Dr. Litewka will be speaking about the challenges of conducting research in international settings, and about the recent revelations that in the 1940s the U.S. Public Health Service supported research in Guatemala that involved the intentional infection of subjects. In 2011 President Obama appointed Dr. Litewka to the United States Presidential Commission for the Study of Bioethics Issues. Dr. Litewka is the director of the Pan American Bioethics Initiative, a research assistant professor at the University of Miami’s Ethics Programs, and the Latin American coordinator for the Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI Program).

Monday, November 28, 2011

11:30 am - 12:30 pm  “The Presidential Commission for the Study of Bioethics Issues: What the Case of Guatemala Has Taught Us”
A Talk by Dr. Sergio Litewka
Cori Auditorium  (McDonnell Science Bldg. 1st floor, Medical Campus)

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm  “The Challenges of Conducting Research in Developing Countries and International Settings”
A Conversation with Dr. Sergio Litewka
Goldfarb 359  (Goldfarb Hall 3rd floor, Danforth Campus)

Snacks will be served