

# PHARMD MEDICAL AFFAIRS FELLOWSHIP



**MESSAGE FROM  
DONALD FONG, MD  
Chief Medical Officer**

I am excited to share with you BioCryst's Medical Affairs program. BioCryst Pharmaceuticals is a commercial-stage biotech company that is delivering extraordinary medicines that help patients live their lives to their full potential. We are passionate about

advancing novel therapeutics for patients with rare and serious diseases. Founded in 1986, BioCryst is headquartered in Durham, North Carolina with a Discovery Center of Excellence in Birmingham, Alabama.

At BioCryst, we foster a work environment that encourages people to be who they are while delivering great results. Our work is important, and we know that our culture is crucial to our success as a company. With this approach, we focus on what matters most: our patients.

We are a patient-focused company developing therapies for rare diseases. We do it together. No one person is more important than the whole. We are unified by our commitment to making a difference and the reality that we need to go fast because patients are waiting.

## MEDICAL AFFAIRS FELLOWSHIP: ABOUT

This two-year Medical Affairs fellowship offers the fellow an opportunity to prepare for a career in industry by providing practical training, experience, and exposure across a wide variety of functional areas. The program will allow the fellow to develop and strengthen skills within Medical Affairs, including but not limited to Scientific Publications, Medical Communications, Congress Planning, Medical Information and Field Medical, as well as opportunities to support cross-functional projects involving clinical development, HEOR, clinical pharmacology, and pharmacovigilance.

## Meet The Team



### DAVID S. BERGER, PH.D.

**Director, Global Publications**  
**Director of Fellowship Program**

David joined BioCryst in December 2024 and has extensive experience in various aspects of medical and scientific communications. At BioCryst, David leads global publications strategy and tactics, and he provides strategic support within Medical Affairs. Before joining BioCryst, David spent 7 years at Bristol Myers Squibb in various leadership roles in medical communications and publications and was the preceptor for the medical communications postdoctoral fellowship. Prior to working in the pharmaceutical industry, David was an assistant professor in the cardiology section at the University of Chicago. David earned his Ph.D. in biomedical engineering from Rutgers University and completed a postdoctoral fellowship at the University of Chicago.



**ALLYSON JERSKY, HMCC**  
**Associate Director, Global Medical Congress**  
**Strategy & Planning**

Allyson joined BioCryst in November 2023 and is responsible for leading strategic medical congress planning for pipeline-related medical congresses and additionally leads medical congress planning for HAE-related events across the US and Europe with a focus on content development for Global Medical Affairs booths. Al brings a wealth of congress and event experience most recently from Biogen, where she excelled in medical congress strategy and execution within the rare disease division. Al has managed multimillion-dollar budgets and ensured flawless global congress execution, including initiating new strategies and establishing best practices for the entire cross-therapeutic area Medical Congress planning team.



**TAM KHUU, PHARMD, BCPS**  
**Executive Director, Global Medical HAE Strategy**

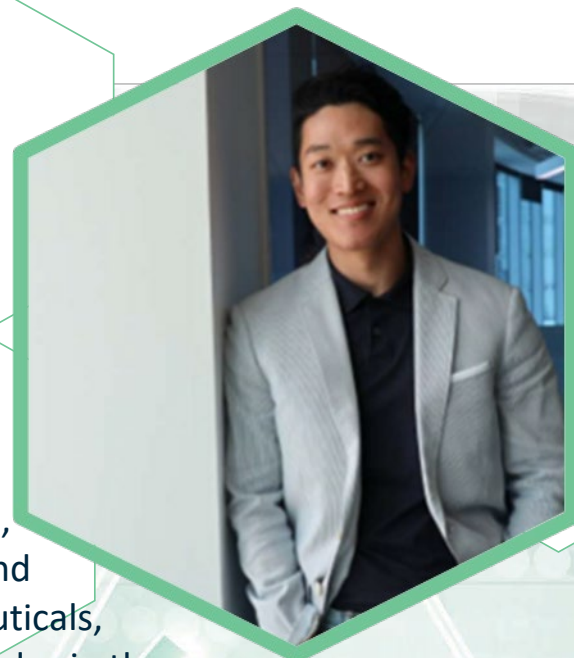
Tam joined BioCryst in August 2019 as the company's first Medical Science Liaison. Tam now leads Medical Affairs Strategy, orchestrates compliant medical affairs cross-function and thought leader collaboration, and serves as subject matter expert on internal initiatives. Prior to joining the pharmaceutical industry, Tam spent 12 years in clinical practice, including hematology and oncology at City of Hope and establishing the role of the clinical pharmacist in thoracic transplant at the University of California Los Angeles with a prominent international presence. Tam's educational background includes a BS in Bioengineering from the Jacobs School of Engineering at the University of California San Diego and a Doctor of Pharmacy degree from the University of California San Francisco.



## **JONATHAN WANG, PHARMD**

### **Director, Global Medical Communications & Operations**

Joined in Sept 2022, Jonathan leads the development, implementation, and execution of Global Medical Communications, including Comms Strategy, Medical Information & Review, and Digital Engagement, as well as support for various training and CI initiatives for BioCryst. Prior to his current role, Jonathan led Global Medical Information & Review and Medical Competitive Intelligence at Arena Pharmaceuticals, and assumed a variety of scientific communications roles in the Boston-Cambridge area, at Alexion and Biogen. Jonathan received his PharmD at the University of Pittsburgh and served as adjunct faculty and alumni mentor at the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy Health Sciences in Boston.



## **CALLIE WILLIAMS, PHARMD**

### **Global Publications Manager**

Callie joined BioCryst in June 2024 as the Medical Affairs Postdoctoral Fellow, where she supported cross-functional initiatives, including Advisory Boards, medical congress planning, and the development of scientific materials within the broader Medical Affairs team. She later transitioned into Global Publications, where she now leads the development and execution of scientific publications. Callie earned her Doctor of Pharmacy degree from High Point University's Fred Wilson School of Pharmacy. Her passion for medical communications and commitment to advancing patient care through science-driven strategies has shaped her early career in the pharmaceutical industry.





## EXPERIENCES

- Assist in the execution of strategic publication planning, including providing support for the development of abstracts, posters, oral presentations, and manuscripts, while acquiring in-depth understanding of good publication practices
- Gain experience with medical information operations, industry best practices, and applicable laws, regulations, and guidance documents
- Collaborate cross-functionally with medical affairs, medical science liaisons (MSLs), HEOR, clinical development, and many more
- Develop medical information resource documents including standard response letters
- Contribute to tactical execution of the medical affairs strategic plan
- Assist with medical information booths at medical congresses
- Gain exposure to the clinical development process
- Gain an understanding of and support the Investigator-Initiated Studies (IIS) process



## ABOUT BIOCRYST

BioCryst is a commercial-stage biotech company that is committed to delivering extraordinary medicines that help patients live ordinary lives. At BioCryst, we are passionate about advancing novel therapeutics for patients with rare and serious diseases.

BioCryst's US headquarters are located in Durham, North Carolina, our European headquarters in Dublin, Ireland and our Discovery Center of Excellence in Birmingham, Alabama. With expertise in drug discovery, clinical development, and regulatory affairs, we are advancing clinical programs and generating new compounds from our own discovery engine.

We are proud of our culture of engagement and accountability that rewards people for innovative thinking and achievement of key objectives.

## BENEFITS OF THE IPHO PARTNERSHIP

- **Organizational Leadership:** Fellows will be required to be members of the IPhO National Fellows Council (NFC) and will be given priority in holding leadership positions to develop and practice cross-functional leadership skills in the following committees: Professional Development, Fellowship Recruitment, VIP Case Competition, and more.
- **Professional Development:** As a part of the IPhO NFC, Fellows will have access to fellow-targeted career development programming, such as professional development webinars, workshops, and fellow-only social events.
- **Publication Opportunities:** Fellows can conduct research and/or publish a poster/paper/article in conjunction with an IPhO leadership team member.
- **Networking Opportunities:** As a part of the IPhO NFC, Fellows will have the opportunity to network, both in-person and virtually, with Fellows across the country in various functional areas from both IPhO and non-IPhO Fellowship programs.
- **Teaching Experience:** Fellows will have an opportunity to be an instructor for IPhO Institute for Pharmaceutical Industry Learning (webinars), as well as provide guidance to hundreds of student pharmacists at over 100 IPhO chapters.
- **Mentorship:** Fellows will receive mentorship from IPhO leadership.



## ELIGIBILITY

- Doctor of Pharmacy degree (PharmD) from an ACPE-accredited college or university by the start of the fellowship
- Authorized to work in the United States on a permanent basis (no visa sponsorship available)
- Strong desire to work within the biopharmaceutical industry
- Excellent communication and collaboration skills
- Exhibits professional maturity, confidence, and competence

## APPLICATION PROCESS:

IPhO's Fellow Match is the initial application portal and the following are required:

- Curriculum Vitae (CV)
- Letter of intent
- Contact information for 3 references
- Interviews will be conducted on a rolling basis
- Letters from provided references may be requested

## CONTACT:

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