USC-ARCUtIS
POSTDOCTORAL MEDICAL AFFAIRS
FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

2024-2025
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We challenge the existing standard of care:
With the belief that patients deserve more innovative treatment options, we strive to simplify disease management and optimize drug efficacy, safety, and tolerability.

We create with purpose: Our unique dermatology expertise and dermatology development platform fuel our commitment to championing innovation with a focus on unmet needs in the treatment of immune-mediated skin diseases.

We carry deep dermatology expertise: Our executive and management team includes industry leaders with 50+ FDA-approved products among them, 8 dermatology clinicians, and medical dermatology's foremost topical drug formulator.

Arcutis Biotherapeutics, Inc. is a medical dermatology company that champions meaningful innovation to solve the most persistent challenges of patients with immune-mediated dermatological diseases.

Arcutis at a glance
Medical dermatology biotech company founded in 2016
Public company as of January 2020 (NASDAQ: ARQT)
First product approved by FDA, July 2022
Based in Westlake Village, CA

About University of Southern California
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Frank M. Pompilio, PharmD, has served as our vice president, medical affairs since October 2019. Prior to joining us, Dr Pompilio was vice president, medical affairs at MannKind Corporation from June 2016 to October 2019. From October 2014 to June 2016, he was senior director, medical affairs at Kythera Biopharmaceuticals, Inc. Prior to that, Dr Pompilio was employed at Amgen, Inc. and Bristol-Myers Squibb, where he worked in medical science and scientific affairs functions from July 1996 to September 2014. While at Amgen, he held various leadership roles supporting the commercialization of Enbrel® in both rheumatology and dermatology. He started his career as an assistant professor at the University of Southern California School of Pharmacy. Dr Pompilio received a PharmD from USC and a BS in pharmacology from the University of California at Santa Barbara and completed a clinical pharmacy residency at the University of Arizona.

Rich Mckenna, Pharm.D is the current medical affairs fellow. Prior to his fellowship, Rich served as the Vice President of the University of Illinois at Chicago College of Pharmacy Industry Pharmacy Organization (IPhO) chapter. From June 2021 to June of 2022 he was a field medical excellence intern at Novartis Pharmaceuticals. Dr. Mckenna received his PharmD from UIC in 2023.
Why Arcutis – Your Unique Opportunity

During this program at Arcutis, you will see how different functions within Medical Affairs (Medical Communications, Field Medical, Operations, Medical Information, etc.) are intertwined in executing a best-in-class Medical Affairs organization.

Ultimate hands-on experience and an option on tailoring your experience to your key interests!

At Arcutis, we fiercely value people—our patients, healthcare providers, team members, and our community at large.

We aspire to be an upstanding global figure, with strong ethical standards embedded in our culture, and guiding our actions. We are a Great Place to Work®-Certified company, a 2022 Fortune Best Workplaces in Biopharma™, and a 2022 Fortune Best Workplaces for Millennials™.
Fellowship Program Overview and Goals

• USC-Arcutis Fellowship in Medical Affairs will provide an opportunity for a recent PharmD graduate to learn the skills necessary to excel in a career in the pharmaceutical industry with a focus on Medical Affairs. Upon completion of the program, the fellow will not only be prepared for the challenges of a career in the pharmaceutical industry but will have the full understanding of the Medical Affairs organization and its significant role in launching and managing a product.

• The fellow will support medical affairs team members on activities, such as:
  – Medical Communication (presentation development, material review process, training, etc.)
  – Medical Affairs Strategy and infrastructure development and execution
  – Cross-functional communication and support
  – Additional Activities: Based on the fellow’s interest and time availability, there may be an opportunity to participate in rotations with other departments to gain comprehensive experience and skills in the pharmaceutical industry.
How to Apply

• **Candidate requirements**
  – Doctoral degree from an accredited college or university within 5 years of initial appointment
  – Submit an application online at USC School of Pharmacy online application
  – Possess good oral and written communication skills and Arcutis core values of accountability, inclusion, teamwork, excellence, and integrity
  – Strong interest in dermatology
• The USC application portal will open on October 1, 2023
• The USC Postdoctoral Fellowship Portal can be accessed online [here](#)
• You will need to submit the following to USC: Email addresses of three references
  – Curriculum Vitae (CV)
  – Letter of intent
  – Official professional or graduate school transcripts
• In addition to applying through USC, please submit a Curriculum Vitae and Letter of Intent through American Society of Health-System Pharmacists’ (ASHP) Personal Placement Service (PPS) to request a first-round interview
  – Application materials are due to PPS by November 30, 2023
  – PPS portal opens October 5th
• Final interviews will be conducted virtually throughout the end of November to early December.
• Final due date for all application documents to USC is November 30, 2023
• Program starts on July 1, 2024

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