

## About the author



Dr. Saeed Qureshi has a Ph.D. in fundamental science (chemistry) specializing in analytical chemistry, which covers the science of substances' isolation, identification, characterization, purification, tests developments, validation, and their uses.

Dr. Qureshi has been active as a scientist for at least 40 years in different areas, especially pharmaceuticals, food, microbiology, etc.

As a senior research scientist with Health Canada, Dr. Qureshi conducted experimental studies to assess drug applications for product marketing. In addition, he undertook hands-on experimental (scientific) studies in vitro and in vivo (animal/human).

He developed instrumental and mathematical methods/models to provide simpler and more efficient analytical approaches applicable to assessments and manufacturing quality products. Furthermore, he conducted international collaborative studies as a lead and a participant in evaluating regulatory standards for establishing the quality of pharmaceutical products.

While working with Health Canada for 30 years (1985-2015), Dr. Qureshi has developed a deep understanding of the underlying issues facing regulatory authorities and the pharmaceutical industry related to the assessment of products.

He reviewed drug applications and provided advice as an expert on the subject. In this regard, Dr. Qureshi maintains a full command of scientific aspects related to animal and human studies for developing and evaluating products. Such multifaceted knowledge and experience make him an unmatched and unique authority on the subject from both perspectives; manufacturing and regulatory.

He has extensively published in peer-reviewed journals and made numerous invited national and international presentations on the subjects.

He is an accomplished scientist from a regulatory organization, as reflected by several high-profile awards he has received, such as (1) the Lifetime Achievement Award (2015, Indus Foundation, India); (2) the 2007 Deputy Minister's (Health Canada) Award of Excellence in Science; (3) Excellence in Science Award (2007, Health Canada).

A copy of Dr. Qureshi's resume is available [here](#).

Dr. Qureshi's expertise and experiences would greatly help individuals or organizations seeking advice/consultation in designing study protocols, monitoring/observing studies, and interpreting and writing up studies, particularly for senior managers and decision-makers. In addition, Dr. Qureshi's abilities would shine in situations where there are complex issues of unexplained behaviors of products both in vitro and in vivo.