

## Scientific Communications Intern

### Description

**Job Description** – The Scientific Communications Internship provides postgraduate and/or doctorate-level students the opportunity to be mentored by a pharmacist, entrepreneur, and clinical researcher, Dr. Swathi Varanasi. Interns will learn how to evaluate and translate scientific literature surrounding integrative medicine and natural medicines into consumer-friendly, evidence-based blog content, social media content, and related deliverables. This internship also provides professional opportunities to participate in educational workshops and develop as a thought leader in integrative medicine.

**Responsibilities** – Responsibilities (required): Scientific Communications – Blog (1-2 Positions): Retrieve, analyze and interpret the professional primary and secondary literature sources to produce consumer-facing educational content Evaluate components of research literature, including study design, methodology, results, conclusions, and clinical significance to include in scientifically-driven blog articles Brainstorm health and wellness topics for articles (1,000+ words) to be submitted on a monthly basis. Deliverable due dates will be determined by the internship Director Revise content as per the SCI Director's edits and suggestions in a timely manner Utilize several types of print and online resources to write evidence-based articles and cite them appropriately in American Medical Association (AMA) style Scientific Communications – Social Media (1-2 Positions): Research and understand the social media landscape including but not limited to Meta (e.g., Facebook / Instagram), TikTok, LinkedIn, and Twitter (X) in the context of educational content Brainstorm and storyboard educational topics across health and wellness using the Element Apothec Blog and current trends to guide content execution Liaise with the Element Apothec Social Media / Email Marketing Team to ensure cohesive storytelling across departments Create engaging, exciting content across platforms with the goal of educating consumers / patients, medical practitioners, and healthcare providers Professional Development (optional): Book club on topics relating to integrative healing modalities including but not limited to cannabis, herbal medicine, homeopathy, meditation, and functional medicine Monthly workshops designed to help support the implementation of specific procedures, strategies, or activities to advance student goals, character, and career development Shadowing opportunities to learn more about start-ups and entrepreneurship in the growing health and wellness category Networking to build strong relationships with other interns and company personnel

**Qualifications** – Specifics: Title: Scientific Communications Internship Location: Remote (United States-based only) Pay Rate: Unpaid Start Date: October 2023 Duration: October 2023–September 2024 (with opportunity to extend) Recruiting: 2-4 Positions Deadline: [3 weeks from posting date] Desired Candidates: MD, DO, PharmD, PhD, NP, PA, ND, DC, MS student or recent graduate Job Type: Part-Time,

### Hiring organization

Element Apothec;  
<https://www.elementapothec.com>

### Date posted

September 26, 2023

InternshipTeam: Clinical and Medical Affairs Supervisor: Chief Scientific Officer, Dr. Swathi VaranasiBehavioral Competencies:The ideal candidate exhibits strong analytical, problem-solving, and communication skills; he/she/they also possess the ability to work autonomously, effectively manage time multiple projects, as well as present ideas clearly and concisely. Candidates value scientific integrity and are curious about the innovative integrative medicine space as a career opportunity upon graduation.

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Post End Date – 09/25/2023

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