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A short biography

Professor Michel L. Tremblay, PhD, F.R.S.C., C.Q., is a Distinguished Professor in the Department of Biochemistry at McGill University and a member of the Goodman Cancer Institute. He holds the Jeanne and Jean-Louis Lévesque Chair in Cancer Research and is affiliated with the Departments of Oncology, Microbiology & Immunology, and Medicine. Trained at the Université de Sherbrooke, McMaster University, and the NIH (NICHD), he joined McGill in 1992 and served as Director of the McGill Cancer Centre/Goodman Cancer Centre from 2000 to 2012. His research focuses on the function and regulation of protein tyrosine phosphatases and their roles in cancer, diabetes, and neuroscience. He has authored over 250 publications, holds more than 30 patents, and has received nearly 25,000 citations (h-index 83). Among his several awards, he served as President of the Academy of Science of the Royal Society of Canada, received a Doctorate Honoris Causa from the Université de Bordeaux, and was elected a Knight of the National Order of Quebec.

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