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**Important January 2009 Due Dates**

- January 14 – Submissions for *ASA Annual Meeting* in San Francisco: [ASA Call](#)
- January 19 – CFDR’s *Faculty Research Development Award* applications: [CFDR Website](#)
- January 30 – BGSU *Faculty Research Incentive Grant*: [FRC RIG Guidelines](#)

[More calls for research and conference information can be found on CFDR’s website.]

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**Dissertation Fellowship in Population, Reproductive Health, and Economic Development – Applications due February 27, 2009**

The Institute of International Education is accepting applications for the Dissertation Fellowship in Population, Reproductive Health, and Economic Development. The two-year fellowships of $20,000 per year will be awarded by The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation and IIE. For more information follow the link for U.S. program announcement: [www.iie.org/hewlettfoundationus](http://www.iie.org/hewlettfoundationus).

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**RAND Summer Institute – Application deadline March 13, 2009**

The RAND Summer Institute (RSI) consists of two annual conferences that address critical issues facing our aging population. The [MiniMedical School for Social Scientists](#) will be held on July 6-7, and the [Demography, Economics, and Epidemiology of Aging](#) conference on July 8-9, 2009. Both conferences will convene at the RAND Corporation headquarters in Santa Monica, CA.

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**Colloquium on Marriage – March 13-14, 2009**

The INTAMS Chair for Marriage & Spirituality at the Theology Faculty of the Catholic University Leuven, Belgium, will hold its annual INTAMS Colloquium in Leuven on the theme: *"More Than Just Being Together": Sacred and Secular Symbols of Marriage*. Detailed information is at this link: [www.intams.org/events-col09.htm](http://www.intams.org/events-col09.htm).

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**Family Science Association Conference - Call for Proposals due March 20, 2009**

The Family Science Association is seeking proposals for their conference on *Competent and Convincing Teaching: Ideas and Ideologies*. The conference will be held in St. George, Utah June 17-19, 2009 and will focus on the role educators play as facilitators of learning rather than "stand and deliver" experts using the theme of "Teaching Through Interaction and Application." For more information, visit [http://www.ncfr.org/about/news_read.asp?id=1327](http://www.ncfr.org/about/news_read.asp?id=1327)

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**Need help with Programming?**

CFDR research assistants, Heidi Lyons and Kristy Krivickas, are here to help. Stop by their CFDR office (106 Bromfield) any Monday morning between 11:00 and 12:00.