



As part of a continuing dialogue between U.S. and Russian scientists to advance scientific collaborations, the Fogarty International Center of the National Institutes of Health hosted the U.S.-Russia Brain Science Meeting, which was held on November 17, 2011, at NIH. The goal of this meeting was to bring together scientists from the U.S. and Russia to explore research areas of neuroscience. **Dr. Ludmila Belayev** (front row, in the center), Associate Professor of Neurosurgery and Neuroscience, was invited to participate in this meeting. She gave a presentation “Docosahexaenoic acid, a fish oil component, limits brain damage after stroke”.



U.S.-Russian Brain Science Meeting participants were invited to visit research and clinical facilities at NIH.

Dr. Walter Koroshetz (far right), Deputy Director, National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke, was the U.S. Co-Chair, and **Dr. Michael Ugrumov** (center, tan coat), Counselor of the President of the Russian Academy of Sciences, was the Russian Co-Chair.



During meeting with **Dr. Nora Volkow**, Director of National Institute on Drug Abuse.



During meeting with **Dr. Michael Ugrumov**, Counselor of the President of the Russian Academy of Sciences, Head of Laboratories, Institute of Developmental Biology and Institute of Normal Physiology, Moscow (Russian Co-Chair).