

Highlights

- MSc in life sciences
 - Member of Editors Canada
 - Knowledge of Chicago and AMA styles
 - Plain language experience
 - Keen eye for detail
 - Command of medical and scientific terminology
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Freelance Experience

Clients have included the following:

- Lemieux Bédard
- Kot CP
- Enago
- Script Medical
- Canadian Pharmacists Journal
- Elsevier Canada

Examples of projects:

- Proofreading pharmaceutical marketing materials (eg, visual aids, faxes, leaflets)
 - Copyediting and proofreading college and university textbooks on topics such as nursing, medical ethics, environmental science, paramedic training, hematology, and pharmacology
 - Copyediting journal manuscripts in oncology, surgery, cardiovascular regeneration, and pharmacy
 - Fact checking pharmaceutical webinars, learning assets for sales reps, executive summaries, coaching and workshop guides, slide decks, conference posters, and infographics
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Recent Employment Experience

Content Specialist (oncology)

Canadian Cancer Society, Apr 2019–Dec 2019

- Researched and wrote cancer information for the national website
- Collaborated with editors to ensure content adhered to the principles of plain language
- Coordinated medical expert reviews of content

Senior Medical Writer (clinical pharmacology)

INC Research (now Syneos Health), Oct 2016–Oct 2018

- Wrote clinical study documents for phase I clinical trials, including protocols, informed consent forms, clinical study reports, investigator's brochures, and adverse event narratives
- Prepared abstracts and manuscripts for presentation and publication
- Addressed regulatory feedback from FDA, Health Canada, and the Institutional Review Board

Research Editor (cardiology)

University Health Network, 2011–2013

- Edited and proofread journal manuscripts in the field of cardiovascular regeneration
 - Managed journal submissions, addressed peer review comments, and wrote rebuttal letters to editors
 - Contributed to grant applications, including the writing of lay summaries
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Additional Experience

Medical Writer

INC Research, 2013–2016

Research Analyst I (contract)

Centre for Addiction and Mental Health, 2008

Copyeditor (contract)

Canadian Cancer Society, 2006–2007

Manuscript Editor (contract)

Journal of Medical Internet Research, 2005

Medical Writer/Editor

Headcan Health Education, 2002–2004

Math Editor (contract)

Pearson Education Canada, 2001–2002

Education

Plain Language Training

National Institutes of Health

Editing Courses

Editors Canada

George Brown College

MSc (Biology)

McMaster University

BSc (Biology)

University of Waterloo

Publications

Bernstein G, Davis K, Mills C, et al. J Clin Psychopharmacol 2019;39(3):226–237. [PMID: 30939592](#)

Wang YS, Li SH, Guo J, et al. J Mol Cell Cardiol 2014;66:94–105. [PMID: 24001939](#)

Bulmer JT, Davis K, Rainbow AJ. Int J Oncol 1996;9(6):1121–1127. [PMID: 21541620](#)

Davis K, Tomkins DJ, Rainbow AJ. Somat Cell Mol Genet 1996;22(5):393–402. [PMID: 9039848](#)
