

# BIOCHEMISTRY SEMINAR SERIES



“A 360-degree perspective of academic-industry partnerships”

## Amy Miracco

Sanofi S.A., Manager,  
Strategic Academic Partnerships, iAwards Program

After graduation, I began my journey off the bench with a post doc at Fraunhofer working as a technology commercialization fellow focused on clean energy. Wanting to get back into life science and closer to the patient, I took a position in the Boston Children's Hospital's Technology and Innovation Development Office working as a business development and alliance manager. The relationships I formed there allowed me to move across the table to where I currently work at Sanofi to run the Innovation Awards program, a unique mechanism to bring in early-stage external innovation to help support the internal pipeline and bring innovative therapeutic solutions to patients. My talk will focus on the unique aspects of each role and how they helped to prepare me along the way.

“Breaking into Biotech -and- What if mRNA could be a medicine?”



## Edward Miracco

Moderna, Inc., Principal Scientist,  
Analytical Technical Operations

Biotech science is fast paced and requires significant collaboration across disciplines. I will discuss my experiences transitioning to a hyper-growth company, the challenges I've faced, and share some suggestions on how best to prepare for a career in biotech. For the second part of my talk, I will discuss what we are doing at Moderna, how we got here, and what the future may hold.

**Friday, June 5, 2020**

**via Zoom**

link will be provided on Friday before the seminar

**3:30 pm**