

# **PAUL NAPHTALI**

# FOUNDER OF GENOWRITE **CONTENT MARKETING** SPECIALIST

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#### **RELEVANT SKILLS**

- Technical writing
- Content marketing
- Online copywriting
- Academic research
- Knowledge translation

### SOFTWARE-BASED SKILLS

- Microsoft Office
- Website building Wordpress
- Graphic design Canva

## WRITING AND COMMUNICATIONS EXPERIENCE



# **Founder and Science Writer** Genowrite

Feb. 2023 - Present (7 months)

- Synthesized and summarized gut health research for healthcare practitioners
- Wrote case studies, white papers, and application notes touting novel spatial transcriptomics, mass spectrometry, and NGSbased technologies
- Produced website copy about DNA diagnostics for clients
- Composed blog articles on diverse topics including the gut microbiome, multiplex immunoassays, and confocal microscopy



# **Contract Science Writer**

# Biofluent Communications

May 2022 - Present (16 months)

- Wrote blog articles showcasing life science companies as thought leaders in nutrition, the 'omics, and diagnostics
- Produced technical and application notes on next-generation sequencing (NGS) and NGS library preparation workflows
- Curated social media posts promoting webinars, conference presentations, and content marketing
- Edited content marketing documents about DNA- and RNA-based technologies to meet FDA regulations

# **Contract Medical Writer Kristina Campbell Microbiome Communications Group**

Mar. 2022 - Dec. 2022 (10 months)

- Conducted literature reviews pertaining the gut microbiome and its role in health
- Fact-checked academic research literature about human microbiome topics, such as the gut-liver axis
- Transcribed seminar presentations into diverse written formats, including blog posts

#### WRITING AND COMMUNICATIONS EXPERIENCE

# A:

### **Regional Advocate**

Cystic Fibrosis Canada - Hamilton Chapter June 2020 to August 2022 (2 years, 2 months)

- Participated in advocacy efforts to make Trikafta, a novel medication treating the cause of cystic fibrosis, available for Canadians
- Interpreted and explained to government official the positive health outcomes associated with Trikafta treatment for cystic fibrosis patients
- Conveyed and convinced the importance of fasttracking Trikafta through the CADTH and PMPRB drug approval processes to a local Member of Provincial Parliament

## EDUCATION



# PhD, Biochemistry and Biomedical Sciences McMaster University

PhD Candidate; 2017-2022

- Wrote a literature review writing on cystic fibrosis infectious disease
- Applied the 'omics to annotate a new *P. aeruginosa* strain infecting cystic fibrosis patients
- Conducted grant writing to fund doctorate research
- Prepared slide decks for seminar and poster presentations



# MSc, Biology

## McMaster University

Graduated: 2016

- Wrote a research publication at the Journal of Water and Health
- Applied 16S rRNA sequencing and qPCR to monitor fecal contamination in private groundwater systems
- Produced a technical report detailing research methods and results to city officials



### **BSc, Biology Redeemer University** Graduated: 2014

### **CERTIFICATIONS AND AWARDS**



**Studentship award recipient** Cystic Fibrosis Canada 2018-2020



# Travel grant award for ASM Microbe 2016

McMaster University 2016



**People's Choice Awards** 

Three Minute Thesis 2015