

CFDR Update: July 7, 2017



The Spencer Foundation Midcareer Grant Program

The Spencer Foundation has announced the 2017 award cycle of its grant program to enrich the work of academic midcareer scholars who are seven to twenty years post doctorate. Through this program, it will provide grants of up to \$150,000 to be undertaken during the 2018-2019 academic year. Proposals are due on September 14, 2017. More information about this program can be found by [clicking here](#).

Programming Help – Drop-in Hours Are Tuesdays from 2:00-4:00

Questions about SAS or Stata? Data analyst Hsueh-Sheng Wu offers hands-on assistance with these statistical programs. **Please note:** Drop-in hours are 2:00-4:00 pm every Tuesday. Availability for assistance outside of these hours is limited, with priority given to funded projects and faculty research projects. ***If you need to meet outside these hours, please email him to make an appointment (wuh@bgsu.edu).***

Penn State's 25th Annual Symposium on Family Issues, Oct 23-24, 2017

Theme: *Families and Technology*. Technological changes are rapidly changing how couples meet and form relationships, how parents raise their children, and how family members remain connected across long distances. The 2017 National Symposium on Family Issues focuses on how these dramatic changes are shaping and changing families and family life in both positive and negative ways and is aimed at identifying novel directions for population and family research. Visit their [website](#) for a detailed description of the symposium and to register.