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Vascular

Terrence Wiggins has joined Cook as the director of Global Marketing for Vascular. Since May 2012, Terrence had worked for TIS a vascular medical device company.

Brad Bissonnette has been named an account executive for the Ambulatory Care Business team. He joined Cook in 2015 as a clinical specialist in the former PI business unit. In 2020, he became a district manager and, in 2022, he became a district manager 2.

Don Miller has been named manager, Americas Commercial Business. He started at Cook in 2012 as a CAM in PI. He later became a cardiovascular CAM and supported both the former PI and IR business units. Since 2018, he has been the account executive manager for the Vascular US West Area.

James Mitchell has been named global product manager for the Aortic Abdominal team. He started at Cook in 2012 as an endovascular planner in

Europe. In 2019, he joined the EMEA Programs team as a product manager.

Steve Phillips has been named manager of Global Clinical Training for the LM specialty. He joined Cook Medical in 2009 as a sales representative for the LM team in the UK and Ireland. In 2012, he was promoted to regional manager. Most recently, he was EMEA Programs team lead for LM.

Sylvia Vogel de Castillo has been named a project manager for the Global LM specialty. She joined Cook in 1999 as a marketing coordinator in Denmark. She has been working with LM since 2008 and has also worked with the PI group. Most recently, she worked as a project manager on the EMEA Programs team.

Rick Lohmann has joined Cook as a regional business manager for the Southern California/Inland Empire/Hawaii area. Most recently, Rick worked as a regional sales manager at Neuronetics, where he was

responsible for eight states and an 11-person sales and clinical team.

Céline Lecapitaine has been named manager of product management for Drainage and Transjugular Interventions. She began her Cook career in Customer Service in 2006 and was based in Limerick. She later became a sales representative for the former PI business unit in France and then a product manager for the former IR business unit. Since 2018, she has served as the global program manager for the drainage product line.

Amanda McElroy has been named a manager of Product Management for Venous Therapies. Amanda began her Cook career in 2006 in Reimbursement. In 2012, she became a global product manager for venous products for the former PI business unit. Since 2018, she has been in a leadership role as global program manager for venous obstruction.

Jansen Perdue has been named

▲ **Amanda McElroy**▲ **Jansen Perdue**▲ **Rafa Pedraza**▲ **Alec Cerchiari**▲ **Remco van der Meel**▲ **Johnny LeBlanc**▲ **Steve Yackovich**▲ **Neena Stephen**

director of Global Commercial Business for the Vascular division. He joined Cook in 2012 as a project manager. He then moved into a global product manager role in the former PI business unit. Since 2018, he has been the global commercial business manager for Vascular.

Rafael (Rafa) Pedraza has been named a reporting analyst. He joined Cook Ireland in 2007 as a customer service representative and later took on the role of invoice query representative. He then moved back to Spain and became a sales support administrator in 2008. In 2015, he became a project manager in PI. Most recently, Rafa has been the project manager for business planning and alignment in EMEA.

Alec Cerchiari has been named director of Product Management for the PAD/Venous Therapies specialty. He came to Cook in 2015 as a scientist and joined R&D. In 2018, he transitioned to Vascular product management, with responsibility for

above- and below-the-knee PAD product lines. Most recently, he served as global marketing manager for intra-vascular imaging at Abbott.

Remco van der Meel has been named director of Product Management for the Interventional Therapies specialty. Remco joined Cook in 2003 as a D&I sales representative in the Netherlands. In 2007, he transitioned into product management and held various leadership roles within the former IR business unit. Since the creation of the Vascular division, he has been the global program manager for Interventional Therapies.

Johnny LeBlanc has been named director of Product Management for the Aortic Therapies specialty. He started his career at Cook in 2006 as a district manager in the former AI business unit, eventually transitioning to regional management. In 2012, he moved into Aortic product management where he held various leadership positions. Most recently,

he has served as the global program manager for Aortic Therapies.

Steve Yackovich has been named director of Product Management for the LM specialty. He joined Cook in 2011 and has served in a variety of marketing, product management, and sales leadership roles. Before Transformation, he was the global sales director for LM. For the past several years, Steve has been the global program director for LM.

Neena Stephen has been named director of Product Management Operations for the Vascular division. She started at Cook in 2007 as an associate product manager. She later became a global product manager, team leader, and a field product specialist in the former IR business unit. Since 2018, she has been the global program manager for liver access and needles. In 2021, Neena also co-led the Everyday DEI workstream in the Americas.

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▲ **Salil Kalghatgi**



▲ **Richard Jefferson**



▲ **Erin Boyle**



▲ **Jeanne Kildelund**



▲ **Sinéad Burke**



▲ **Alexis Sheets**



▲ **Tammy Martin**



▲ **Jenny Lau**

Vascular (continued)

Salil Kalghatgi has been named area manager for account executives for the US West area. He started at Cook in 2019 as a Vascular account executive for the Southern California and Los Angeles teams. Last year, Salil was the Vascular Account Executive of the Year.

MedEd

Richard Jefferson has been named manager of Global Medical Education Solutions. He joined Cook in 2007 as part of the UK Urology team and moved to MedEd in January 2019.

Erin Boyle has been named a project manager for Medical Education Solutions. She joined Cook in 2015 as an administrative assistant for the Surgery specialty, and later for the Otolaryngology–Head & Neck Surgery (OHNS) specialty as well. Erin joined the MedEd team in 2018 as a project manager.

Jeanne Kildelund has been named a project manager for Medical Education Solutions. She joined Cook

in 2015 as a project manager for the IR specialty, based in Denmark. In 2018, she joined MedEd as a project manager for Healthcare Professional Service Agreements in EMEA.

Regulatory Affairs

Sinéad Burke has been named vice president for Global Regulatory Affairs. She joined the Regulatory Affairs team at Cook Ireland in 2006 and was promoted to director for EMEA in 2015. In 2021, she was named director of Global Regulatory Affairs.

HR

Alexis Sheets has joined the Divisional HR Team. Alexis worked for Cook Medical as an HR Intern, in both 2016 and 2017. She graduated from Ball State University with a Bachelor of Science in HR Management and Risk Management and Insurance. She most recently served as a Talent Program manager at Lev—a Cognizant Company.

Tammy Martin has joined the Divisional HR Team. She comes to

Cook with 22 years of HR experience with Eli Lilly. Most recently, she worked in HR for IU Health.

Marketing Operations

Jenny Lau has joined Cook as the manager for Marketing Materials Processing in APAC. For the last six years, she has led production teams at Donnelley responsible for linguistic projects with multinational accounts with a focus on process implementation and improvement.

Sarah Chau has joined Cook as a Marketing Materials Processing specialist in APAC. She has over 20 years of experience in marketing, communications, and event coordination. She previously worked as an operation administrator for Pfizer.

Research and Development (R&D)

Elizabeth Brown has been named a senior director of R&D for the MedSurg Division. She started at Cook in 2004 working in what is now called the CINC Engineering Testing Laboratory. In 2008, she moved to



▲ Sarah Chau



▲ Elizabeth Brown



▲ Vihar Surti



▲ Darach McGrath



▲ Blayne Roeder



▲ Shelly Boyd



▲ Allison LeBlanc



▲ Catherine Hogan

CC engineering and was later named team lead. She then became the engineering manager at CINC and most recently, served as the global R&D director for MedSurg.

Vihar Surti has been named a senior director of R&D for the MedSurg Division. He joined Cook in 2000 as a product development engineer. He later became a senior R&D engineer and then engineering manager. In 2013, Vihar became a director of R&D premarket engineering and has served as a global R&D director for MedSurg since 2017.

Darach McGrath has been named senior director of R&D for the Vascular Division. He began his career at Cook Limerick in 2004 as an R&D engineer and was promoted to R&D manager in 2011. Between 2015 and 2018, he served as the director of engineering for Cook Ireland. Most recently, Darach was a global R&D director for Vascular, and he provided interim leadership to the global R&D function after the most recent VP left the company in 2019.

Blayne Roeder has been named senior

director for Corporate Development. He started at MED Institute in 2004 as a senior engineer before becoming a product discovery director in 2006. In 2012, Blayne moved into the product development director role for AI. Most recently, he has served as the global R&D director for New Ventures.

Shelly Boyd has been named vice president of Cook Regentec. She joined Cook in 1991 and has held a variety of leadership roles at Cook Medical before transitioning to Cook Regentec in 2016. Most recently, she led Cook Regentec as general manager of Indianapolis Operations and senior global director of Strategic Operations.

Continuous Improvement (CI)

Allison LeBlanc has joined Cook as a CI skills coach for the AMER region. Originally from south Louisiana, Allison's career brought her to Philadelphia as a service technician and manufacturing engineer at Philips, where she has held a variety of roles over a 12-year span.

Marketing & Communications

Catherine Hogan has been named brand manager for Global Brand Guidelines. She joined Cook in 2005 and has since been involved in multiple aspects of marketing, managing a variety of marketing functions in EMEA, including events, Vista courses, and materials management. In 2018, she moved to Medical Education as a global brand marketing manager.



▲ **Timothy Chu**



▲ **Laurisa Swamy**



▲ **Oshadi Yatawarage**



▲ **Veronica Herrera Alviar**



▲ **Leilani De Kleyn**



▲ **Saba Shams Bidhendi**



▲ **Krista Nearhos**



▲ **Hemangi Malde**

**Marketing & Communications
(continued)**

Timothy Chu has been named Marketing Automation administrator. He started at Cook in 2019 as a business systems analyst in IT. At the beginning of this year, he joined the Salesforce IT team and received his Salesforce Admin certification. Before Cook, he worked in online advertising and email marketing.

Cook Australia

Laurisa Swamy has been named a senior systems engineer within the Engineering Systems team. She began working with Cook in 2018 as a post market engineer.

Oshadi Yatawarage has been named a two-year secondment in the Documentation department as a clinical communications specialist. She began working at Cook in 2014 in stent manufacturing.

Veronica Herrera Alviar has been named a senior QA engineer for the

Quality Engineering team. She joined Cook in 2017.

Leilani De Kleyn has been named a QA Complaint Investigator. She joined Cook in 2007, starting in QC before moving to the QA team.

Saba Shams Bidhendi has been named a QA engineer. She has been with Cook since 2019, working as part of the Research Hub for Advanced Manufacturing of Medical Devices as an industrial engineer.

Krista Nearhos has been named a team leader for the Post Market Engineering team. She started at Cook in 2016.

Hemangi Malde has been named acting manager for Regulatory Affairs. She has been with Cook since 2017.

Natalie Lynch has been named a Regulatory Affairs specialist. Her Cook career began in 2018 as a laboratory technician in the QA lab. She then accepted a secondment to the RA Vascular team in May 2021.

Alex Buddery has been named a skills coach for APAC. He has been with Cook for six years and previously served as the Continuous Improvement manager.

Shweta Sawant has been named a product manager for Reproductive Health. She joined Cook in 2016.

MedSurg

Heather Loke has joined Cook as manager of Global Marketing for the Endoscopy specialty. She has worked in various positions across strategic product marketing and product management at several medical device companies which serve the emergency, elective, and preventative medical fields. Her experience includes external defibrillators with Medtronic, infertility technologies with CooperSurgical, and mammography equipment with Hologic.



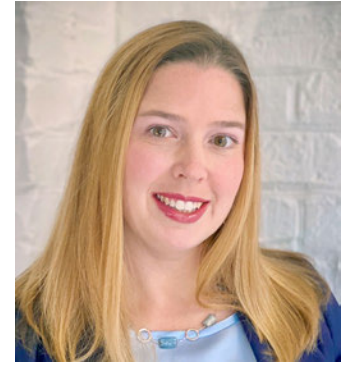
▲ **Natalie Lynch**



▲ **Alex Buddery**



▲ **Shweta Sawant**



▲ **Heather Loke**



▲ **Brenda Mauder**

Manufacturing

Brenda Mauder has been named the second shift manager for PSS at Cook Ellettsville West. She began her Cook career in Balloons at Cook Spencer in 1991. She then moved into Media Culture after 13 years. In 2005, Brenda became a group leader in Incoming QC before moving into Finished QC in 2005. Brenda was promoted to a supervisor for Finished QC in 2010 and then held the same role in Women's Health in 2015.

Acronyms and definitions

- ▶ **AI** - Aortic Intervention
- ▶ **AMER** - Americas
- ▶ **APAC** - Asia Pacific
- ▶ **CAM** - Corporate Account Manager
- ▶ **CC** - Critical Care
- ▶ **CINC** - Cook Inc.
- ▶ **DEI** - Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion
- ▶ **D&I** - Diagnostic and Interventional
- ▶ **EMEA** - Europe, the Middle East, and Africa
- ▶ **HR** - Human Resources
- ▶ **IR** - Interventional Radiology
- ▶ **IU** - Indiana University
- ▶ **LM** - Lead Management
- ▶ **MedEd** - Medical Education
- ▶ **OHNS** - Otolaryngology-Head & Neck Surgery
- ▶ **PAD** - Peripheral Arterial Disease
- ▶ **PI** - Peripheral Intervention
- ▶ **PSS** - Post Sterilization Services
- ▶ **QA** - Quality Assurance
- ▶ **QC** - Quality Control
- ▶ **R&D** - Research & Development
- ▶ **Secondment** - a period of time in which an employee temporarily works on a different team within their organization
- ▶ **TIS** - Terumo Interventional Systems