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Biostatistician
Philadelphia, PA

Function:

- Adherence to SOPs, Guidelines and all appropriate regulations.
- To provide statistical input into design and analysis of clinical trials
- To oversee the statistical analysis of project data and to create the statistical analysis plan and statistical report.

Scope of Responsibility:

- To be responsible for some aspects of statistical input for the design, analysis and reporting of a project according to contracted services in compliance with current legislation, ICH GCP and appropriate company/Sponsor procedures and quality standards.

Major Tasks:

- Review and/or input to protocols, CRFs, database design and validation specifications under the supervision of a Senior Biostatistician or line manager.
- Preparation of statistical analysis plans, including template tables, listings and figures, in accordance with MDS Pharma Services SOPs, Sponsor specifications and Industry Guidelines under the supervision of a Senior Biostatistician or line manager.
- Perform or supervise programming of tables, listings, figures and statistical analyses according to agreed timelines and quality standards under the supervision of a more senior biostatistician.
- Be aware of the quality control procedures of statistical programs, including tables, listings, figures and statistical analyses.
- Statistical input to clinical trial reports including QC sections of the clinical trial report under the supervision of a more senior biostatistician.
- Develop an awareness of issues relating to the presentation of the clinical trials data, relating to general issues, regulatory views and Sponsor specific activities.
- Develop awareness of quality issues relating to data representation and accuracy.
- Maintenance and archiving of statistical files.
- Develop an awareness of statistical issues related to clinical trials.
- Demonstrate strong team working skills.
- Demonstrate dedication to quality.
- Any other task assigned by Manager

Essential Competencies:

- **Disciplined Work Approach** - Approaches work methodically and systematically. Plans activities and organizes time efficiently to meet project timelines. Establishes priorities from among a number of demands. Establishes a planned work approach, which is efficient and concentrates on getting the task completed on time to a defined quality.
- **Communication** - Communicates clearly and confidently and has excellent interpersonal skills. Has a strong awareness of the impact of own behavior on others and responds appropriately to achieve results.
- **Statistical Knowledge** – Can apply statistical principals to clinical trial situations. Has an understanding of medical data analysis.
- **Attention to Detail** - Committed to achieving good quality work and striving to set higher standards and continually trying to achieve them.

- **Computer Skills** – Understanding of data structures and SAS programming language.
- **Language Skills** – Good written and verbal English language skills.

Qualifications / Education: Masters degree/PhD in statistics

Must have excellent communications skills and good understanding of SAS programming language.

MS or PhD in Biostatistics or Statistics

SAS Programmer/Analyst

Status Perm

Location **Region:** Bay Area **City:** **State:** CA

Title SAS Programmer/Analyst

Job Description

One of the country's best known banking organizations is seeking an experienced/seasoned SAS Programmer/Analyst to join their team in a full-time capacity. This particular department supports direct mail/marketing initiatives for various lines of business. Competitive salary range and a full suite of benefits are available for the right candidate.

Candidate will be responsible for serving internal clients by manipulating, analyzing, and producing various reports, list pulls, ad hocs from large data sources such as Oracle and internal databases. Must also Extract/convert data from a variety of external sources and formats. Will be responsible for building /maintaining complex SAS routine(using macros) for use across all projects. Excellent SQL skills are an absolute must in order to succeed.

Necessary: Strong SQL and SAS programming abilities. A front end tool: Affinium (a predictive modeling software which understands and anticipates customer behaviors and preferences) is utilized and is a huge plus, but not required. Candidates with legitimate marketing campaign experience will have a decided advantage.

Classic candidate will have previous experience in this arena: generating mail files, leads, etc. We need team players, not afraid to ask questions, must possess marketing smarts and be inquisitive. Candidate understands tables/values - large data sets - one million records.

This department is expanding rapidly, but there is a high sense of urgency for this open opportunity. Make your case today!

Skill Sets

SQL, SAS BASE, Oracle, Windows NT

Education

BS; MS

Other:

Degree: Computer Science, or related degree

Industry Experience

Mid-Level; Experienced

Categories: Financial Services, Marketing/Direct Mail

Status Contract
Location _____ **Region:** Bay Area **City:** _____ **State:** CA
Title _____ **Statistical Programmer**

Job Description

A privately-held biopharmaceutical company is seeking out a seasoned and experienced Clinical SAS Programmer to provide support of study analysis and data management activities. This sponsor is developing anti-cancer compounds and they have a drug compound that has entered the clinic. This is a contract opportunity and the need is immediate.

Responsibilities:

Design, program and validate analysis files, tables, listing and graphs to support NDA filing (electronic submission).
Provide SAS programming support to data managers for use in data cleanup and study tracking activities
Provide SAS programming support for MD safety review of data
Program edit checks to ensure database integrity
Review and help develop Statistical Analysis Plans (SAPs) to ensure code re-use across studies.
Work with statistical staff to ensure efficient use of SAS resources.
Participate in the development and validation of a new SAS programming environment
Assist in development of SOP development for SAS programming standards.

Requirements:

BS/BA or equivalent in Computer Science, Statistics or other scientific field with at least three years SAS programming experience in the pharmaceutical industry.
Excellent SAS skills including Base, Stat, Graph and Macros
Working knowledge of statistics
Ability to contribute to a small interdisciplinary team, yet ability to work well independently
Knowledge of programming in a regulatory environment
Excellent spoken and written communication skills a must
Candidate must possess legitimate industry experience from pharmaceutical/biopharmaceutical or Clinical Research Organization.

Skill Sets

BASE SAS Macro, SAS Graph, SAS Stat & Windows NT

Education

BS; MS

Other:

Degree: Computer Science, Life Sciences, Statistics

Industry Experience

Mid-Level; Experienced

Categories: Biotechnology and Pharmaceutical

Status Contract

Location **Region:** Southern California **City:** Los Angeles area **State:** CA

Title Statistical Programmer/ SAS/ Clinical

Job Description

Client is in need of a Statistical programmer for a 6 month contract.

Provides statistical programming support under the direction of senior staff for the creation, quality-control, documentation and maintenance of analysis data sets, tables, listings and graphs. Reviews CRF's and annotation, Database Lock Data Sets specifications and analysis plan. Assists in creating and maintaining analysis data set specifications. Designs, writes, debugs, tests, documents, maintains, updates statistical programs. Adopts and practices established programming standards, conventions, available Standard Reporting Systems and macro utility programs. Performs quality control for documents, programs and outputs of statistical programming. 2.5 - 5+ years of pharmaceutical/biotech Industry experience.

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Skill Sets

SAS Base, Stat, Graph, Macro. UNIX/ Oracle

Education

BS; MS

Other: less experience necessary with Masters.

Degree: Life Sciences

Industry Experience

Experienced

Categories: Biotechnology and Pharmaceutical

Status _____ Contract; Perm
Location _____ **Region:** Northern California **City:** SF Peninsula **State:** CA
Title _____ **Statistical Programmer/ SAS**
Job Description

Statisticians and SAS Programmers/ Clinical

ASG is currently looking for qualified Statisticians, Biostatisticians and SAS professionals for openings throughout California. We work with many of the major pharmaceutical companies and CRO's. We have openings right now for PHD and MS level Biostatisticians, data analysis and MS level SAS Programmers. We have immediate needs for professionals with clinical trials experience with minimum 3-4 years of industry experience. Candidates must have excellent communication skills... both oral and written. Be able to work in a fast paced environment in order to meet deadlines.

This position will support clinical trials; perform SAS programming to analyze study results; validate code; generate tables, listings and graphs for preparation of documents. These positions are located in the San Francisco Bay Area and Southern California.

If chosen, ASG's benefit package includes full medical, dental, life insurance, paid vacation and holidays, personal days, 401K, flexible spending account, credit union membership, provide sponsorship and relocation assistance. Current openings are for both contract and permanent positions.

Salary: DOE

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Statistical Analysis and Data Mining
Relational Database Support
Database design and architecture
SAS Programming
Data Management
Applications Development

Skill Sets

SAS Base, Stat, Macro, Graph, UNIX, Oracle

Education

BS; MS
Other: equivalent
Degree: Biostatistics, Computer Science, Life Sciences

Industry Experience

Experienced

Categories: Biotechnology and Pharmaceutical

Status Contract
Location **Region:** Southern California **City:** Los Angeles Area **State:** CA
Title SAS Programmer Clinical

Job Description

Client in Southern California is in need of a Clinical Statistical Programmer to support their Phase IV efforts. A lot of their work is in support of Sales and Marketing in an effort to get current drugs approved for a new indications. Clinical Programmer will create tables and listings for publications, posters and abstracts.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- . minimum 5 years SAS experience Pharmaceuticals / Biotech
- . good communication skills
- . capable of proactively identifying issues
- . heavy analysis dataset creation and generate/validate table/graphic experiences
- . flexibility/ willingness to adjust working schedule for last minute ad hoc analysis

Client hopes to identify the contractor in April and start either in April or May.

Skill Sets

SAS Base, Stat, Macro, Graph

Education

BS; MS

Other: preferred

Degree: Biostatistics, Computer Science, Life Sciences

Industry Experience

Experienced

Categories: Biotechnology and Pharmaceutical

Status _____ Perm
Location _____ **Region:** _____ **City:** Chicago **State:** IL
Title _____ **Project Director of Statistics**

Job Description

Our client is looking for a professional who possesses a Doctorate in Statistics or Biostatistics to fill the role of Project Director of Statistics.

We are looking for someone with seven to ten years of progressively increasing responsibility in the healthcare arena. Pharmaceutical experience early in a persons career is acceptable, however the most recent few years must be in healthcare. Previous experience in project management and longitudinal research projects is highly desirable. In addition, this individual should have the managerial ability to plan, organize and synthesize complex research and evaluation activities involving a wide range of individuals, groups and /or committees. Strong analytical and theoretical abilities to develop research protocols and statistical models, design data collection systems, interpret research and evaluation results, and oversee project budgets. Must understand issues surrounding performance measurement data and reporting, knowledge of risk management adjustment models, and experience programming in SAS.

In addition, this individual will be assisting in the development of goals and plans for this department. They will be directing the ongoing activities related to standards development and/or research projects, and assisting in the development of new products along with coordinating statistical analysis and data management activities with standards, research, development and clinical evaluation efforts.

A Doctorate degree is required because this person will be participating in the mentoring of staff in activities promoting the statistical research functions, serving as faculty for surveyor and other education programs, and represents the client at speaking engagements and as liaison to various professional organizations. Excellent written and verbal communication skills are a necessity because this individual will be interacting with other professionals at various levels both inside and outside of the organization, often in sensitive situations requiring political awareness.

Skill Sets

Education

PhD
Other:
Degree: Statistics

Industry Experience

Experienced

Categories: Biotechnology and Pharmaceutical, Healthcare
