

2nd
**Conference on
EMERGING
ADULTHOOD**

Emerging adulthood has been proposed as a new conception of development for the period from the late teens through the twenties, with a focus on ages 18-25. The first conference on emerging adulthood was held in November, 2003 at Harvard University, sponsored by the American Psychological Association and the WT Grant foundation. Look for the forthcoming volume, to be published by APA in 2005, for chapters authored by the eminent speakers who presented papers at this meeting. Chapters will cover family relationships, romantic relationships, sexuality, identity, cognitive development, and mental health (and more!). To follow up on the rising interest in emerging adulthood and the success of the first conference in bringing together a diverse international group of scholars, we would like to invite you to attend the 2nd Conference on Emerging Adulthood,

**February 18th & 19th, 2005
Miami, Florida**

In addition to paper symposia and poster presentations by conference participants, the 2nd conference on Emerging Adulthood will include symposia of invited scholars and a keynote address by

**Dr. William Damon,
Stanford University**

**“The Developmental Significance of *Purpose* at the
End of Adolescence”**

Register for conference notifications. Please visit the web site (below) of the Special Interest Group on Emerging Adulthood sponsored by SRA if you would like to receive conference updates, including information on submissions, registration, and travel stipend awards. Calls for poster and paper submissions is available at the following web site. The deadline for submissions is October 1, 2004.

Sign-up here: <http://www.s-r-a.org/easig.html>

If you have any questions or comments, please send them to eaconference@rcn.com
We look forward to your participation. Hope to see you in Miami!