

Jared Stone

Current and Previous Employment Experience

Risk Management and Patient Safety Data Analyst, Baptist Health August 2017 – present

I generate risk management and patient safety data reports to identify and evaluate risks to reduce injury to patients, staff members, and visitors. The reports track events, incidents, or conditions that could have or did result in harm within the Baptist Health system. Clinical risk managers and administrators utilize the data reports to amend policies and procedures to improve quality of care.

Medical Scribe, Medoptim

May 2016 – August 2017

I served as a medical scribe for orthopedic and general surgery physicians in the central Arkansas area. As a medical scribe, my role was to increase the quality and efficiency of patient care by recording patient-clinician encounters into the EMR (electronic medical record). My objective was to reduce the increasing burden of database entry for clinicians so that they can devote more time to patients. I utilized strong communication skills to generate medical reports for up to 40+ patients per day in outpatient clinical settings. In addition, I trained new scribes to document encounters with accuracy and proficiency.

Department of Biological Sciences, UA Fayetteville

Jan 2015 – May 2016

I conducted honors undergraduate research underneath the supervision of Dr. Jeffrey Silberman, Associate Professor, Dept. of Biological Sciences, University of Arkansas. I received a SURF (Student Undergraduate Research Fellowship) grant for my research project, “Exploring the Route of Amoebal Infection in Snakes”, a novel study aimed at uncovering the method of amoebal infection in snakes, with a focus on common prey organisms of non-venomous snakes. The methodology of my research was divided into two main components: 1) the isolation of amoebae from the prey of several non-venomous snakes present in Arkansas 2) morphological/molecular comparison of amoebae found in the prey organisms to amoebae previously documented in infected snakes. My research taught me the importance of perseverance, attention to detail, and problem-solving skills.

Pharmacogenomics Analysis Laboratory, CAVHS

May 2015 – August 2015

I worked as a research technician in a genomics research laboratory, which is part of the Cooperative Studies Program, Office of Research and Development, Veterans Affairs. My responsibilities included extraction and quantitation of nucleic acids, PCR and Real-Time Quantitation, microarray and next-generation sequencing. Microarray projects included global epigenetic patterns of Veterans with Post-Traumatic Stress Syndrome. I contributed to methods development during the initial stages of a complex next-generation sequencing project utilizing a comprehensive cancer panel of 409 genes. The panel was used to discover novel mutations in DNA extracted from frozen colorectal polyps as part of an ongoing collaboration with Duke University and Durham VA Medical Center.

Research Administration, CAVHS

May 2013 - December 2013

I served in the Research Administration department during my summer and winter break of college, during which I performed tasks to increase efficiency and organization within the Research Department. Active roles included record maintenance, online data submissions to the Central IRB and IACUC, and relay of documents to the Director and Chief of Staff Offices. In addition, I processed research findings and produced completed documents to be sent for publication using Microsoft Suite tools.

Research Service, CAVHS

May 2012 - August 2012

My position in Research Service introduced me to essentials of maintenance and management of the research at CAVHS in Little Rock. Throughout the duration of my employment I worked alongside the Health and Safety Officers to ensure that laboratories were in satisfactory working condition and that proper procedures for disposal of laboratory materials were followed to guarantee the safety of hospital staff. My responsibilities included chemical and MSDS inventories for vacated laboratories. I assisted Research Admin staff with documentation needed for the Research Safety Subcommittee or IRB administration and Research & Development Committee. My experience encompassed compliance with Federal HIPAA and Privacy regulations.

Admissions/ER Volunteer, CAVHS

May 2008 – 2010

For several summers I served as a volunteer for Express Admissions and the Emergency Department at the Central Arkansas Veterans Healthcare System (CAVHS). I interacted directly with patients, helping to make their admittance to the hospital an easier process. While working in admissions, I assisted nursing staff in patient record upkeep and database entry. I directed telephone calls and serviced rooms in the emergency department. My volunteer experience at CAVHS fostered a desire to provide American veterans with quality healthcare.

Education

Master of Health Administration, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences Candidate 2019

I am currently a first year student pursuing a Master's degree in healthcare administration. As well as being a dedicated student, I serve as an Associated Student Government representative for the College of Public Health and am an active member of the MHA Student Association. I was recently selected to participate in the University of Kansas Health Policy & Management Regional Case Competition, which will take place in October 2017.

University of Arkansas at Fayetteville, Cum Laude, Honors August 2012 – May 2016

I received a Bachelor of Science in Biology with a minor in General Business from the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville in May 2016. I received 4 academic scholarships to the U of A, where I was an active member of several honor societies/clubs on campus: AED Premedical Honors Society, Alpha Sigma Pi (National Society of Leadership and Success), Alpha Lambda Delta (National Honor Society for First Year Students), and Beta Theta Pi Fraternity. I was a founding father of Beta Theta Pi's Eta Mu chapter at U of A, and was a representative to the 2013 John Wooden Leadership Institute in Oxford, Ohio. In addition, I held a leadership position in Beta Theta Pi – Community Service Chair, a position that required organization and leadership of service events.

Honors and Awards

2016 University of Arkansas Chancellor's List Recipient – 4.0 GPA for the 2016 spring semester

2016 University of Arkansas Dean's List Recipient – top 10% of Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences

2015 Student Undergraduate Research Fellowship Recipient

The Student Undergraduate Research Fellowship is a nationally competitive grant given to students interested in conducting in-depth research projects in their specific fields of study. I was awarded funding to conduct research for the Department of Biological Sciences, University of Arkansas.

2013 John Wooden Leadership Institute Representative

The Wooden Institute for Men of Principle is Beta Theta Pi fraternity's hallmark leadership program. Delegates from each individual chapter learn how to become "effective and capable chapter leaders". After serving as the U of A chapter representative to the Wooden Institute in 2013, I applied the leadership principles I learned as Community Service Chairman for the University of Arkansas Eta Mu chapter.

2011 Eagle Scout Recipient

After thirteen years of involvement in Boy Scouts of America, I earned my Eagle Scout rank in December 2011. My experience in Scouting taught me the importance of commitment, responsibility, and civic involvement.

Skills

With my combined work and research background, education, and volunteer experience, I have knowledge of clinical workflows, information technology, research fundamentals, and administrative principles. I am familiar with electronic medical record documentation, coding and billing, and common medical terminology. In addition, my research experience has helped sharpen my critical thinking and problem solving skills. My capability with Microsoft Word, Excel, and PowerPoint is useful in research and business endeavors.

Community Involvement

Community Service Chairman for Beta Theta Pi fraternity (2014) – led a group of over 100 men to engage in volunteer activities for the communities of Fayetteville and Rogers, AR for over a year. I helped coordinate Beta's volunteer activities with the Volunteer Action Center Literacy Program, Life Source International, Red Cross Blood Drive, Fayetteville Public Library, among others.

First Aid Scouting University Instructor – co-taught the first-aid merit badge at the 2015 Scouting University in Fayetteville

Project Leader (Beta Theta Pi) at "Make a Difference Day" for First Tee of Northwest Arkansas (2014)– recruited over 50 fraternity members to set up and facilitate a Halloween, golf-themed carnival for impoverished children of Rogers, AR

Volunteer Action Center Literacy Program (2014) – mentored a third grade student and improved his reading abilities