

Graduate Student Session at the Southern Economic Association Meeting

A number of sessions at the 2009 meeting of The *Southern Economic Association*, to be held at the Marriott Rivercenter in San Antonio, TX on November 21 - 23, 2009, are designated as *graduate student sessions*. These sessions provide an opportunity for graduate students to present their scholarly work and to receive feedback from members of the organization who hold professional positions. Each “southern” University (liberally defined as an institution with faculty who regularly participate in the *Southern Economic Association Meeting*) with a Ph.D. program in Economics is invited to select one advanced graduate student, preferably a student who will be on the job market, to participate in one of the sessions designed for graduate students. The graduate students selected will receive a \$100 cash award, membership in the *Southern Economic Association* for one year at no cost, and their registration fee for attending the conference will be waived.

The Department Head or Graduate Coordinator simply needs to provide the name and e-mail address of the graduate student selected to represent their department to Art Goldsmith via e-mail at (GoldsmithA@wlu.edu). The graduate student selected should send a word file containing an abstract, with less than 200 words, of the paper they plan to present along with their complete contact information (postal mail address, e-mail address, fax and phone numbers) by May 15, 2009 to Art Goldsmith.