The Five STAR Method
Steps to Administrative Research

**STEP 01: Identify**
Create your research question. Identify the key stakeholders, define the scope of your project, and establish recurring meetings.

**STEP 02: Compile**
Collaborate with other institutions and thought leaders relating to the topic. Conduct a comprehensive literature search.

**STEP 03: Design**
Utilize established tools or methods to design your research. Ensure you are keeping in mind the scope of your project.

**STEP 04: Generate**
Construct a timeline for implementation with the support of your stakeholders.

**STEP 05: Launch**
Ensure follow through of timeline and share progress with stakeholders. Create a record of each meeting and steps achieved.

Find out more at:
- Research Project Tip Sheet
- Research Timeline
- Developing Great Research Questions
- Developing and Executing an Effective Research Plan
- Preparing for the First Meeting with a Statistician