## Speaker profile:

## Simon Bousquet, PhD, Director, Business Development, Mitacs

Simon Bousquet holds a BSc graduated with a PhD in pharmacology from Université de Sherbrooke in 2010. His research and lab experience granted him the chance to work with the University as a radiosafety advisor and then as a biosafety advisor, helping research teams comply with regulations.

Simon then joined Mitacs in 2012 where he's now a business development director, helping industrial partners connect with researchers and students for collaborative research projects. Through their suite of programs, Mitacs helps develop the next generation of researchers by giving them the opportunity to gain experience with industry and by offering skills development workshops.