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Approved Invited Paper Sessions

The Scientific Programme Committee (SPC) for the ISI WSC 2019, chaired by YvesLaurent Grize, has completed the selection of proposals submitted for Invited Paper Sessions (IPS). Cynthia Clark has served as the IASS representative for the SPC. Thanks to the activity of Cynthia and other IASS Executive Committee and IASS members, the list of approved sessions comprises a fair number of survey statistics and methodology related sessions. The complete list of approved Invited Paper Sessions is announced at:

<http://www.isi2019.org/approved-invited-paper-sessions/>

Approved Special Invited Paper Sessions

The SPC has also approved the Special Invited Paper Sessions (SIPS) specific to each ISI Association. The IASS scientific secretary Risto Lehtonen is glad to announce that IASS will organize two Special Invited Paper Sessions proposed by the IASS Executive Committee, IPS167 (IASS President's Invited Session) and IPS182 (IASS Journal and Cochran-Hansen Prize Invited Session).

Paper Submission for Contributed Paper Sessions (CPS)

The submission of abstracts and papers for Contributed Paper Sessions (CPS) is open until 31 January 2019. See detailed submission guidelines at the ISI WSC website

<http://www.isi2019.org/scientific-programme/>.

The 62nd World Statistics Congress of the ISI will be held on 18-23 August 2019 in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, see <http://www.isi2019.org/>

Paper Submission for the Cochran-Hansen Prize 2019 Competition

Submission of papers to the Cochran-Hansen Prize 2019 competition of the IASS is open until 15 February 2019. Papers must be sent to Dr Anders Holmberg, the Chair of the IASS 2019 Cochran-Hansen Prize Committee, email anders.holmberg@ssb.no. The complete announcement is published at <http://isi-iass.org/home/cochran-hansenprize>.

The Cochran-Hansen Prize of the IASS is awarded every two years and is given for the best paper on survey research methods submitted by a young statistician for a developing country or transition country. The prize winner will be invited to present his or her paper at the 2019 World Statistics Congress in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

IASS support for workshops, conferences and similar events

IASS has opened a call for requests for support for workshops and conferences for events to take place in 2019. Please note the closing date 1 November 2018. To apply for support, please write to IASS President Peter Lynn (plynn@essex.ac.uk). The complete call text can be found at <http://isi-iass.org/home/>.

The IASS Journal The Survey Statistician

The July 2018 issue (pdf) of the IASS journal The Survey Statistician (TSS) is available at http://isi-iass.org/home/wp-content/uploads/Survey_Statistician_July_2018.pdf. Links to the previous issues can be found at <http://isi-iass.org/home/>. The next TSS issue will be published in January 2019.

Upcoming Conferences on Survey Statistics and Related Areas

11th International Conference of the ERCIM WG on Computational and Methodological Statistics (CMStatistics 2018) will take place on 14-16 December 2018 in Pisa, Italy. Late registration is open until 23 November 2018. Website: <http://cmstatistics.org/CMStatistics2018/>

New Techniques and Technologies for Statistics Conference (NTTS 2019) will be organized in 12-14 March 2019 in Brussels, Belgium (with satellite events taking place on 11 and 15 March). Paper submission deadline is 15 October 2018. See details at https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/cros/NTTS2019_en.

The Survey Research Methods Section (SRMS) of the ASA

Information on activities of the Survey Research Methods Section of the American Statistical Association (ASA) are available at <http://ww2.amstat.org/sections/srms/>.

ASA Survey Research Methods Section Newsletters are available at: <http://ww2.amstat.org/sections/srms/newsletter.html>