



## DATA SCIENCE SPEAKER SERIES



# A Career in Data Science

with **Erik Drysdale**, Data Scientist, Eli Lilly

**Abstract:** Join Erik as he describes his career path in data science, shares key lessons from each job, and discusses how you can be successful as a data scientist in today's world.

**Bio:** Erik is a Data Scientist with Eli Lilly and has a background in economics, statistics, and healthcare. Erik began his career as an economist at the Bank of Canada, and then pivoted his career towards healthcare, where he then held roles as a Bioinformatician at the Ontario Institute for Cancer Research, a Machine Learning Specialist at the Hospital for Sick Children, and a Senior Data Scientist at Boston Consulting Group. Erik's academic interests are at the intersection of machine learning and statistics. Checkout Erik's personal website: <https://www.erikdrysdale.com/>



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**Time: 4:00-5:00 PM**

**Location: Summerlee Science Complex**

**Room: SSC 1303**

**Bring your questions!**



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