

y-SIS Newsletter



Caution: spring is coming!

*With all the scents and blossomings, the winds of spring bring a whole package of **y-SIS events!** With this newsletter, we are thrilled to announce all the activities planned for young researchers: our informal conference (**StaTalk**), a data competition (**Stats Under the Stars**), prizes for the best contributions (at the **SIS meeting**) and many more...*

Below you can find all the details, but for real-time news do not forget to follow us on [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#) and [Facebook](#)!

SDS2024

PALERMO, APRIL 11-12

There will be a y-SIS invited session at the **Statistics and Data Science Conference (SDS2024)**, the Third Meeting of the SIS group Statistics and Data Science, focused on the modelling and analysis of complex data. The group aims to foster statistical skills in scientific research and teach in the context of Data Science. More information can be found on the [site](#) of the conference.

StaTalk 2024

FLORENCE, MAY 30-31

The countdown has started: a new edition of StaTalk is coming! This year will see even more events and opportunities since the conference spans **two days**. The program features a plenary talk given by [Maria Francesca Marino](#) from the University of Florence and five invited sessions to give **young researchers** from all over Italy the opportunity to share their projects and research interests.

Alice Gabrieli, known as [Datajournal-ice](#), will be there to document StaTalk on socials!

Moreover, we are happy to announce that, for the first time in the history of StaTalk, the program includes a session devoted to topics related to **mental health**, and [ADI](#) will join us. Plenty of time will also be devoted to interaction among young researchers during the sessions and the **social meals**.

Last but not least, you are warmly invited to participate by submitting a **poster** [here](#). The conference is **free of charge**, but registration is mandatory. Please, fill out [this form](#) before April 30. More information and details can be found on the dedicated [website](#).

Stats Under the Stars

LECCE, JUNE 16-17

Stats Under the Stars (SUS⁷) is a **whole night event for young statisticians**, where different teams of young students and researchers will compete for the **analysis of a**

dataset during the night in a friendly environment. The exciting challenge of this year (no spoiler for the moment!) will be provided by **Adecco**.

SUS⁷ will take place in **Lecce** as a satellite event of the SIS meeting held in Bari. For more information and details, see the associated [webpage](#).

SIS2024

BARI, JUNE 17-21

The **52nd Meeting of the Italian Statistical Society** will be held at the University of Bari "A. Moro" on June 17-21. y-SIS will be present with **three invited sessions**. More information will be available soon at the dedicated [website](#).

During the conference, we will award **two prizes** for the best contributions presented by a y-SIS member: the **Best PhD Student Contribution Award** and the **Best Young Contribution Award**. The prizes are reserved for y-SIS members who will give a talk at SIS2024 in compliance with the payment of the annual fees. Stay tuned for more details!