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### **ISI President's Message March 2015**

Read about several updates from the President [More>>](#)

### **60th ISI WSC 2015 in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil**

- Early Bird registration open until 17 April 2015 [More>>](#)
- The preliminary schedule for the Invited Paper Sessions (IPS) is now available. The full programme will become available in early June. [More>>](#)
- Short courses programme [More>>](#)
- Funding opportunities for participants in the short courses programme [More>>](#)
- Lunch round table discussions [More>>](#)
- ISI Satellite Meetings [More>>](#)
- Accommodation with reduced rates: Block bookings offering reduced rates at selected hotels are now available at [Blumar's webpage](#), the designated travel agency for ISI 2015. Bookings can also be made with Blumar for flights, local tours, as well as for pre and post-conference tours.

### **ISI Side Event: Fundamental Principles of Official Statistics and Professional Ethics in the Era of Big Data**

A report of the ISI side event 'Fundamental Principles of Official Statistics and Professional Ethics in the Era of Big Data: Challenges & Strategies for Implementation – A Panel Discussion' on 3 March 2015 in New York [More>>](#)

### **New Co-Editor-in-Chief for the International Statistical Review**

Ray Chambers will become Co-Editor-in-Chief of the International Statistical Review on 1 April 2015, taking over from Vijay Nair. Marc Hallin will continue his position as a Co-Editor-in-Chief. [More>>](#)

### **High Level Forum on Partnership for Capacity in the Context of the Data Revolution**

Read about the High Level Forum on Partnership for Capacity in the Context of the Data Revolution held on 2 March 2015 in conjunction with the United Nations Statistical Commission. [More>>](#)

### **In Memoriam**

- Prof. Edmond Malinvaud, ISI Honorary Member and former ISI President (1979 – 1981), passed away on March 7, 2015. [More>>](#)
- Prof. Pejaver V. Rao [More>>](#)

### **News from The World of Statistics**

- Read about the latest news from The World of Statistics in [the February 25th newsletter](#).
- Past newsletters can be viewed [here](#).

### **Bernoulli Society News March 2015**

We are delighted to announce that Council has approved the choice of [Prof. Holger Dette](#) to be the next Editor-in-Chief of The Bernoulli Journal as from the end of 2015 (the term of EiC is three years; the current EiC, Prof. Eric Moulines, steps down at end of 2015).

### **IAOS News March 2015**

- IAOS Executive Committee 2015-17
- SJIAOS - March 2015 Journal
- IASE Satellite Conference, 22-24 July 2015, Rio de Janeiro
- Fifth International Conference on Establishment Surveys (ICES-V)

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### **IASC News March 2015**

- See a summary of the IASC involvement in ISI 2015 [here](#).
- IASC seminar on R held in Tanzania. The activity was supported by the World Bank Fund for Statistical Capacity Building. [More>>](#)
- The call for contributions of the IASC 2015 conference in Búzios (Brazil) closes soon. Hurry up! [More>>](#)
- Remember that the IASC Data Analysis Competition 2015 is still open. The topic this year is the analysis of climate-related data. [More>>](#)
- See new job opportunities [here](#).

### **ISBIS News March 2015**

ISBIS Satellite Meeting on Business and Industrial Statistics with Focus on Quality Control and Improvement, 22-24 July 2015, Campinas, Brazil [More>>](#)

### **ISLP News March 2015**

Best Cooperative Project Award Competition 2015; submissions are still possible until the end of April 2015. [More>>](#)

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With my best regards,

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