



Center for Bioethics   
at Columbia University



**The Center for Bioethics  
congratulates our Director and Faculty Associates  
on their recent awards and appointments:**

**Ruth L. Fischbach**, PhD, MPE, professor of bioethics (in psychiatry and sociomedical sciences), was elected as a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS). She was honored for contributions to the field of medical ethics and for research on issues in bioethics including neuroethics, stem cell research, and advances in assisted reproductive technology. AAAS is the world's largest general scientific society and election as a Fellow is an honor bestowed upon AAAS members by their peers.

**Kenneth A. Forde**, MD, José M. Ferrer Professor Emeritus in Surgery at Columbia University's College of Physicians and Surgeons, received the 2007 Distinguished Alumnus Award of the Alumni of Presbyterian Hospital.

**Allan G. Rosenfield**, MD, Dean of the Mailman School, DeLamar Professor of Public Health, and Professor of Obstetrics & Gynecology (P&S), was inducted into the American Academy of Arts & Sciences in an October 6 ceremony in Cambridge, Mass. The Academy is an independent research center conducting multidisciplinary studies of problems in science, technology, and global security; social policy and American institutions; the humanities and culture; and education.