

# Committees

## Standing Committees

These committees are components of the ISI's organizational structure, along with the Executive Committee and the Council.

According to the ISI Statutes, article 10, the current Standing Committees are:

- [ISI Membership Elections Committee](#)
- [ISI Nominations Committee](#)

New Standing Committees are installed by the [General Assembly](#) at the proposal of the **Executive Committee** after consultation with the **Council**.

## Operational Committees

Operational Committees are under the guidance of the **Executive Committee** and the **Council**. These Committees focus on the overall functioning of the ISI and its long-term concerns as an international body representing the statistical profession and community. The chairs and members must be ISI members, and they are appointed by the Council on recommendation from the Executive Committee.

### Current committees

- [ISI Scientific Programme Committee, WSC 2023](#)
- [ISI Short Course Committee](#)
- [ISI Advisory Board on Ethics](#)
- [ISI Finance Committee](#)
- [ISI Committee on the Public Voice of Statistics](#)
- [ISI Publications Committee](#)
- [ISI Capacity Building Committee](#)

## Special Interest Groups (SIGs)

SIGs focus on matters of statistical interest that may reach across areas of statistics and/or link statistics with other disciplines. Some of these groups are of relevance across all of the ISI and its Associations. Other SIGs link particular interests across the ISI and its Associations, or link with other disciplines and/or professional interests and/or bodies and/or current developments.

A new SIG is established by the **Council** in accordance with the [ISI Statutes and By-laws](#), and

is overseen by a Management Committee of the SIG. To join a SIG, please contact its chair via the SIG's own web page, or [contact Mrs. Olivia van Dijk-Timbol](#) from the PO.

For more information, please see the [Guidelines for ISI Special Interest Groups](#).

## Current SIGs

- [Committee on Agricultural Statistics](#)
- [Astrostatistics Special Interest Group](#)
- Special Interest Group on **Communicating** Statistics and Data Science
- [Special Interest Group on Data Science](#)
- [Committee on the History of Statistics](#)
- [Committee on Risk Analysis](#)
- [Special Interest Group on Sports Statistics](#)
- [Committee on Women in Statistics](#)  
+ [Working Group on International Year of Women in Statistics and Data Science](#)
- [Young Statisticians Committee](#)

## Outreach Committees

Outreach Committees develop activities, networks and promote and represent the ISI and its Associations in different regions. An Outreach Committee is established by the **Council** in accordance with ISI's [Statutes and By-laws](#). Chairs of Outreach Committees must be ISI members, and members of Outreach Committees must be members of the ISI and/or its Associations. The chair is appointed by ISI's **Executive Committee**, and the members of the Committee are appointed by ISI's **Executive Committee** in consultation with the chair.

Each Outreach Committee shall establish, maintain and promote an associated *ISI Regional Network* in their region.

To join a Regional Network, please contact the Committee's Chair via the Committee's own web page, or [contact Mrs. Olivia van Dijk-Timbol](#).

For more information, please see the [Guidelines for ISI Outreach Committees](#).

## Current committees

- [ISI Central Eurasia Outreach Committee](#)
- [ISI East Asian Outreach Committee](#)
- [ISI South East Asia Outreach Committee](#)