

# Speaker's Biosketch

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## **Khalid Al Rasadi (Sultan Qaboos University, Oman)**

Professor Khalid Al-Rasadi, born in Oman, is a distinguished medical professional with a wealth of experience and expertise in medical biochemistry and lipidology. He obtained his Medical Degree in 1998 and pursued his postgraduate training in Medical Biochemistry at McGill University in Canada from 2002 to 2006.

During his time at McGill University, Professor Al-Rasadi worked as a scientist at the Royal Victoria Hospital, under the guidance of Prof. Jacques Genest. His research focused on the molecular genetics of familial hypercholesterolemia and hypoalphalipoproteinemia. He also received specialized training at the lipid clinic of the Royal Victoria Hospital and was awarded a certificate in Clinical Lipidology by the National Lipid Association in the United States in 2008.

Currently, Professor Al-Rasadi serves as a professor in the Department of Biochemistry at the College of Medicine & Health Sciences at Sultan Qaboos University (SQU) in Oman. He holds the position of Director of the Medical Research Center at SQU. He is a founding member and the current president of the Oman Society for Lipid and Atherosclerosis (OSLA).

Prof. Al-Rasadi has led several groundbreaking studies both nationally and regionally, including the Gulf Familial Hypercholesterolemia Study and the Oman FH Cascade Screening Study. He is actively involved in national and international medical associations and currently serves as the Secretary of the IAS Board of Directors. Additionally, he contributes to the medical community as a member of the editorial board for the Oman Medical Journal.

With over 160 publications, a remarkable h-index of 34, and 4898 citations, Professor Khalid Al-Rasadi is a respected authority in the field of medical biochemistry and lipidology.