

New York Federal Statistical Research Data Center

Lipsey Access Fellowships

The New York Federal Statistical Research Data Center (NYRDC) is pleased to announce the availability of **Lipsey Access Fellowships** for researchers at institutions that are not currently members of the NYRDC Consortium. The usual project fee (\$20,000 per year) will be waived for fellowship recipients. These fellowships are provided in memory of Robert Lipsey. Bob was the Director of the New York Office of the National Bureau of Economic Research and a long-time faculty member at the CUNY Graduate Center and Queens College. He was instrumental in the creation of the NYRDC.

The NYRDC offers researchers the opportunity to use restricted-access microdata from the Census Bureau, the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS), and the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ) at physically secure facilities at Baruch College, Cornell University and Yale University. More information about the NYRDC is available on the NYRDC website: <http://www.ciser.cornell.edu/nyrdc/home.shtml>

Interested researchers must develop a proposal to use the restricted-access data and the project must be approved by the agency whose data will be used in the project. Performing research using Census data at the NYRDC requires the approval of a research project that benefits both the scientific community and the U.S. Census Bureau. Information about restricted-access data and proposal guidelines can be found on the Center for Economic Studies web page <http://www.census.gov/ces>. Information about NCHS data and the proposal process can be found at the NCHS website: <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs>. Please note that project fees collected by NCHS will not be waived. For information about AHRQ data and the proposal process, refer to the AHRQ web site: <http://www.ahrq.gov>.

Fellowship recipients will be given a maximum of three years of access to the NYRDC. Two access fellowship projects may run at a time, with each non-member institution limited to one project at a time. Please contact Diane Gibson, Executive Director of the NYRDC-Baruch (diane.gibson@baruch.cuny.edu) or Shirley Liu, Administrator of the NYRDC-Baruch (shirley.h.liu@census.gov) if you are interested in applying.

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