

CFDR Update: October 12, 2018



BGSU's Building Strength Grants Program

The Office of Sponsored Programs and Research has announced the availability of "Building Strength" funding for the academic year 2018/2019. Proposals for are due **October 29**. Guidelines and instructions are available at: <http://www.bgsu.edu/research-economic-development/office-of-sponsored-programs-and-research/internal-grant-programs.html>.

Joint Meeting of the Working Groups on Add Health and Crime & Violence in Context

Tuesday, October 30, 1:00-2:00 pm, CFDR Conference Room

William M. Clemens, "Contextualizing Parental Incarceration Effects On Crime and Delinquency"

Mitchell Gresham, "Group Threat and Handgun Ownership: Does Racial Minority or Immigrant Neighborhood Composition Matter?"

Education Data Portal

The Urban Institute's new [Education Data Portal](#) makes K-12 and higher education data easily accessible to the public. They are bringing all major national datasets on schools, districts, and colleges under one roof and standardizing the information and data documentation so that it is easy to access data, measure change over time, and make connections across datasets. The portal is currently in beta mode, and they welcome user feedback and suggestions.

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

Questions about SAS or Stata? Data analyst, Hsueh-Sheng Wu, offers hands-on instruction in each of these statistical programs. Drop-in hours are 2:00-4:00 pm every Tuesday. If you need to meet outside these hours, please email him to make an appointment (wuh@bgsu.edu).