Merit of Using Animals in Research and Teaching

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The use of animals in research, teaching and testing is acceptable only if it promises to contribute to understanding of fundamental biological principles, or to the development of knowledge that can reasonably be expected to benefit humans or animals.

CCAC policy statement on: ethics of animal investigation (1989)
Expert opinion

Expert opinion must attest to the potential value of studies with animals

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Scientific merit and pedagogical merit

Scientific merit

- Appendices II and III of the *CCAC policy statement for: senior administrators responsible for animal care and use programs*
- Upcoming interpretation bulletin

Pedagogical merit

- Appendix II of the *CCAC policy statement for: senior administrators responsible for animal care and use programs*
- Working group on pedagogical merit