

## **Sarah Arth, CAE**

With over 15 years in the association industry Sarah is an accomplished association executive skilled in program development, event management, fundraising, non-profit strategy and coalition building. As the Vice President, Education, at the Biotechnology Innovation Organization, Sarah is responsible for setting the strategy and executing the education program for all of BIO's events, including the BIO International Convention, the largest, most influential biotech meeting in the world, regularly attracting 15,000 plus biotech and pharma professionals from 65 countries.

Prior to joining BIO, Sarah spent ten years at the National Association of Chain Drug Stores (NACDS) where she held various roles in programming, grassroots outreach and fundraising. In 2012 Sarah earned the Certified Association Executive credential from the American Society of Association Executives. She has served on the board of directors of the NACDS Foundation, National Council for Patient Information and Education (NCPPIE) and the Boys and Girls Club of Alexandria, VA. She currently serves on the board of the Crystal City Children's Center. Sarah graduated from the University of Delaware with a marketing degree and is originally from Shillington, Pennsylvania.