member of the Department of Animal Science Graduate Faculty must be willing to serve as the applicant's advisor.

Student Financial Support
The Department of Animal Science offers a limited number of research and teaching assistantships that are awarded on a competitive basis. Students are also supported by research grant funds awarded to faculty members. The total support package includes health insurance, tuition, and a stipend. Students applying for these assistantships should apply by January 31 for fall admission.

Other Relevant Information
To provide an opportunity for students to develop their teaching skills, graduate students are required to assist in the departmental teaching program regardless of source of financial support. All graduate students in the Prestage Department of Poultry Science who are mentored by departmental graduate faculty members are required to teach a minimum of one semester during their Ph.D. program.

Click on Graduate Courses - Animal Science (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/agriculture-life-sciences/animal-poultry-science/animal-poultry-science-phd-animal-sci/) for current course information.

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