Getting the most out of your survey:
Discussions on planning, designing and analysing surveys

For ECRs and HDRs only

Time: 9:30 am to 12:30 pm

Where: Building M10 (Social Sciences), Room 5.01 (NOTE VENUE CHANGE)

When: Monday 14 November, 2011

Registration: Seating is limited to 25

Registration to attend is essential. The allocation of places will be made upon a first-come-first-serve basis. Registrants are asked to indicate their Research Centre or Academic Element (and supervisors) on their email request to attend. Priority will be given to ECR members and affiliated HDRs of GSBRC constituent-Centres in the first instance.

Please RSVP to Clare Inwood: c.inwood@griffith.edu.au by Wednesday 9 November 2011.

Speaker: Dr Helen Klieve, Griffith Social and Behavioural Research College

This interactive workshop session will focus on key aspects of using surveys in research. The discussion will include:

- Why use surveying?
- Types of data that can be collected;
- Issues in designing your survey;
- Managing your data - for example in SPSS;
- Analysing your data using both quantitative and qualitative tools;
- Making conclusions - thinking about reliability and validity.

Dr Klieve: Helen is currently a Lecturer in Research Methods in the School of Education and Professional Studies, and Research Methodologist in the Griffith Social and Behavioural Research College.

She has extensive experience in the application of surveys in the research process through both her teaching and research experience. Helen taught Advanced Statistics (with this including a strong focus on the use of surveying), in the Social Science Degree at the University of New England, and currently is teaching Research Methods courses in Education which include a focus on the applications of surveys. She currently involved in several research projects involving the development, administration and reporting of survey findings using the LimeSurvey tool supported through Griffith University’s Research Survey Centre.