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IAOS - OECD 2018 Conference – 19-21 September, 2018

IAOS and OECD are now calling for papers for the IAOS-OECD 2018 Conference. Submission closes on 28 February 2018. See more at the IAOS-OECD 2018 conference website - <http://www.oecd.org/iaos2018/>

Young Scholars for Better Statistics Award – closes 30 March 2018

IAOS and the OECD invite graduate students to participate in their “Young Scholars for Better Statistics” award for the best paper using official statistics. This award seeks to encourage young graduate students to take an active interest in official statistics. In addition to monetary prizes, the first-place winner and the academic advisor will receive travel funds to present their paper at the 2018 IAOS-OECD Conference in Paris, France on 19-21 September 2018.

For more details, including the timetable, see <http://www.oecd.org/iaos2018/> or <http://www.iaos-isi.org/>

2018 Young Statistician Competition – closes 31 December 2017

The IAOS 2018 Young Statistician competition is now underway. To be eligible to compete, authors must be under the age of 35 on 31 December 2017 and be employed by an official statistical agency on 31 December 2017. For further information and submissions please go to: <http://www.iaos-isi.org/index.php/statistics-prize>

Volunteers sought to help our colleagues in the Caribbean

Since the Hurricanes which devastated many of the countries and territories of the Caribbean, a small team from the IAOS, ISI and Statistics without Borders (SwB) have been working with regional partners to identify areas where NSOs may need help.

There is an urgent need to help with the mapping of many of the critical disaster hit areas, assess the current status of the statistical offices/agencies worst affected by the disasters, as well as more general support to help the region reduce its data vulnerability.

If you can help in any way, please contact SwB (cathy.furlong@cox.net) or IAOS (nancyemcbeth@gmail.com).

SJIAOS September 2017 issue is now available

The September issue of the SJIAOS, with a focus on urban regional and small area statistics is now available.

Other upcoming conferences

SCCRO'18 - The 2nd International Statistical Conference in Croatia; "New Advances in Methods Applications for a Better World" 10 - 11 May 2018, Opatija; CROATIA. For the Call for Papers see <http://www.hsd-stat.hr/en/international-statistical-conference-in-croatia-iscro18/>

European Conference on Quality in Official Statistics from 27 to 29 June 2018, Krakow, Poland. For more information , including conference topics and registration information, see <http://www.q2018.pl/>