

## Meet Our Team: EAS Scientific Writing Group

The Scientific Writing Group prepares study reports and other data summaries for EAS Easton studies, ensuring collaborative, accurate, and timely turnaround of your reports.



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## **EAS Scientific Writers: Meet the Team**

### Deborah Amick - Scientific Writer Group Leader

- With EAS Easton since 2022
- B.S. in Chemistry; Biochemistry/ Molecular Biology; M.S. in Chemistry



### **Background**

Deborah joined the Eurofins team in Easton to write analytical chemistry reports, aided by her attention to detail which she had developed during her time as a middle and high school science teacher. She became the lead of the Analytical Chemistry Scientific Writing Group in October 2022, and in June 2024 she was appointed to lead the unified Scientific Writing Group.

#### **Fun Fact**

Deborah enjoys getting outdoors, spending time in the woods with her children and husband, or gardening and taking care of her bee hives.

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### Cynthia Campbell -Scientific Writer

- With EAS Easton since 2021
- B.S. in Chemistry

### **Background**

While studying for her Bachelor's degree, Cynthia took part in undergraduate research for the detection methods of impurities in diethylene glycol samples using gas chromatography-mass spectrometry (GC-MS) and other instrumentation. She initially started out in EAS Easton as an Assistant Scientist/Laboratory Personnel before switching to Report Writer in 2022, where she has excelled at writing complex analytical chemistry reports and has trained the team and chemists on how to provide a thorough quality control check of the data.

### **Fun Fact**

In her free time, Cynthia enjoys crafting cosplays, watching anime, and playing video games.

### Anne Sindermann - Scientific Writer

- With EAS Easton since 2001
- B.S. in Horticulture; M.S. in Plant Pathology



### **Background**

Anne has worked at the USDA and Maryland Department of Agriculture plant protection programs and has been a Study Director for many plant and invertebrate ecotoxicology projects. During her time as Study Director, she focused on honeybee and insect testing, earthworms and terrestrial plants. She also served as a member of the Quality Assurance team for chemistry and biodegradation for several years. She has experience with many aspects of GLP report writing and data integrity.

#### **Fun Fact**

Anne's newest project is to hike in a different national park each year.

### **Shelby Stevens - Scientific Writer**

- With EAS Easton since 2020
- B.S. in Biology

### **Background**

Shelby started as a bench chemist in Product Chemistry and quickly gained proficient bench skills in a variety of studies while supporting Study Directors with protocol and report composition, QC, and addressing audits. Her excellent attention to detail and positive attitude led to her placement in the Scientific Writing Group.



Shelby is an avid animal lover with four pets of her own: two dogs named Stella and Luna and two cats named Chloe and Sir Finnegan (aka Finn). She is also an outdoorsy girl who loves to hunt and fish.



# **EAS Scientific Writers: Meet the Team**

### Eric Peterson - Scientific Writer

- With EAS Easton since 2014
- B.S. in Agriculture Plant Science;
  M.S. in Food & Agricultural Sciences



### **Background**

Eric joined the EAS Plants and Invertebrates team as a biologist in the greenhouse, where he assisted with non-target plant studies and soon became the greenhouse supervisor. This position eventually led him to assuming the role of Study Director. During this time, he worked on a number of different greenhouse studies, sometimes in collaboration with other departments. Eric also gained experience working with pollinator, earthworm, and collembola studies. In October 2023, Eric transitioned into the role of Report Writer due to his Study Director experience. He started by writing reports for the analytical chemistry team and eventually began assisting other departments. He is currently working with the Aquatics team study directors in writing reports.

### **Fun Fact**

When away from the lab, Eric enjoys spending time with his children and pets or working on projects at his farm.



### Bradley Cruikshank - QC Data Specialist

- With EAS Easton since 2023
- B.S. in Mathematics



### **Background**

Bradley graduated from Salisbury University and joined the EAS Aquatics team directly afterwards in 2023. During his undergraduate studies, he spent time in a small team researching topics in Schubert Calculus. With a history in mathematical research, Bradley jumped right into gaining experience handling the various types of data produced at the Easton facility. He's taken the environment change in stride as he continues improving his ability to accurately ensure high quality control standards.

#### **Fun Fact**

In his spare time, you can find Bradley at the gym, on the trail, or on his computer playing video games with friends.

### Nick Jayne -Scientific Writer

- With EAS Easton since 2023
- B.A. in English



Nick has been writing his entire life, taking on roles in marketing (with HR&Co.), publishing (with Cornell University Press), and the non-profit sector (with Friendship Donations Network). He holds an English degree from Central Washington University and is currently applying his literary knowledge to lab reports.

#### **Fun Fact**

When not writing, Nick is often running after his dog, a rambunctious golden retriever named Fiona.

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