

Amit Mehta

Chief Operating Officer & Chief Business Officer, Dren Bio

Amit Mehta joined Dren Bio in October 2023 and currently serves as our COO and CBO. Dr. Mehta most recently served as the VP and Head of Business Development at Genentech. In this role, Dr. Mehta was a core member of the Genentech Research and Early Development (gRED) Leadership Team, Research Review Committee, Early Stage Portfolio Committee and led a high-performing team that helped source and execute several strategic partnerships. During his 18-year tenure at Genentech, Dr. Mehta held roles of increasing responsibility that spanned process development, manufacturing, product strategy and business development. He led multiple teams over the years that made significant contributions to numerous early and late-stage programs, helped shape therapeutic area strategies and established vital external partnerships across technology platforms, personalized healthcare, and several therapeutic areas. Dr. Mehta received his Bachelor of Engineering in Chemical Engineering from Bangalore University and a PhD in Chemical Engineering from Pennsylvania State University.