

# Clinical Research Fellowship

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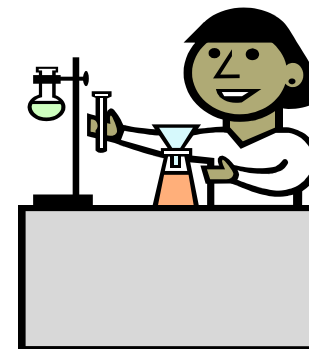
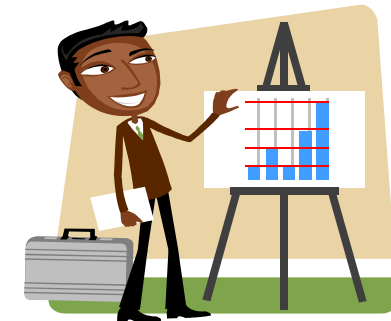


# What is the Clinical fellowship?

- Currently on a one-year secondment to Roche Products Limited (“Roche”) in the UK from Bart’s Health NHS Trust.
- Seconded to Roche to undertake research projects leading to the publication of clinical data.
- ***As a Fellow in a Global Clinical Development Group you could:***
  - Be involved in the design, execution, analysis and interpretation of data from clinical studies for marketed compounds as well as molecules earlier in development
  - Interact with globally recognized academic experts and clinical investigators
  - Participate in key clinical strategy, implementation and molecule management meetings in order to gain a deeper understanding of the complexities and challenges of medicines development
  - Provide clinical expertise in the disease area for cross functional pharmaceutical development teams
  - Generate and present abstracts and orals for key external conferences and other specialty meetings
  - Be involved in discussions of Personalized Health Care (PHC) and how patient selection for different therapeutic interventions can be improved

# Practical information

- 12 month OOP
  - 6 months can be accredited towards CCT
- Based in Roche Welwyn Garden City – part of global network
- Opportunities within clinical science –
  - Haematology
  - Oncology
  - Immunology
  - Neuroscience
  - Infectious disease
  - Ophthalmology
  - Clinical pharmacology
- Interact with:
  - Biostatistics
  - Statistical programming
  - Epidemiology
  - Pre-clinical
  - Research and early development
  - Pharmacology
  - Regulatory
  - Safety



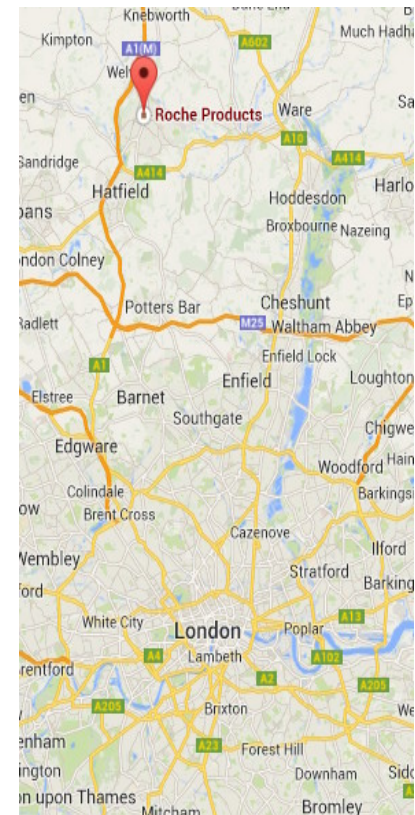
*“What’s in it for me?”*

Previous Clinical Fellows in the UK

Roche UK – 2 clinical research fellows

Previous fellow 2012-2013:

- ✓ Abstracts x4 at international conferences
- ✓ Manuscripts x 6
- ✓ Joined SMT, involvement in NICE preparation, Pk/ PD modelling and study design



# What I hope to achieve....



- BSH abstract: *“Cytokine release in patients treated with obinutuzumab, a glycoengineered type II anti-CD20 antibody, and possible relationship with development of infusion related reactions in patients with chronic lymphocytic leukaemia”*
- ASH abstracts x4 for submission August 2014 for meeting December 2014
- Manuscripts x4
- Approval of Phase Ib clinical trial – aim FPI Q4 2014
- Outside of the secondment - complete an MSc with QMUL in ***Clinical Drug Development***

# Clinical Fellowship in the US

- Genentech, a member of the Roche Group, based in South San Francisco, USA, has a well-established Clinical Fellowship within the Clinical Development Group. (Full details available at: <http://www.gene.com/careers/academic-programs/clinical-fellows>)
- 8 previous CRFs - details available: <http://www.gene.com/careers/academic-programs/clinical-fellows/alumni>



# Questions?

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