

## **The Porterhouse Medical Group**

The Porterhouse Medical Group is a scientific and medical communications network with a reputation for excellence. We work with some of the biggest pharmaceutical companies in the world, helping them to connect with a global audience of healthcare professionals and patients. We have seen continued growth over the past 17 years and recently secured new business wins on both a global and a national level. In 2016, Porterhouse Medical was recognised with the Queen's Award for Enterprise (the UK's highest accolade for outstanding achievement in business), and in 2019 we were delighted to achieve Investors in People accreditation at the Gold level, which is a world-recognised standard that reflects the very best in people management excellence.

Our employees include editors, medical writers, account managers and designers, who work together on a variety of projects to ensure they are completed to the highest standard for our clients. We demand excellence from our staff but also foster a relaxed, friendly and supportive working environment, where teamwork is an everyday occurrence.

## **Associate Medical Writer – UK Office – Job Description**

As an associate medical writer, your key responsibilities will include:

- Writing clear, grammatically correct, technical and creative medical/scientific text for a variety of audiences (e.g. healthcare professionals, pharmaceutical sales teams and patients), and paying close attention to detail
- Being able to follow a brief to produce a piece of work that meets the client's needs
- Ensuring the accuracy of all information, data and referencing for the publications/documents produced
- Ensuring projects remain within specification and liaising with clients and colleagues to negotiate changes where necessary
- Learning and understanding new therapy areas quickly and comprehensively
- Being able to follow guidance and take on board constructive feedback

## **Desired Background and Skills**

We are looking for the very best life sciences graduates in order to maintain our reputation as a first-class medical communications agency delivering scientific programmes of the highest quality. Specifically, we are looking for individuals with the following skills and qualifications:

- A bachelor's degree (2:1 or higher) in a life science (biological sciences, biomedical sciences or biochemistry, or a closely related subject) and a strong academic record
- A life sciences PhD or a medical degree will add to the strength of the application
- A strong work ethic and a solution-focused 'can do' attitude combined with intellectual curiosity and creativity

SCIENCE  INSIGHT  CREATIVITY  IMPACT

- A passion for medical communications and education
- The ability to work effectively in teams in a fast-paced, dynamic and creative environment

### **Applications**

To apply, please send your CV and a covering letter to [careers@porterhousemedical.com](mailto:careers@porterhousemedical.com) for the attention of Jan Coetzee (Talent Manager).

