

CFDR Update: June 24, 2011

Principal Investigators: FMS120 Class Required for Access to FMS 9.1

FMS 9.1 will go live on July 5. The only required training for PIs is the FMS120 class that is available on Blackboard. This class and the short quiz at the end must be completed in order to have access to FMS 9.1. The other FMS classes are optional but highly recommended. For the first two weeks after implementation, there will be daily open labs in 203 Hayes Hall if you need assistance. Questions about FMS 9.1 can be sent to this email address: FMS@bgsu.edu.

More information is available on the FMS Web site.

Analyzing Missing Data Workshop – Monday, July 18

Instructor: Hsueh-Sheng Wu Noon to 1 pm, 7C Williams Hall

This workshop will demonstrate how missing data can be imputed and analyzed with Stata.

CES Dissertation Mentorship Program

The Center for Economic Studies mentorship program assists doctoral candidates who are actively engaged in dissertation research in economics or a related field using U.S. Census Bureau microdata at a Research Data Center. Application guidelines are at this link. Program participants receive two principal benefits:

- One or more CES staff economists are assigned as mentors and advise the participant on the use of Census Bureau microdata.
- A visit to CES where they meet with staff economists and present research in progress. Trip expenses will be paid for by CES.

Faculty Training Award – Applications due by June 30

The purpose of CFDR's Faculty Training Award is to help faculty obtain additional training in analytic skills, new data collection methods, use of a specific data set, or application of software. Application details can be found on CFDR's web site.