

ALTERNATIVE CAREERS FOR STEM PHDS

- Science communication is an emerging field that extends beyond traditional newspapers, videos, TV, radio, etc. Recommended for researchers with good communication skills
- Clinical research in pharmaceutical companies and research institutes involves organizing/ conducting clinical trials. This is a good alternative to laboratory work
- Medical writing involves compiling and editing clinical/statistical reports and studying the related protocols
- YouTube partnership provides excellent opportunities to earn revenue from Google Adsense
- Career in sales (e.g., Product Management/Sales Management) provides an opportunity to meet new people, travel, and communicate about company products or services
- Techno-legal consultation involves reviewing and drafting patent applications for law firms
- Scientific editing involves proofreading and formatting research data into a manuscript-ready format for journal submission
- **Technical consultation** involves sharing highly specialized knowledge from various STEM areas
- Research-inspired entrepreneurship is a relatively unexplored profession that encourages the commercialization of innovative products or services, thereby making an impact on society
- Career in regulatory affairs involves challenging roles that require you to combine scientific, legal, and business knowledge to ensure that pharmaceutical products comply with standard legislation