The bounty of Fall continues with a bumper crop of opportunities and reminders assembled by the Faculty Scholarship Collaborative to stimulate your scholarly appetite.

With World Statistics Day just around the corner (October 20, a date for celebrating championed by the United Nations Statistical Commission in 2010), the FSC is marking the occasion with news that our roster of in-house methodological consulting help is taking shape. We’ve identified quantitative help to offer LAS faculty members on a project basis as needed. We’re now looking for volunteers who can offer qualitative analytical assistance. If that’s you, either looking for help or willing to share your expertise, please get in touch with the FSC.

For situations calling for more complex solutions, we also have access to customized methodological help from The Analysis Factor. Check with us to learn more about this resource too.

Faculty Fridays are off and running at the FSC. Turning the Page, our informal virtual writing group open to all LAS faculty, has brought 7 faculty members with 7 writing projects to the table since we launched 3 weeks ago. Every Friday from 9–11am, we open the door and invite you in to put virtual pen to paper on a writing project in any stage of development that’s calling out to you. Just drop in using this Zoom link.

What kind of trainings, programming, technology, or other resources would you like to see from the FSC? Please take a moment to answer this very brief information survey so we can bring you what you’re looking for. We’d love to hear about this resource too.

Need help managing your grant, including who handles what in the grant process at DePaul? Take a look at this overview, catch the related recording (passcode E%a%7%1W*), or join one of these upcoming workshops from ORS and Financial Services:

- How to Run & Read a BlueSky Grant Report
  October 18, 10am Zoom link, passcode 067890
  October 19, 3pm Zoom link, passcode 183334

- Submitting a Grant Template Expense Report
  November 10, 11:30am Register in BlueSky

And if you’re looking for specialty software, the FSC computer lab has NVivo, Atlas.ti, and Stata statistical programs along with GIS (mapping), TExtract (indexing), and LIWC (word analysis). E-mail us if you’d like to access them on-site or remotely.

Project Incubator is also on the way. Watch this space next month for details about our first faculty presentation. Contact us if you too have a project completed or in process that you’d like to share with colleagues, either online or in person, to get feedback for yourself or pass along advice to others.

Let us know what you’re up to. We’re here to share!