

Name: Beth Hall
Position: Grants and Sponsorship Officer
Vet School: RVC
Year: 4

About me: As RVC's outgoing senior rep I understand and admire the work AVS does to benefit the veterinary student population of the UK. I (currently) have a keen interest in small animals and am motivated to make all opportunities available to veterinary students in the UK, regardless of circumstance. I believe I am an efficient and approachable individual who understands the needs of students and therefore is a perfect candidate for the role.

Experience: As RVC's representative for the past two years, I have seen first-hand the influence AVS has in the veterinary world. My role allowed me to develop my organisational and communication skills but also emphasised to me the key concerns of veterinary students such as mental health and EMS opportunities. I have also been a member of the RVC SU and my hockey club committee for two years, which offered an array of challenges yet rewarding experiences. I am confident in expressing my opinion and the opinion of others to make a change.

What I would like to achieve in my role: After a very different year for everyone, not least AVS, I am hopeful for the year ahead. I would like to use my networking ability to help acquire generous grants and sponsorship for both AVS and individuals in the student body. For me, it is key to promote the opportunities, with regards to grants, to the student body effectively and ensure that applications for such are as widespread and varied as possible. Success in this role will enhance the vital work of AVS and allow individuals to flourish in new experiences.

Why you should vote for me: I am committed to making opportunities within the veterinary community as widespread as possible. I want AVS to be synonymous with arising opportunities for veterinary students across the UK. I will make grant applications a less daunting process through clear promotion and use the network of contact I have acquired in my previous committee roles to thrive. I am keen to give back to such a wonderful team of people!