

YSS Bulletin

A quick update from the Young Statisticians Section

DEADLINE APPROACHING The Statistical Excellence Award for Early Career Writing



Can you tell a statistical story in an entertaining and thought-provoking way?

Write a 1,500-2,500 word article on a subject of your choice, and you could have the chance to be published in Significance magazine – and to present your work at the 2017 RSS Conference. If you think you've got what it takes, and you're in the first ten years of your statistical career, [we want to hear from you!](#) Closing date 29th May.

Joint Event: RSS Glasgow and YSS



On the 25th April we enjoyed hosting a joint event "Celebrating 20 Years of CRAN and R supporting statistics" with RSS Glasgow

Speakers Dr. Charis Chaniavidis, Dr. Mike Spencer and Dr. Colin Gillespie presented the history of CRAN and R software and the multitude of benefits and applications of this statistical tool.

The event was co-hosted by Johnathan Love and Kate Pyper and had approximately 50 in person attendees and around 50 attendees via livestream.

[Click here for a write up of the event!](#)

Join us at our Statistics Showcase!

Statistics Showcase 2017
London, 30th June (venue tbc)



The showcase will start morning training session in R/R Shiny, with plenary talks from distinguished keynote speakers Prof Jane Hutton and Prof David Hand. The afternoon contains presenters from a diverse range of statistical fields, including medicine, finance, technology, data science, government and academia. The day will end with a wine reception networking session. [Click here for details and to register!](#)

Recent & upcoming events

- 30th June [Statistical Showcase](#) (London)
- 27th-28th July Young Statisticians Meeting (YSM) 2017
- 4th-7th September RSS Conference 2017
 - Including sessions:
 - Guide to the conference,
 - RSC 2017, YSM 2016 and 2017 prize winners,
 - Have I Got Stats for you!,
 - Research Funding Workshop,
 - Get involved session, 'CStat: What? Why? How?,'
 - Get your research published (joint with Wiley)
- November Statistically Significant Careers (Belfast)

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Do you have something to contribute to the Bulletin, or any questions about the YSS?

If so, please email Maria at youngstatisticianssection@gmail.com