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Virtual Meeting



Biographies

[Shawna Embrey, M.S.L.](#)

Senior Director, Compendial Operations

Shawna K. Embrey, M.S.L., is the Senior Director of Compendial Operations at U.S. Pharmacopeia (USP). Shawna joined USP in September 2020 bringing over twenty years of industry experience. She has led regional and global operations for large, well-established companies as well as innovative, well-funded Agrosience product manufacturers, building infrastructure from scratch and launching new markets globally. Prior to joining USP, she was the Vice President of Regulatory Affairs for Hazel Technologies, a high-growth technology company, elevating the regulatory group into an influential Regulatory Affairs and Compliance operation covering US, LATAM, and EMEA. Prior to this, she led Global Regulatory Affairs for multiple products at Valent Biosciences, maintaining and expanding global presence. Earlier in her career, she rose through the regulatory ranks at Dow Agrosiences from a bench scientist to group leader, taking products from early-stage concepts through development, registration, and commercialization.

Shawna received her B.S. in Chemistry from the University of Indianapolis, her M.S. in Management, Strategy and Leadership from Michigan State University and M.S. in Law from Northwestern University.

[Jessica Simpson, M.P.H.](#)

Senior Manager, Executive Secretariat

Jessica Simpson has been with USP for 14 years, working with the volunteers and stakeholders throughout her time. She earned her B.S. in Biology from James Madison University and her Masters of Public Health from Johns Hopkins. Prior to working at USP, she did immunology research at the National Cancer Institute.

[Frank A White III \(Trey\), Ph.D.](#)

Senior Director, Digital Platforms & Delivery

Frank (Trey) White joined USP over six years ago and brings more than 25 years of diverse experience in laboratory research, informatics, IT, and product development as Senior Director, Digital Platforms & Delivery, in the Digital and Innovation group.

His role at USP includes developing, coordinating, and oversight of the strategy for delivering our documentary standards to customers and stakeholders through new platforms and business models. Since 2021, he is also the Chair of the Data Integration Office, whose focus is to improve data quality and interoperability at USP.

Dr. White received his Ph.D. in Molecular and Cell Biology from The Pennsylvania State University. His research focused on gene sequence and expression analysis of the JC virus.