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## Title

# Is it Still Patentable?

Practical Advice for the Changing Landscape In Personalized Medicine

# Monday, April 7, 2014 from 12:00 to 13:30

Jean-Coutu Pavilion, Room S1-151 2950, chemin de la Polytechnique

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Lunch will be served in the Agora Morris and Rosalind-Goodman at 11:30.

#### **Speakers**

#### PAUL CALVO, Director, Sterne Kessler Goldstein Fox

Paul Calvo, Ph.D. is a director in the Biotechnology/Chemical Group at Sterne Kessler Goldstein Fox in Washington, D.C. He has extensive experience working with the biotechnology and pharmaceutical industries on U.S. and international patent procurement and enforcement, particularly in the areas of immunology and oncology.

#### EMMA SAFFMAN, Senior Patent Agent, BCF

Emma Saffman, Ph.D. is a senior patent agent at BCF in Montreal. She has many years of experience working with biotechnology and pharmaceutical industries on patent procurement and strategy in Canada, the United States and abroad, particularly working with universities and start-up companies.

### Moderator

#### CAROL MIERNICKI, Patent Agent

Carol Miernicki Steeg, Ph.D. is former vice president, Intellectual Property at PARTEQ Innovations, the technology transfer office of Queen's University in Kingston, Ontario, where she oversaw the intellectual property portfolios in a broad spectrum of technologies, including biotechnology, pharmaceuticals, engineering, chemistry and materials.

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