

## **Apposite Capital Strengthens Team with Four New Appointments and Promotion**

**London, UK – 13<sup>th</sup> May 2021.** Apposite Capital, the healthcare specialist private equity investor, today announces the following appointments and promotion:

- John Morley as Talent and Human Capital Director. This is a newly created role designed to further expand Apposite’s talent pool and access new skills and capabilities to support the growth of Apposite’s portfolio companies
- Christian Schenk as Investment Manager and Sahil Shah as Investment Executive. Both will be involved in all aspects of deal investing in the UK and Europe. As a German native speaker Christian will further strengthen Apposite’s deal sourcing and execution capabilities in Continental European markets
- The promotion of Lauren Edison to Investment Manager. Lauren joined in 2018 and served as an observer of MC Care Board (aka MiHomecare and Complete Care) which successfully exited recently. She is currently an observer of the Board of Mirada Medical, a fast-growing digital health company and as a member of the deal team is responsible for sourcing and executing investments across Europe

### **John Morley, Talent and Human Capital Director**

John is a specialist healthcare recruiter having spent time in executive search before moving in-house. He was Global Head of Talent Acquisition for ConvaTec, Vertex and Astra Zeneca before setting up his own company, JDM Talent Ltd.

John will be working with Apposite to enhance its talent pool and diversity & inclusion programmes, as well as adding value to portfolio companies on a range of topics from employee retention and recruitment to employer branding.

### **Christian Schenk, Investment Manager**

Prior to joining Apposite, Christian spent over six years at L.E.K. Consulting, a global management consulting firm. As an Engagement Manager in the London Life Sciences practice, he focused on corporate strategy and M&A activities for financial investors and corporate clients. Prior to that, he spent over 2 years at Eli Lilly as medical sales representative. At Apposite, he will be focusing on deal origination especially in the Germany, Austria, Switzerland (DACH) area, as well as executing and managing investments. Christian holds an MSc in Molecular Biology from the University of Vienna and has completed CFA Level 2. He is fluent in German and English.

### **Sahil Shah, Investment Executive**

Sahil joined Apposite from Cantor Fitzgerald Europe where he was an Associate within their Healthcare Investment Banking team. He was previously at KPMG Corporate Finance where he focused on M&A transactions in the healthcare sector. Sahil holds a BA (Hons) in Philosophy, Politics and Economics from Durham University and is a qualified Chartered Accountant.

Sam Gray, Managing Partner, Apposite Capital commented: “As investors focused on small growth buyout opportunities in the healthcare sector, a critical part of our value creation lies in our backing

and building the management capabilities that allow smaller businesses to scale rapidly and deliver on their growth plans. John's expertise will be valuable as we seek to further strengthen our talent programme."

"I am also very pleased to welcome Christian and Sahil to the investment team at a time where we are engaged with a record number of exciting opportunities in the UK and in Europe."

"Finally, I would particularly like to thank Lauren for her hard work over the last three years and her valuable contribution to Apposite's current and upcoming new investments," he concluded.

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**About Apposite Capital**

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Apposite Capital is an independent investment firm focused exclusively on healthcare. It focuses on companies operating in health and social care, medtech & medical products, pharmaceuticals & life science and digital health.

The firm operates at the small end of the private equity market, providing both capital and expertise to those businesses offering 'disruptive' models that aim to improve or reduce the cost of care provision and which have the potential to become market leaders.

Apposite has an in-depth sector knowledge covering key aspects of the healthcare industry internationally coupled with local insights, an exceptional network and an entrepreneurial mindset which it applies to drive the growth of its portfolio companies.

Apposite was established in 2006 and is headquartered in London, UK.

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