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RELEVANT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Freelance Medical Writer – 01/2020 to Present

- Subcontractor for Nascent Medical, LLC
- Edited manuscripts for publication in academic journals and conferences across different research areas
- Created content for general and specialist audiences, including manuscripts, slide decks, white papers, executive summaries, needs assessments, enduring activities, conference reporting, interviews, and explainer articles

Instructor, American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (ASBMB) – 11/2018 to Present

- Instructor for The Art of Science Communication
- Helped students develop a story about their research by identifying the audience, narrowing down key points, and coming up with appropriate metaphors

Research Assistant, University of Georgia – 08/2012 to 12/2019

- Prepared and presented scientific findings (oral and poster presentations) at 3 international academic conferences, various local symposia, and weekly internal meetings
- Co-authored scientific publications
- As instructor of record, prepared course materials, lectures, and assignments for undergraduate courses

Technology Transfer Intern, Innovation @ UGA – 01/2018 to 05/2018

- Evaluated technology disclosures for patentability and commercial potential
- Conducted market research for potential technologies

Junior Investigator, Centro de Biotecnologia UEM – 02/2011 to 06/2012

- As head of the shrimp diagnostic unit, prepared regular performance reports for clients and national regulatory agencies
- As responsible for biosafety, prepared technical legal documents, such as SOPs and performance reports, required for laboratory accreditation

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Nascent Medical, LLC

Freelance Medical Editor Course – 2021

University of Georgia – Athens, GA, USA

Ph.D. in Cellular Biology – 2019

University of Cape Town – Cape Town, South Africa

Bachelor of Science (Medicine) Honors – 2007

Bachelor of Science in Genetics & Development and Human Physiology – 2006

PUBLICATIONS

Eur J Med Chem. 2020;191:112146. doi: [10.1016/j.ejmech.2020.112146](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ejmech.2020.112146)

J Biol Chem. 2019;294(27):10628-10637. doi: [10.1074/jbc.RA119.007906](https://doi.org/10.1074/jbc.RA119.007906)

Behav Brain Res. 2015;278:506-513. doi: [10.1016/j.bbr.2014.10.004](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.bbr.2014.10.004)

Dev Genes Evol. 2009;219(6):331-338. doi: [10.1007/s00427-009-0293-9](https://doi.org/10.1007/s00427-009-0293-9)