Gordon Zello Biography

Dr. Gordon Zello is a nutritional scientist who has expertise in measuring the nutrient needs, nutrition attitudes, body composition and energy expenditure in humans. He has been involved in studies examining these nutritional parameters using both traditional and new methods of assessment (e.g. various intake assessment methods, questionnaires, calorimetry, bioimpedance). His protein requirement research has been cited (4 papers) in the Dietary Reference Intakes (2002) which is the nutrition standard for North American. He did his B.Sc., M.Sc., and Ph.D. in Nutrition at the University of Toronto and has been a professor in the College of Pharmacy and Nutrition at the University of Saskatchewan since 1992. His research has been funded by the Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR), the Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada, the Saskatchewan Health Research Foundation, the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Canada, and the Dairy Farmers of Canada. He has co-authored approximately 100 journal articles and book chapters. Dr. Zello has served as an executive member of the Canadian Nutrition Society; a member of the CIHR Nutrition and Health Grant Review Committee, and Chair of the Post-Doctoral Peer Review Committee of Health Canada.