

# DIALOGUES IN RESEARCH ETHICS

## Dialogue 2

# Promoting Integrity in the UM Animal Care and Use Program

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CRB 1st Floor Conference Room

—————> Lunch will be provided <—————  
(No RSVPs required)

**Promoting integrity in the research enterprise is a responsibility shared by all members of the academic community. The public, the investigators, industry and the university have a common interest in the development of new therapeutics that promise to improve the human condition. These same parties also have conflicting interests which, if unmanaged, can lead to irresponsible behaviors that can jeopardize the welfare of research animals, contaminate the research record and betray the public trust. This presentation will explore the role of the Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) in managing the conflicts of interest inherent in animal research programs.**

Dr. Braunschweiger is a Professor of Radiation Oncology at the University of Miami and chairs the UM Animal Care and Use Committee. He is co-Founder of the CITI Program and co-PI on a new NIH grant to work with the UM Ethics Programs to deliver research ethics education across Latin America and the Caribbean.

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