

## UC Davis Innovation Institute for Food and Health Science Communication Fellowship

### OVERVIEW

The UC Davis [Innovation Institute for Food and Health](#) (IIFH) is looking for qualified applicants for a one-year **Science Communication Fellowship**.

The selected fellow will utilize their academic research background and experience in science communication to help translate papers and materials from the IIFH and our partners into content suitable for a broader, non-expert audience.

Projects may include:

- Composing and posting social media language on Twitter and LinkedIn
- Writing briefs succinctly summarizing white papers and market reports
- Generate media kits (sample posts, language, tags) for advisory board members
- Writing longer-form Medium posts for online distribution
- Managing the publication of communications on [IIFH website](#)
- Assisting editorial team with scientific literature search and proofreading

Fellows will produce communications to share the accomplishments and advances made by the IIFH and its partners with a broader audience. In addition to writing website briefs and long-form articles, the fellow will manage IIFH social media presences on Twitter and LinkedIn, as well as generating media kits for our advisory board.

### COMMITMENT & ELIGIBILITY

- **50%** flexible, remote appointment (~20 hrs/week)
- **12 months** commitment; start date flexible, no later than Spring quarter
- Must be graduate student or postdoc with scientific research background; PhD candidates and Postdocs highly encouraged to apply
- Experience with science communication required, with preference for experience in non-academic environments (ex. blogging, non-UCD outreach)

### COMPENSATION

- 50% Stipend coverage by IIFH for duration of fellowship:
  - Tuition and salary (at existing rate) for PhD students (or masters)
  - 50% salary for Postdocs

### APPLICATION

To apply, please submit a combined PDF to [innovatorfellowship@ucdavis.edu](mailto:innovatorfellowship@ucdavis.edu) of the following:

- your CV or resume
- cover letter/statement of purpose
- a **non-scientific writing sample** (eg. blog, interview, link to sci-comm focused social media account)

**Application deadline: Friday, January 13, 2023**

Questions? Please contact [innovatorfellowship@ucdavis.edu](mailto:innovatorfellowship@ucdavis.edu).