The Columbia University IRB invites you to attend the third session in our "IRB 101" series of information seminars.

**Date:** Thursday, June 14, 2007  
**Time:** 10:00 p.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
**Place:** Hammer Health Sciences Center, Room 301  
(Corner of Ft. Washington Avenue and 168th Street)

This session will cover:

- Highlights of the history of human subjects protection;  
- Requirements in the federal regulations for additional protections for vulnerable subjects;  
- Criteria for IRB review of renewal requests;  
- Tips for preparing complete and accurate renewal requests.

The intent of this three session series is to provide basic information about the history of human subjects protection, regulatory requirements, submission tips, and RASCAL updates as they relate to the Human Research Protection Program at CU.

Sessions are held bi-monthly and will be repeated every six months. The sessions have been designed in such a manner that they are complementary but independent, and need not be attended sequentially.

Who should attend?

- New research personnel  
- Research Personnel new to Columbia  
- Researcher personnel who have not yet attended the IRB 101 series in the past  
- All those who wish to gain a historical perspective and learn the ethical and regulatory guidelines for Human Subjects Research

To register for this session, please send an email to Alan Teller (at2059@columbia.edu). Space is limited.

We look forward to seeing you there!