



STEPHANIE HARTSEL

PRINCIPAL LIFE SCIENCE RECRUITER

Stephanie is currently Principal Life Science Recruiter at Emerge, where she partners with biotech and pharmaceutical companies to recruit top talent across a wide range of functional groups — including R&D, clinical, regulatory, commercial, manufacturing, and corporate functions.

She has spent over 25 years in the biotech industry, beginning as a scientist at Amgen and Thermo Fisher before transitioning into HR and Talent Management leadership. At miRagen Therapeutics, Stephanie played a key role in building the organization from the ground up, defining growth strategies that shaped both its infrastructure and culture while driving innovation and operational excellence. This unique combination of scientific expertise and talent strategy allows her to bridge science and people, helping organizations discover and develop new therapies for patients with unmet medical needs.

Based in Colorado, Stephanie enjoys adventure travel and spending time in the Rocky Mountains. She also volunteers with multiple nonprofits, including Soul Dog Rescue and Greenwood Wildlife Rehabilitation Center, where she currently serves on the Board of Directors.
