

# y-SIS Newsletter



## Welcome back!

A happy new year and welcome to all new members of Young SIS! On December 31st 2024, the members of the y-SIS board **Filippo Ascolani**, **Veronica Ballerini**, and **Giorgia Zaccaria** completed their mandate. We sincerely thank them for their dedication and valuable contributions to the group, and wish them the very best in all their future work! A warm welcome to the new member officers who started on January 1st 2025: **Martina Amongero**, **Giulia Capitoli** and **Matteo Gianella**.

**Marco Mingione** has been nominated coordinator of the y-SIS board and **Luca Aiello** is the new secretary. The bi-monthly newsletter is back to keep y-SIS members up-to-date on the exciting events we have planned for this year! For real-time news, do not forget to follow us on [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#) and [Facebook](#)!

## Prizes

**Challenge yourself and your research!** SIS is offering several prestigious awards for outstanding M.Sc. and Ph.D. students and Young researchers in the field of statistics. For more details, visit the [dedicated section](#) on the SIS website. The application deadline is **January 31**.

## StaTalk 2025

MILANO, JUNE 13-14

Our main event, dedicated to young statisticians, aims to encourage the exchange of ideas among students and early-career researchers from various statistical disciplines. This year, the event will feature a plenary talk, a poster session, and multiple invited sessions, providing young researchers with a platform to showcase their ideas, projects, and research interests. It will be held in Milan, at the **University Milano-Bicocca**. Stay tuned!

## Stats Under the Stars

GENOVA, JUNE 15-16

Stats Under the Stars (SUS<sup>8</sup>) is an exciting **overnight event for young statisticians**, where teams of students will compete in the **analysis of a dataset** in a collaborative and friendly atmosphere. The 8th edition of the event will be held in Genova at Giardini Luzzati on June 15 (Sunday night) and will end on June 16 (Monday morning) as a satellite event of the intermediate SIS meeting, “Statistics for Innovation” (SIS 2025). The website is coming soon, and we will keep you updated!

## SIS 2025

GENOVA, JUNE 16-18

The Intermediate Scientific Meeting of the Italian Statistical Society, titled **Statistics for Innovation**, will take place on June 16–18 in Genova. The conference will feature plenary, specialized, solicited, contributed, and poster sessions. The

deadline to submit your contribution is **February 23**. A reduced registration fee will be available for junior researchers. More details can be found at [the conference website](#). y-SIS will also be actively involved in the event. **Two prizes will be awarded for the best young contributions**, one for a Ph.D. student and one for a junior researcher. These prizes are reserved for **y-SIS members** presenting at SIS 2025, who have paid their annual membership fees. Stay tuned for updates on the prizes and application process!

## Peer support

As promised, we are working to create a supportive platform where we can communicate, help each other, connect and share ideas. However, we need your input to make it truly valuable! Please help us by filling out the form available at this [link](#). Your feedback and ideas are greatly appreciated!