

CFDR Update: November 23, 2009

*Happy Thanksgiving!*

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**Speaker Series – Wednesday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>**

**Dr. Chadwick Menning**, Ball State University

Wednesday, December 2, Noon-1:00 pm

Bowen-Thompson Student Union, Room 315

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**Williams Institute: A Primer on Empirical Research on LGBT Issues and Populations  
- February 18, 2010**

*A Primer on Empirical Research* is a one-day training and career development opportunity for graduate students pursuing research on sexual orientation issues. Training is open to graduate students in a variety of disciplines, including Sociology, Social Psychology, Economics, Demography, and Political Science. Applicants must be currently pursuing or interested in pursuing empirical research on sexual orientation. Click [here](#) to apply. Applications are due by **December 4, 2009**.

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**CFDR Faculty Research Development Award – Submissions due January 11, 2010**

Each year the CFDR awards one to three seed grants, with budgets ranging from \$5,000-10,000. All CFDR faculty affiliates are eligible who have not previously been awarded CFDR faculty development funds. Application requirements can be found on our web site: <http://www.bgsu.edu/downloads/cas/file41498.pdf>.

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**American Sociological Association 2010 Annual Meeting**

The paper submission site for the 2010 Annual Meeting will open December 1. The deadline for all submissions is **January 13, 2010**. [Visit the 2010 Call for Papers guide](#).

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**SAS, SPSS, STATA Programming Questions?**

CFDR Data Analyst, Hsueh-Sheng Wu, is here to help. Stop by his CFDR office (5D Williams) any Tuesday or Thursday between 2:00 and 4:00 pm.