

CFDR Update: August 8, 2008

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## Fall Seminar Series begins September 3

The Center has booked an exciting schedule of speakers and workshops for the fall semester. Details will soon be posted on our web site, but in the meantime, be sure to mark your calendars for the first speaker in the series:

Wednesday, September 3, Noon – 1:00 p.m.

## David Warner, Case Western Reserve University

"Gender Differences in the Retirement Life Course: How Marriage Shapes the Experiences of Women and Men"

Bowen-Thompson Student Union, Room 315

Congratulations, Peggy Giordano!

Peggy Giordano has received the Officer's Research Award from the William T. Grant Foundation. This grant will provide \$25,000 for her project, "Legacies of Crime: Mechanisms Underlying Intergenerational Transmission."

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## Porter embarks on new adventure

The CFDR has been lucky to have Dr. Meredith Porter on hand to solve programming problems, answer questions, teach workshops... you name it! She will be leaving us to take a position with the Sociology department as an instructor. We will miss her smiling face and can-do attitude!

## NCFR Conference Fellows' Round Table Discussions - Sign up Now!

The Fellows' Round Tables are interactive discussions that give attendees an opportunity to meet and "pick the brains" of those who have been awarded the Fellow designation - the highest honor afforded NCFR members! Students/New Professionals are especially invited to participate. Sessions are Wednesday from Noon-1:00 p.m. and Thursday and Friday from 1-2 p.m. Pre-registration is required to attend, as space is limited: registration information.

**CFDR Welcome Back Reception** 

Wednesday, August 27 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. Black Swamp Pub at BTSU

CFDR is hosting a welcome back party on Wednesday the 27th. We will provide snacks, soft drinks and a cash bar and hope you will join us at the Black Swamp Pub in the student union.