



## Porcia A. Thurston

### Senior Contracts Specialist

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## Industry Experience

### Clinical and Contracts Finance Associate

Gilead Sciences, Inc.

### Contracts Associate

Genentech, Inc.

### Contracts Specialist

Impax Laboratories, Inc.

Porcia brings extensive contracting experience to her work for Faber's biopharma industry clients. She is a talented negotiator, who has skillfully drafted and administered agreements for a wide range of matters, including clinical studies, consulting agreements, service contracts and confidential disclosures.

### EXPERIENCE

#### Gilead Sciences, Inc.

Clinical Contracts and Finance Associate

- Reviewed, drafted, negotiated and managed a variety of clinical trial agreements, amendments, and assignment agreements
- Worked in project management of clinical trials

#### Genentech, Inc.

Contracts Associate

- Negotiated and drafted a variety of agreements including statements of work, vendor service agreements, consulting agreements, and confidentiality agreements

#### Impax Laboratories, Inc.

Contracts Specialist

- Negotiated and drafted a variety of agreements

### RECENT CLIENT WORK

- Phase 1 pediatric study sponsored by Portola Pharmaceuticals, Inc., involving approximately 60 subjects located in North America, the United Kingdom, and Russia
- Phase 4 clinical trial sponsored by Portola Pharmaceuticals, Inc., involving approximately 100 sites located in North America, Europe, and Asia
- Phase 2 clinical trial sponsored by Puma Biotechnology, Inc., involving over 600 subjects across multiple sites in North America, Europe, and Asia

### COMMUNITY

Porcia is a member of the National Lawyers Guild.

### Education

- University of California, Los Angeles, J.D., Critical Race Studies
- University of California Los Angeles, B.S., Political Science, Magna Cum Laude

