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**Monday,**  
**Oct. 16, 2017**

**TIME:**  
4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

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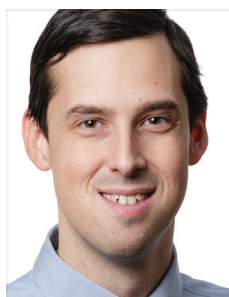
## Targeting Fibrotic Disorders Using Nanoparticules

### SPEAKERS:



#### **Dr. Kjetil Ask**

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Director, Demystifying Medicine Seminar Series*



#### **Dr. Todd Hoare**

*Associate Professor in the Department of  
Chemical Engineering at McMaster University*

### LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

- To give an overview of shared cellular and molecular mechanisms involved in progression of fibrotic disease.
- Understand how circulating monocytes and activated macrophages have emerged as a therapeutic target to prevent progression of fibrotic disease.
- To give the audience an appreciation of the multiple considerations associated with the design of a nanoscale targeted drug delivery vehicle.
- To impart technical knowledge around the impacts of nanoparticle properties on the efficacy of drug delivery in various cases.