Upcoming programs and news from the SSRC at DePaul University (September 2015).

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What skills do you think are essential for graduate students to have before they can assist on research projects? Do you have a research project that could benefit from better utilization of research assistance? We are happy to train research assistants to help you complete your research project. We can even introduce you and your research team to research tools such as Stata, Qualtrics and NVivo. For more information contact Jessi Bishop-Royse (jbishopr[at]depaul.edu) or complete this form.

Evolution of E-Gov
Linda Levendusky talked to Ben Epstein about his on-going research charting the evolution of e-government services over time. His project includes interviews with city managers and a survey analysis of e-gov services in 83 cities throughout the U.S. He hopes to discover whether cities and citizens have the same expectations of e-government.

STATA Tools
Methodologist Jessica Bishop-Royse found a series of videos that detail some of the beginning steps researchers take when starting a project in Stata. The series focuses on data cleaning, scale construction, recoding and renaming variables.

October Mess Hall Save the Date
Brendan McQuade, a visiting Assistant Professor in International Studies, will be presenting on his field work regarding domestic intelligence programs on Thursday, October 22, 2015, at 1pm in Suite 3100 of 990 W. Fullerton.

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We're looking for Mess Hall presenters. Faculty, students and staff are all welcome to present on their scholarship. Mess Hall sessions are a low-risk environment for people to talk about their work with colleagues from all over the university. Past sessions have focused on methodological advice, feedback on book proposals, and simply sharing research. To propose a session, fill out this simple form.

Funding Opportunities of Interest
Center for Craft, Creativity, and Design seeking proposals for Craft Research Fund (Oct. 9, 2015).
SHAPE America RFP for 2015-2016 Research Program (Nov. 2, 2015).

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