November 21, 2014 | Best Buy Theater, Northrop Auditorium

11:30 to 1:00 Keynote & Panel Discussion: Ethical Considerations for Global Health

1:00 to 2:00 Networking Reception and Poster Session

MODERATOR
Debra Olson, DNP, MPH is the Executive Director of the Center for Global Health and Social Responsibility facilitating global engagement across the University of Minnesota Academic Health Center and Associate Dean for Global Health at the School of Public Health and is responsible for developing strategic partnerships for the delivery of lifelong learning opportunities for interdisciplinary health professional students and the public health practice community.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER
Eric Schwartz is Dean of the Humphrey School of Public Affairs at the University of Minnesota. Before coming to the Humphrey School, he was U.S. Assistant Secretary of State for Population, Refugees, and Migration. He has focused on international human rights and humanitarianism throughout a 30 year career, in senior positions at the United Nations, the White House, and the NGO and philanthropic community.

PANELISTS
Deborah Greebon is the Executive Director of OneVillage Partners, a non-profit organization that uses a model of holistic empowerment and long-term partnership with rural communities in Sierra Leone in the areas of Water & Sanitation, Health, Education, Agriculture, and Income Generation. Previously she worked for various development organizations including CARE International, Management Systems International, WorldTeach, and the International Initiative to End Child Labor. She holds master’s degrees in international education policy from Harvard, and in public and nonprofit management from Syracuse.

Steven Miles, MD is a Professor of Medicine and Bioethics and the Maas Family Endowed Chair in Bioethics at the University of Minnesota Medical School. He is an Affiliate Faculty for the Law School’s Concentration in Health Law and Bioethics. He has served as President of the American Society of Bioethics and Humanities and received its Distinguished Service Award. He is an expert on torture and is on the Board of the Center for Victims of Torture. He has extensive work in medical relief work in Southeast Asia and Africa.

Shana Sniffen, MD is a family medicine doctor at HealthEast Roselawn Clinic, where over 60% of her patients are Karen refugees from Burma. She recently returned from Thailand and Burma as part of her Bush Fellowship which is focused on the Karen refugee community in MN. She lived in Zambia for 6 months as a medical student working on an HIV research project. While attending the University Of Washington School Of Medicine in Seattle, she earned her MD and certificate in Native Health.

Alan Lifson, MD, MPH is a Professor of Epidemiology and Community Health in the School of Public Health at the University of Minnesota, where he is also an Adjunct Professor of Infectious Diseases in the School of Medicine. He is also Faculty Liaison for Global Health in the School of Public Health. After completing his internal medicine residency, infectious disease fellowship and MPH in Epidemiology in San Francisco, he joined the AIDS program at the Centers for Disease Control as an EIS Officer. He has taught, conducted research or been a consultant on AIDS and other infectious diseases in countries including Ethiopia, Kenya, Zimbabwe, Tanzania, South Africa, China, Vietnam, Philippines, Ukraine, Romania, Costa Rica, Bahamas, Trinidad/Tobago, and Guyana.

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PHOTO CONTEST JUDGES
Mac Farnham, Assistant Professor, Ecosystem Health Initiative, College of Veterinary Medicine
Benjamin Capistrant, Assistant Professor in Epidemiology & Community Health, School of Public Health and the Fesler-Lampert Chair in Aging Studies

POSTER COMPETITION JUDGES
Dean John Finnegan, School of Public Health
Katie Nelson, Photographer and journalist; U of M School of Public Health alum

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