EMWA News

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Ambassador Programme

The EMWA Ambassador Programme is continuing its efforts to reach out to new audiences to promote medical writing and EMWA and has supported the following events:

On February 14, **Andrea Rossi** and **Johanna Chester** gave a presentation about careers in medical writing and the benefits of joining EMWA to participants in a Masters of Regulatory Activities course at the University of Sienna. Andrea and Johanna also discussed EMWA's Professional Development Programme, mentoring, and the Geoff Hall Scholarship for 2025.

On February 19, **Philip Burridge** of Morula Health, in cooperation with the EMWA Ambassador Programme, gave a presentation at the University of Surrey at a seminar series aimed at PhD students and postdocs from the biosciences. Phillip promoted EMWA as a resource to learn more about medical writing in the pharmaceutical industry.

On February 25, **Katrin Zaragoza Dörr** gave a presentation at the University of Barcelona for the master's students in molecular biotechnology. The roundtable was part of a course on "Legal issues, Research & Development management, start-up creation, and entrepreneurship in biotechnology and biomedicine." Katrin shared copies of *Medical Writing*, EMWA flyers, QR codes to the *Getting Into Medical Writing Career Guide*, and the journal issue dedicated to *Careers in Medical Writing* that is posted on the EMWA website.

If you are an experienced medical writer and EMWA volunteer and are interested in becoming an EMWA Ambassador or if you know of any upcoming career events in your locality, please contact the EMWA Head Office (info@emwa.org) or Abe Shevack (aspscientist@gmail.com).

EMWA volunteers

EMWA volunteers help to further the development of your association.

You can get involved in a very limited way or become part of a larger project. The choice is yours, and everyone shares in the benefits.

- Help promote the role of medical writers and strengthen our association.
- Help to raise the standards of your field.
- Increase your visibility and communication opportunities with other medical writing members.
- Add some prestige to your CV while participating in exciting activities.
- Improve your knowledge of medical writing and related topics.

If you are a member of EMWA and eager to support ongoing initiatives, please check the following page: https://www.emwa.org/about-us/emwa-volunteers/ Alternatively, contact the Public Relations officer (pr@emwa.org) to discuss other opportunities available.



Existing EMWA members can receive a 10% discount off their next year's subscription for referring a new member to EMWA. For more information, please contact Head Office at info@emwa.org





Check out the back issues of EMWA's journal Medical Writing

at https://journal.emwa.org!



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EMWA Special Interest Groups

EMWA membership allows you to participate in any **Special Interest Group** (SIG) Meet and Share, even if you are not an active member of that SIG.

These events are announced in the EMWA newsletter and in a separate mailing closer to the event date. The Meet and Share sessions are great opportunities to learn more about a particular topic in an informal setting. Some sessions may be recorded, but many are not.

SIG members, on the other hand, participate in all SIG meetings (as their availability permits) and/or are more involved in the SIG activities, requiring an active role in providing more in-depth knowledge about what is going on in the SIG area.

If you are interested in knowing more about the SIGs, please read this: https://emwa.org/communitiesengagement/find-communities/specialinterest-groups-working-groups/









CORE Reference

The CORE Reference Project is moving.

It is moving away from email and onto LinkedIn to streamline our distribution of educational materials, including the monthly News Summaries: https://www.linkedin.com/company/th e-core-reference-project/

News Summaries and useful information up to the end of 2024 are archived at: https://www.core-reference.org/newssummaries/

webinar



EMWA Professional Development Committee Webinar

EMWA webinars help members to develop skills and keep up to date with new or rapidly developing areas.

Most of our webinars are live, online seminars with the opportunity for participant interaction. Webinar access is reserved for EMWA members only and requires registration. For the planned or past webinars, please refer to this page: https://emwa.org/education/emwawebinars-programme/













