

Hannah Murfet

Vice Chair



"As Vice Chair and having served on the NGN steering committee for over 2 years, I am really excited by the formation of the new steering committee. In my role I would like to continue developing the NGN and deliver impact this year."

Hannah is a medical biochemist turned quality and regulatory management enthusiast. With a passion for medical technology, Hannah's career so far has focused on medical devices, a field where quality management systems are mandatory and varying in worldwide requirements.

Completing her studies at Kesteven and Grantham Girls' School in Biology, Chemistry, Physics and Psychology Hannah went on to study Medical Biochemistry at the University of Birmingham. Through this course, Hannah's main interests were neurobiology and molecular pathways, leading to a final year project in Xenoestrogens. Prior to completing her final year, Hannah start working at an in vitro diagnostic manufacturer, which open opportunities to make a move into Research and Development and exposure to Health and Safety systems. It was through this work that Hannah sparked an interest in Quality Management Systems.

Hannah's role progressed quickly from Quality Technician to Quality Supervisor. It was at this time that Hannah joined the CQI. This was an excellent opportunity to learn from the profession and in many ways, she believes this step has changed her career.

Hannah then secured a Quality Manager role at a software medical device company. Although a slight

tangent from the medical biochemistry background, Hannah found the quality management skills were highly transferrable.

Hannah's work took on the opportunity to redevelop and reduce documentation whilst implementing regulations including the Canadian Medical Device Regulation. She was lucky enough to be given the chance to study for the CQI Diploma, giving the opportunity to get recognition for her abilities in quality. From this achievement, Hannah hopes this will be another career defining step.

The time came when Hannah wanted to combine her Biochemistry and Quality skills. Since 2013, Hannah has been working for a Biotechnology company. This has given the opportunity to combine her knowledge and continue to progress her regulatory skills through implementing Canadian Medical Device regulations and steps to improve the quality management system.

Hannah has been involved with the Next Generation Network since its origins and currently holds the position of Vice Chair and the first Advisory Council Representative. Through these activities with the CQI as well as contributing to Quality World, Hannah receives the opportunity to network with other professionals, helping to continue her development.

Hannah's Quality Career Timeline

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