Hi Everyone,

I wanted to welcome everyone back to campus this August! As many of you know, I’ll be on maternity leave in the Fall – but don’t fret, we’ve got two great new advisors in Sociology to work with you: Nicole Brown and Becky Gresh.

Our Fall Walk In Hours will be:

Walk In Hours –
Tuesday – Friday
9:30-12:00, 1:00-2:30

Other hours available by appointment by emailing: soc-advising@illinois.edu.

The office will be closed Thursday afternoons after 3pm.

Please welcome Nicole and Becky when you come in for your advising needs! I’ll see you all in January 2012!

Sincerely,

Dr. Holtzclaw-Stone

Thinking about studying abroad? Want to have a great experience in Europe while still studying Sociology? Consider the KULeuven-Illinois Experience: Encountering Europe through the Lens of Social Science. Please see the attached PDF brochure!

Sociology advising will be closed Aug. 18 – 22 due to the American Sociological Association in Las Vegas. We will reopen for regular walk in hours Tuesday, Aug. 23.

STRONG Kids: Fall 2011-Spring 2012

The STRONG Kids research program is a comprehensive and interdisciplinary approach to the study of childhood obesity and health. The program is currently recruiting students to assist with data collection during the Fall 2011 and Spring 2012 semester!
This opportunity will provide students with a first-hand experience working as part of a research team as well as to help them develop a working knowledge of the theory and applications of trans-disciplinary research used to guide the STRONG Kids research program.

Students will also attend class once a week and earn course credit!!!

You are eligible to participate if you:

* Have Soph., Junior or Senior standing for Fall 2011;
* Are available at least one morning per week from 8:00 a.m. -1:00 p.m.;
* Are able to attend a lab meeting every other week on Tuesdays from 5:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

For an application please visit:

http://familyresiliency.illinois.edu/SKUnderResearch.htm

Visit http://go.illinois.edu/frcstudents to learn more about:

· The STRONG Kids research program

· STRONG Kids research sub-projects

· A list of project investigators and their affiliation(s)

· FRC Undergraduate Research Program

· Examples of research activities