

**MSHP/ICHP Spring Meeting
Student/Resident Career Roundtable
Facilitators Biographies**

Session Objectives:

- Describe unique career opportunities for pharmacists in health-systems pharmacy
- Describe the training required to practice pharmacy in various settings

ACADEMIA

Facilitator: Eric Wombwell, Pharm.D., BCPS
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Education and Training:

University of Missouri – Kansas City, School of Pharmacy : Doctorate of Pharmacy 2008

Kansas City VA Medical Center: PGY-1 Pharmacy Residency 2009

Board Certification: Pharmacotherapy 2009

Advanced Cardiac Life Support: 2008

Roles and Responsibilities:

University:

Provide didactic lectures within a variety of courses (Advanced Pathophysiology, Pharmacotherapy, Zoonotic Illnesses); coordination of courses (Pharmacotherapy II, Zoonotic Illnesses); advise Phi Lambda Sigma student organization; serve on various School of Pharmacy committees; preceptor for IPPE and APPE students; service to the local and national pharmacy organization through leadership and committee appointments; research and publication

Practice:

Clinical profile review; Vancomycin/aminoglycoside monitoring; service on various hospital task force and committee appointments; Continuing Nurse Education presentations; staff education; drug utilization evaluations

Clinical Pearl:

Engage in activities (services, committees, projects, research) that serve multiple purposes and stimulate you creatively.

ADMINISTRATION/MANAGEMENT

Facilitator: Tony Huke, Pharm.D., BCPS
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Education and Training:

UMKC College of Pharmacy-Class of 2000

Pharmacy Practice Residency at Cox Medical Center, Springfield, MO-Completed July 2001

Roles and Responsibilities:

1. Organization, Implementation, and monitoring of all clinical programs at Truman Medical Center (TMC)
2. PGY-1 Pharmacy Residency Program director
3. Responsible for all aspects of the residency program (Recruitment, Accreditation, Preceptor training, overall management of residents)
4. Formulary Management (P&T Committee)
5. Medication Safety
 - a. Medication Errors and ADR reporting and monitoring
6. Supervisor for pharmacy interns employed by TMC

Clinical Pearl:

1. Everybody has to manage somebody
2. Leadership vs. Management
3. Food for thought:

Leaders are called to stand in that lonely place between the no longer and the not yet and intentionally make decision that will bind, forge, move and create history.

We are not called to be popular,
We are not called to be safe,
We are not called to follow.
We are the ones called to take risks,
We are the ones called to change attitudes; to risk displeasure,
We are the ones called to gamble our lives for a better world.

AMBULATORY CARE

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Education and Training:

Primary Care Residency with a Focus on Education

Midwestern University Chicago College of Pharmacy
Downers Grove, IL

Doctor of Pharmacy Degree

University of Illinois at Chicago College of Pharmacy
Chicago, IL

Roles and Responsibilities:

- Conduct patient assessments including point of care measurements
- Create patient medication and monitoring plans for chronic disease states, specifically anticoagulation
- Develop new clinical services at my practice site including protocol development
- Answer drug information questions for other health care professionals
- Conduct research
- Precept third year and fourth year pharmacy students on their IPPE and APPE rotations

- Some additional roles included with my faculty appointment: lecturing in course, course administration, faculty advisor to students and student organizations, and committee service

Clinical Pearl:

Ambulatory care is a unique career opportunity for pharmacists who are truly interested in direct patient care. Depending on the setting, most ambulatory care pharmacists get to see patients directly, follow them for chronic disease management and work closely with other health care providers. It is a very rewarding setting since it allows you to develop strong working relationships with your patients. It can also be a challenging setting to develop services given the pharmacist's lack of health care provider status and ability to bill for services. Pharmacists interested in working in an ambulatory care setting must have strong patient care skills, excellent communication skills, and the motivation to develop new services and justify the value of such clinical pharmacy services.

CLINICAL PHARMACY

<u>Facilitator:</u>	Megan Musselman, PharmD, BCPS Clinical Pharmacist- Emergency Medicine/Critical Care The University of Kansas Hospital 3901 Rainbow Blvd Kansas City, KS 66160
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<u>Education and Training:</u>	Creighton University; Pharm.D. PGY-1 Pharmacy Practice Residency; University of Illinois at Chicago PGY-2 Emergency Medicine Residency; Detroit Receiving Hospital
<u>Roles and Responsibilities:</u>	Provide pharmacy clinical services to the emergency department and burn intensive care unit. Assist with antimicrobial stewardship in the ED, assist in RSI and ACLS codes, medication safety and assist in providing safe, effective evidence-based medication regimens in both the ED and ICU.
<u>Clinical Pearl:</u>	Approach each day as an opportunity to learn. Always make sure to experience things that you don't necessarily feel comfortable doing. You may just find out a strength or passion you didn't know that you had. Last but not least, develop a notebook or "peripheral brain" that fits in a pocket or white coat for clinical guidelines or medication information..... it will become your lifeline!!!!

DRUG INDUSTRY

<u>Facilitator:</u>	Tom Westerkamp, M.S., R.Ph. Medical Information Manager Baxter Healthcare Corporation One Baxter Parkway DF5 3E Deerfield, IL 60015
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<u>Education and Training:</u>	B.S., University of Illinois College of Pharmacy M.S., Health Care Management, DePaul University
<u>Roles and Responsibilities:</u>	15 years of Clinical and Management experience in hospital pharmacy 21 years experience in Pharmaceutical Industry in pharmacy consulting, Marketing, Business Development, and Medical Affairs
<u>Clinical Pearl:</u>	Provide an overview of the employment opportunities for pharmacists in Industry

DRUG INFORMATION/ DRUG POLICY

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Pharmacy Practice Residency at Northwestern Memorial Hospital

Roles and Responsibilities:

Director of Educational Affairs for Illinois Council of Health-Systems Pharmacists

My current role is pharmacy manager at Northwestern Memorial Hospital providing administrative and operational oversight for ambulatory oncology services. Serve as the Secretary for a newly formed ambulatory P&T Committee working on building and maintaining a formulary, therapeutic interchange programs, and drug policy development.

Prior to coming to Northwestern I was the Clinical Specialist Supervisor for Drug Policy, Procurement, and Utilization at Rush University Medical Center. Here I was the co-chair of the P&T Committee, oversaw drug use policy development, purchasing and inventory management, and cost savings initiatives for the department of pharmacy. I also precepted a drug information rotation for PGY1 residents and pharmacy students.