CFDR Update: June 29, 2018

Funding Opportunity from the William T. Grant Foundation

- **Focus Areas**: (1) reducing inequality and (2) the use of research evidence, are focused on young people between ages 5 and 25
- **Award amount**: $100,000 to $1,000,000 for two to four years of support
- **Letters of Inquiry**: Three per year: January, May, and August. The next deadline for LOIs is **August 1, 2018**. About 5 percent of the letters result in funding

Projects led by or including members of racial or ethnic groups underrepresented in academic fields are encouraged. Application guidelines are at [http://wtgrantfoundation.org/grants/research-grants](http://wtgrantfoundation.org/grants/research-grants).

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Save the Date: CFDR Symposium – November 8th

The CFDR’s symposium on later life caregiving and family well-being will take place Thursday, November 8th. The guest speakers will be:

- **Vicki Freedman**, PhD, Director, Michigan Center on the Demography of Aging, University of Michigan
- **Esther M. Friedman**, PhD, Social and Behavioral Scientist, RAND Corporation, Professor, Pardee RAND Graduate School
- **Candace Kemp**, PhD, Associate Professor, The Gerontology Institute, Georgia State University

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BGSU/OSU Graduate Student Conference on Population – November 2nd

The annual BGSU/OSU Graduate Student Conference on Population will take place at BGSU on Friday, November 2, 2018. Watch for the call for proposals in August.

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Affiliates and Students: Acknowledgment Statement Required for Manuscripts and Presentations

Affiliates and students at NICHD-funded population centers are required to acknowledge population infrastructure support in all of their papers and presentations, including those in which the first author is not a CFDR affiliate. Such acknowledgment is critical to convey the impact of federal funding on advances in research. If you have not already done so, please add this statement provided [at this link](#) to your manuscripts and presentations.