**Kriti Arora**

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**Profile:**

* Having previously worked in hospitals in different departments including emergency, I possess strong experience in decision making, multi tasking and managing situations under pressure.
* Being proactive I always thrive to learn different segments of medical care and clinical research so as when needed I can provide with good standards of service.
* Having a good command in the subject of Pharmacology, makes me efficient in research involving new drug development and its clinical aspects.
* Working as a coordinator with people from different fields of health care, makes me an excellent team player.

**Medical Education:**

Good Clinical Practice Certification, Division 5 Certification: Canadian 04/2018

Cancer Trial Group

Post-graduation (M.D)Pharmacology: KLE's Jawaharlal 05/2012- 04/2015

Nehru Medical College, Belagavi, Karnataka, India.

Medical school (M.B.B.S) : Sri Devaraj Urs Medical College 09/2005- 02/2010

Karnataka, India.

**Work Experience:**

**Senior Research/Unit Coordinator**

*Clinical Research Programme (Oncology),* 01/2017-Present

*Jewish General Hospital, Montreal, Quebec, Canada*

* Assist in clinical trial start up including feasibilities and Pre Selection visits.
* Execute research trials in oncology/immuno-oncology (colorectal cancer, breast cancer, prostate and bladder cancer, ovarian, cervical cancer and multi-site cancers), from recruitment of subjects to end of study.
* Assist and contribute to decisions setting procedures for research and development activities.
* Serve as an essential link between patients and care providers and function as a patient advocate to help the patient and family along the clinical trial.
* Train and supervise research coordinators in the performance and execution of their assignments.
* Oversee and organize the process of collection, receipt, maintenance and organization of study data related to clinical studies.
* Coordinate multidisciplinary planning and facilitate care conferences as necessary.

**Research Coordinator**  04/2016 - 12/2016

*Clinical Research Programme (Oncology),*

*Montreal, Quebec, Canada*

* Coordinate and initiate research study protocols and screen potential patients according to protocol eligibility.
* Actively conduct clinical trials in association with the Principal Investigators and ensure research protocol compliance.
* Ensure the smooth and efficient day-to-day operation of research and data collection activities.
* Assist in project planning and ensure that study protocol and regulatory requirements are followed.
* Report all trial related adverse effects and serious adverse events and follow up on them.
* Enter data for the ongoing clinical trials and resolve the queries posted by the site monitor.
* Develop and maintain research charts of enrolled subjects according to the protocols.
* Organise filing system for documents according to established procedures.
* Act as a resource person for the unit's policies and procedures.
* Organize and attend Site Initiation Visits to activate new clinical trials.
* Meet with the Clinical Research Associates at a timely interval to ensure data integrity and progress throughout the duration of the trial.

**Data Manager** 03/2016-04/2016

*Clinical Research Programme (Oncology), McGill,*

*Montreal, Quebec, Canada*

* Organize files and enter data for clinical trials into Medidata Rave, Inform, Oracle, eCaselink databases.
* Analyze the data for errors.
* Solve the queries posted by site monitors which need attention.
* Maintain the research charts of the trial subjects and keep all the data available for monitoring.

**Volunteer** 10/2015- 02/2016

*Clinical Research Programme (Oncology),McGill*

*Montreal, Quebec, Canada*

* Archive the terminated clinical trials at the administrative office.
* Work with Microsoft Office, Excel, Word to develop new plans and projects.
* Assist the research coordinators (Oncology trials), at Jewish General Hospital with patient source documentation.
* Work on small projects regarding administrative aspects of the clinical trials.
* Assist the coordinators with data entry of ongoing clinical trials and maintain the research charts.

**Tutor** 04/2012 - 04/2015

*Department of Pharmacology, KLE's Jawaharlal, Nehru Medical College*

*Belagavi, Karnataka, India.*

* Conducted lectures, small group teaching sessions and practical classes for medical, dental and nursing students.
* Assisted in setting up exam questionnaire for internal university exams.
* Assisted in designing thecourse curriculum, for the students to adapt to the new changes in the field of medicine.
* Introduced innovative teaching ideas for small group learning and maintained a student friendly environment in the department.

**Post Graduate Resident** 01/2013-03/2013 and 10/2013-11/2013

*Pharmacovigilance Programme, Dr. Prabhakar Kore Charitable Hospital*

*Belagavi, Karnataka, India.*

* Reported all the adverse drug reactions to the Department of Pharmacovigilance.
* Attended hospital rounds with the consultants in the Department of Medicine and discussed the adverse drug reactions reported.
* Presented seminars via power point presentations on reporting and management of Adverse Drug Reactions in the Department of Medicine.

**Junior Resident** 03/2012 - 05/2012

*Department of Gynaecology & Obstetrics, Sanjay Gandhi Memorial Hospital*

*New Delhi, India.*

* Conducted normal deliveries, assisting the patients during the labour.
* Assisted incaesarean sections.
* Patient counselling for family planning.

**Intern** 02/2010 - 02/2011

*R.L. Jalappa Hospital & Research Centre*

*Kolar, Karnataka, India.*

* Worked in all the clinical departments in various sectors including emergency, outpatient care, inpatient care, assisting various surgeries, patient counselling.

**Academic achievements**

* Successfully completed a dissertation titled " Effect of Ribavirin, Adefovir Dipivoxil and Lamivudine on Acute and Sub Acute Inflammation in Male Wistar Rats" under the guidance of Dr. A.P. Hogade.
* Conducted a study titled " Effectiveness of Student Led Objective Tutorials (SLOT) to teach Pharmacology to phase II M.B.B.S. students in comparison to traditional tutorials.”
* Actively participated (demonstrated screening methods) in Pharmacology CME on " Optimizing Pharmacotherapy of Depression & Technique Demonstration - Screening Methods in Psychopharmacology “conducted by Indian Pharmacological Society, Belagavi, 2014: J.N. Medical College, Belagavi, India.
* Actively participated (demonstrated screening methods) in departmental national seminar on "A Multidisciplinary Approach to Pain & its Management" 2014: J.N. Medical College, Belagavi, India.
* Received Best Poster award for the poster " Effect of Adefovir Dipivoxil on Acute and Sub Acute Inflammation in Male Wistar Rats." **Arora K**, Hogade AP, Kangle R at APPI Belagavi branch 2014 in National Seminar on "A Multidisciplinary Approach to Pain & its Management" 2014.
* Gave a paper presented on " Effect of Ribavirin on Acute and Sub Acute Inflammation in Male Wistar Rats." **Arora K**, Hogade AP, Kangle R. 46th Annual Conference of Indian Pharmacological Society, NIMHANS Convention Centre, Bengaluru, India, December 16-18 2013.
* Distinction in all the subjects in secondary school examination, Central Board of Secondary Education (C.B.S.E.), 2002.

**Studies Conducted:**

* "Effect of Ribavirin, Adefovir Dipivoxil and Lamivudine on Acute and Sub Acute Inflammation in Male Wistar Rats” under the guidance of Dr. A.P.Hogade.
* " Effectiveness of Student led Objective Tutorials (SLOT) to teach Pharmacology to phase II M.B.B.S. students in comparison to traditional tutorials.”

**Skills**

* Computer Skills: Microsoft Office, Microsoft Excel, Microsoft Power Point, Medidata Rave, Inform, eCaselink, Oracle RDC, Data Labs.
* Language: English, Hindi,French Functional
* Public Speaking: Paper presentation, Medical education.

**Areas of interest**

* Medical education and teaching.
* Cancer research including immunotherapy, cancer pathophysiology.
* Neurophysiology, Neuropharmacology and recent advances in the treatment of Alzheimer’s disease.

**Publications**

* Kriti Arora, Nayana Kamalnayan Hashilkar. Effectiveness of student-led objective tutorials in pharmacology teaching to medical students. Indian J Pharmacol;2016; 48:78-82.