# **Director of Corporate Reputation**

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# **Summary**

This position will be located at the East Hanover, NJ site and will not have the ability to be located remotely. This position will require about 10% travel as defined by the business (domestic and/ or international). Please note that this role would not provide relocation and only local candidates will be considered.

The Director, Corporate Reputation, will be the driver and guardian of the US business reputation and corporate storytelling. They will shape our corporate position and visibility, connect with key audiences to drive our business priorities, tell our stories, grow our connectivity with target audiences, and enhance our leadership position in the US.

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## **About the Role**

### **Key Responsibilities:**

- Owner, developer and oversight of the US corporate, above brand, integrated end-to-end corporate
  narrative and storytelling strategy/pillars for external audiences, including social media amplification
  strategy.
- Build high-level corporate messaging around key business narrative pillars with 360 communications framework.
- Infuse new creative and storytelling elements into US corporate affairs.
- Build predictive functionality to storytelling for the US and create content that shapes the environment and connects business with key stakeholders to meet business goals and ambitions.
- Analyze and build outputs based on key audience and landscape insights and analysis.
- Work collaboratively with US media relations team to provide media support.
- Serve as trusted business partner and communications strategy counselor to senior leaders.
- Utilize analytics and insights to inform strategy and report outcomes.
- Stay ahead of curve on corporate storytelling trends and industry foresight on direction to own stories and the places to be; advise senior leaders on reputational advantages and business drivers.
- Build and maintain collaborative relationships with key US functions, US communications partners, public affairs teams, and global corporate affairs colleagues.
- Monitor and evaluate performance to achieve and maintain best-in-class outcomes, while being fully compliant.
- Effectively manage budget and maximize agency ROI.

#### **Essential Requirements:**

- Bachelor's degree required, advanced degree a plus
- 10+ years of experience in corporate communications, corporate storytelling, or related discipline, with healthcare and/or pharmaceutical background and/or translatable consumer background
- Strong storytelling and content creation background
- Proven ability to bring forward creative solutions and new storytelling angles to bring fresh visibility and connectivity to heighten corporate reputation
- Reputation and issues management
- Strong media relations expertise and media relationship management
- Development and implementation of integrated communications plans and content
- Influencing at a high senior level and navigating complexity

## **Desirable Requirements:**

- Editorial oversight and project management
- Good understanding of social media strategy and content development
- Management of agency partners and budget

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Division

Corporate Affairs

**Business Unit** 

Universal Hierarchy Node

Location

USA

State

New Jersey

Site

East Hanover

Company / Legal Entity

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**Functional Area** 

Communications & Public Affairs

Job Type

Full time

**Employment Type** 

Regular

Shift Work

No

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