

Pfizer UK Undergraduate Programme 2018/2019

Oncology Medical Affairs Scientific Advisor Undergraduate

Oncology Business Unit

Medical Affairs

Department Overview

The medical affairs team are responsible for medical activities across their licensed brands, for launch activities for new products and for many activities relating to unlicensed medicines. The team are also responsible for non-promotional activities that add value over and above our medicines such as education and learning programs to support the NHS. The medical affairs team consists primarily of doctors and pharmacists and other healthcare professionals or people with life science backgrounds working closely with a UK cross functional team (individuals from other departments) to deliver on projects and activities.

What can I achieve and what will I be responsible for whilst completing a placement at Pfizer?

The role will be primarily head office based, with some field work also. The ideal candidate will contribute to the day to day working of the department, and will have the opportunity to work on specific projects as part of a team and individually.

Our aim is to give the selected candidate a great educational experience. Most of our previous Undergraduates have come to us with little real understanding of the pharmaceutical industry. By working in oncology medical affairs, the successful candidate will have the opportunity to work in a forward thinking, dynamic department that works closely with colleagues right across the company to ensure we get our medicines to patients. You will get to see not just how our department works, but will have the chance to gain great insight into the role of other departments within the company.

As part of this education, we also want to give you a great understanding of the science and treatment of oncology. This usually involves attendance at one or more conferences in Europe as part of the core team.

Other responsibilities will include:

- Support specific aspects of the organisation in key education and learning events
- Cross functional working with the UK internal team, Healthcare professionals and external agencies
- Develop, review and ensure compliant materials for each activity
- Participate and contribute to the medical affairs monthly meeting
- Participate and contribute to the UK Oncology Business Unit cross functional team meeting
- Provide support to the brand promotional strategies as required
- Provide support to the launch activities as required

What other opportunities and benefits do Pfizer offer?

In addition to the above opportunities, there may be a chance for the successful candidate to attend some scientific congresses, either in the UK or in Europe.

Candidates who complete a research project with us will also get the chance to submit the project for presentation at a major scientific meeting and to write it up into a journal publication.

When can I start?

Placements will start on 3rd September 2018 and will run for 12 months.

PERSON SPECIFICATION

Type of person we are looking for, in relation to **'Skills'**, **'Knowledge'** and **'Motivation'**:

- On target for a 2:1 Degree Classification
- Organised
- Team player
- Good communication and presentation skills
- Self motivated
- Healthcare or Life sciences background
- Project Management skills

Please note that we only accept application forms. Please do not send over your CV or cover letter as they will not be considered.