

CFDR Update: June 1, 2007

CFDR's Summer Workshops

- **RefWorks**, Lauren Rinelli – June 13, Noon to 1 pm, 025 Hayes Hall
 - **Top Ten SAS Questions**, Meredith Porter – July 11, Noon to 1 pm, 314 BTSU
 - **Seminar on Growth Curve Modeling**, Al DeMaris – July 30-August 2, 1:00-5:00 pm, 224 Olscamp Hall (*registration required*)
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NIH 2007 Application Updates

Recent changes in NIH application procedures are summarized on [SPAR's website](#). They also provide links to detailed NIH instructions. Listed below are **new receipt dates** that became effective January 2007.

| <u>Mechanism(s)</u> | <u>Cycle I</u> | <u>Cycle II</u> | <u>Cycle III</u> |
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| R01 - <i>new</i> | February 5 | June 5 | October 5 |
| R01 - <i>renewal, resubmission, revision</i> | March 5 | July 5 | November 5 |
| R03, R21 - <i>new</i> | February 16 | June 16 | October 16 |
| R03, R21 - <i>renewal, resubmission, revision</i> | March 16 | July 16 | November 16 |
| New Investigator - R01 - <i>resubmission</i> (pilot only) (see NOT-OD-07-034) | March 20 | July 20 | November 20 |

These deadlines apply to both paper and electronic applications. More details are at this [link](#).

National Center for Children in Poverty Releases Report on the States

The NCCP recently released a report entitled "State Early Childhood Policies: Improving the Odds." This report highlights some of the key findings from NCCP's database of state policy choices. [More information here](#).

Hewlett/PRB Dissertation Fellowships

The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation and Population Research Bureau offer up to six two-year fellowships of \$20,000 per year to outstanding graduate students in economics, demography, sociology, and related fields. Awards are made annually and are open to students currently enrolled in Ph.D. programs in the U.S. and Canada. The next competition will open in December 2007. [More information here](#).

2nd International Conference on Sociology - May 12-15, 2008

The Sociology Research Unit of the Athens Institute for Education and Research (ATINER) will hold its 2nd International Conference on Sociology in Athens, Greece, May 12-15, 2008. The Call for Papers and registration information is at the [conference website](#).

SPSS, SAS or STATA Programming Questions?

Dr. Meredith Porter is here to help. Stop by our office between 9 and 10 am any Monday, Wednesday or Friday.