**Bodies, borders, and biologicals**
– ethical considerations of medical tourism

**VENUE:** Basement Lecture Theatre 1, Level B1, 207 Bouverie Street, Carlton

**DATE:** August 27, 2015 4.30pm - 6pm

This forum for health professionals will explore ethical issues raised by international medical travel involving medical products of human origin such as organs, gametes and stem cell products.

Chaired by bioethicist **Dr Dominique Martin**, Lecturer in Health Ethics at the University of Melbourne, the forum will feature three expert speakers and a panel discussion with audience interaction.

**Travel for organ transplantation**

**Professor Francis L. Delmonico** from Harvard University is Executive Director of the Declaration of Istanbul Custodian Group, Past-President of The Transplantation Society, Medical Director of the New England Organ Bank, and advisor to the WHO on Transplantation.

**Travel for assisted reproductive treatment**

**Ms Kate Bourne** from the Victorian Assisted Reproductive Treatment Authority is Chair of the Australian and New Zealand Infertility Counsellors’ Association and a board member of the Fertility Society of Australia.

**Travel for unproven stem cell interventions**

**Associate Professor Megan Munsie** from the University of Melbourne is Head of the Education, Ethics, Law and Community Awareness Unit, Stem Cells Australia. She is Chair of the Close Look at Stem Cells taskforce for the International Society for Stem Cell Research.

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