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### World Statistics Congress (WSC)

#### ISI WSC 2019 - 62nd ISI World Statistics Congress:

- Early Bird registration for the ISI WSC 2019 is open from 1 December - 31 May. For the rates and further information please visit the [Congress website](#)
- Short courses programme [registration](#) now open
- Lunchtime Discussion Groups: [Call for Topics](#)
- [Social Programme: Opening Ceremony, Malaysia by Night, Closing Ceremony](#)
- [World Stats Run](#)

### Calls and Announcements

#### 50th Session of UN Statistical Commission, 5-8 March 2019

- [ISI contribution to the 50th anniversary of the UNSC](#)
- [Invitation to the ISI Side Event](#)

#### Are You a Fan of Sports Statistics? This is Your Chance: Join the ISI Special Interest Group on Sports Statistics!

The aim of the SIG on Sports Statistics is to promote the understanding, development and good practice of sports statistics worldwide. [More >>](#)

#### YS-ISI: Call for Speakers, the YS-ISI Invited Paper Sessions at IASC-ARS2019

The YS-ISI (ISI Young Statisticians' Group) is pleased to announce that it will propose an Invited Paper Session (IPS) on the topics that are related to "Statistical Computing for AI and Big Data" for the 11th Conference of IASC-ARS , 2-5 December 2019, Hong Kong. The YS-ISI invites applications from young statisticians interested in delivering a talk in YS-ISI IPS. [More >>](#)

### Prizes and Awards

#### Yoav Benjamini wins the 2019 Karl Pearson Prize

Congratulations to Yoav Benjamini, the winner of the 2019 Karl Pearson Prize for the Benjamini-Hochberg paper "Controlling the false discovery rate: a practical and powerful approach to multiple testing". [More >>](#)

### Publications

#### Significance Magazine Volume 16, Issue 1 – February 2019

The latest issue of Significance magazine is now available to read [online](#).

### Member News

#### ISI Membership Elections 2018

2018 Final Round Results: Congratulations to our newly elected members! [More >>](#)

#### In Memoriam

[Kimiko O. Bowman](#)

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## Association News

### IAOS News February 2019

Statistical Journal of IAOS (SJIAOS): December 2018 issue focuses on administrative data. Papers in this issue provide insights into the status of the use of administrative data and records in the public and private sector. The upcoming March 2019 issue is dedicated to statistics for Indigenous peoples. [More>>](#)

### IASC News February 2019

- New IASC and Taylor & Francis Affiliate Program with discounts on book purchases
- Final CRoNoS Spring Course
- Fourth Latin American Conference on Statistical Computing (LACSC)
- LARS-IASC BoD Elections for 2019-2020
- The Conference of Data Science, Statistics & Visualisation (DSSV 2019)
- The IASC-ARS 2019 Conference: Call for Invited Session Proposals
- Cluster Benchmarking Challenge Call

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### IASE News February 2019

- CIVEEST Virtual Congress 21-24 February - Free registration
- US Conference on Teaching Statistics 16-18 May - Registration open

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### IASS News February 2019

- The Survey Statistician (TSS) January 2019 issue
- News on the ISI WSC 2019
- Paper submission for the Cochran-Hansen Prize Competition
- IASS supported conferences in 2019
- Upcoming conferences on survey statistics and related areas in 2019
- News on past conferences supported by the IASS
- Survey Research Methods Section (SRMS) of the ASA
- IASS Twitter Account [@iass\\_isi](#)

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### ISBIS News February 2019

- ISBIS 2019 Satellite Conference, 15-16 August 2019
- Travel support for active participants in ISBIS 2019 Meeting
- ISBIS Newsletter

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### TIES News February 2019

TIES International Conference 'Environmental Statistics: Air Pollution, Climate Change and Beyond' will be held on 26-27 August in Kunming, China. [More>>](#)

### ISLP New February 2019: Read about Statistical Literacy and Participate in Statistics Competitions

The International Statistical Literacy Project (ISLP) has two on-going competitions. The Statistical Poster Competition targets youth worldwide. The Best Cooperative Project Award in Statistical Literacy is awarded for innovative and influential statistical literacy projects that affect a broad segment of the general public and are fruit of the cooperation of different types of institutions. In the latest ISLP Newsletter you can read about statistical literacy projects throughout the world. More information on the [ISLP website](#).

## Other News

### Stats+Stories

"How to Become a Data Scientist" - Stats+Stories episode 82 features a conversation with [Julia Silge](#), data scientist at [Stack Overflow](#). To listen now, please visit [Stats and Stories](#).

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