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A science communication professional with digital communications, marketing, press office and public engagement experience.

WORK EXPERIENCE

MAY 2021 – PRESENT

DIGITAL NEWS OFFICER (SECONDMENT), CANCER RESEARCH UK

I currently research and write news posts and blog articles for CRUK's [Cancer News](#) site, turning complex scientific information into clear and engaging articles for a public audience.

JAN 2020 – MAY 2021

SCIENCE MEDIA OFFICER, CANCER RESEARCH UK

Sitting in CRUK's science press team, I worked on promoting our funded research in the media. This involved reading research papers and interviewing researchers, writing press releases and blogs, pitching to journalists and handling press requests.

OCT 2018 – JAN 2020

**RESEARCH COMMUNICATIONS AND MARKETING EXECUTIVE,
CANCER RESEARCH UK**

I provided digital communications and marketing support to teams across the organization to engage, inspire and inform the research community about CRUK's work. My main responsibilities included managing the @CRUKresearch Twitter account; collating, writing, editing and sending a monthly newsletter to our funded researchers; running marketing campaigns for our funding schemes; and being communications lead for the [ECMC Network](#).

EDUCATION

2019 – 2021

SCIENCE COMMUNICATION (MSC), IMPERIAL COLLEGE LONDON

Part-time

2019

**LEVEL 4 CERTIFICATE IN PROFESSIONAL MARKETING, THE CHARTERED INSTITUTE
OF MARKETING**

Distinction

2014 – 2018

BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES (MBIOL), DURHAM UNIVERSITY

First Class (Hons)

VOLUNTARY POSITIONS

MAR 2019 – PRESENT

PRIDE NETWORK COMMITTEE MEMBER, CANCER RESEARCH UK

I'm on the committee for CRUK's internal staff Pride Network, which aims to create an open atmosphere for LGBTQIA+ staff to feel as comfortable at work as possible, run events and campaigns around LGBTQIA+ issues, and consult on LGBTQIA+ topics/policies.

In this position I spearheaded CRUK's LGBTSTEM Day activity, including becoming official supporters, getting statements of support from senior leadership, and organizing and running a social campaign highlighting our LGBTQIA+ researchers. I've also run a workshop for staff on intersectionality, and facilitate coordination with the Francis Crick Institute's network.

OCT 2019 – JUL 2020

NEWS EDITOR, I, SCIENCE

I, Science is Imperial College London's award-winning multimedia science magazine. As News Editor, I wrote a weekly science news roundup and presented it in the news segment of their weekly radio show. I also appeared on the radio show as both a guest and a host, talking about a variety of science topics.

SKILLS

- Social media management
- Email marketing (Dotdigital; Adobe Campaign; Cheetah Digital)
- Website management
- Copywriting
- Adobe Photoshop
- Adobe Illustrator
- Adobe InDesign
- Canva
- Science writing
- Public engagement
- Project management
- Press releases

VOLUNTEERING

2018–Present CRUK Research Engagement Team

Facilitating and designing public engagement activities

2019–2020 Imperial Lates

Facilitating and designing public engagement activities

2018–2019 Royal Institution

Running public engagement activities e.g. at their Family Fun Days or New Scientist Live

2018 Durham University Charity Committee Expedition

Animal conservation volunteering in Borneo