Dear all,

Below some interesting news from ySIS!

SIS2016, June 8-10, Salerno

The 48th Scientific Meeting of the Italian Statistical Society will be held on June 8-10 in Salerno. The Conference will include plenary, specialized, solicited, contributed and poster sessions. A reduced fee is applied to junior associates and PhD students.

All information at the website: meetings2.sis-statistica.org/index.php/SIS2016/SIS2016

ySIS LUNCH SEMINAR - How to write a paper: tips and hints. June 8, 2016, Salerno

At the SIS2016 meeting, Prof. **David Dunson** from Duke University will give a lunch-seminar on "**How to write a paper: tips and hints**". Prof. D. Dunson is an outstanding statistician active in many fields: nonparametric Bayes, latent structure learning, big data, scalable Bayesian inferences, machine learning and high-dimensional low sample size problems motivated by applications in epidemiology, environmental health, neurosciences, genetics, and fertility among others. He is part of many editorial boards and in particular he is Editor-in-chief of the *Journal of the Royal Statistical Society Series B* (Statistical Methodology). Being sure that his seminar will be useful, especially for young researchers at the beginning of their careers, we hope to meet you all there and then!

To participate to the lunch-seminar you need first to be registered for the SIS2016 Conference. For an optimal organization we kindly invite you to **register** also to the lunch-seminar event by filling the online form of the social events at the following link: http://www.sis2016.unisa.it/registration/form.

A free lunch box will be offered to all the registered ySIS members and students.

Stats Under the Stars² – Night between June 7-8, 2016, Salerno

Stats Under the Stars² (SUS2) is a whole night event for young statisticians. Organized as satellite event of SIS2016, SUS2 will be held on the night of June 7-8, 2016 in <u>Lloyd's Baia Hotel</u> – Vietri sul Mare (Salerno). An all night long friendly challenge, where teams of young Statisticians will compete in the analysis of a dataset. Participating is simple (and free!): you just need to create your own team, sign up through the website http://www.sis2016.unisa.it/sus2/sus2 and be enough braveheart to not fall asleep overnight! The registration deadline is May 8, 2016. Save the date and don't be shy!

Al details at http://www.labeconomia.unisa.it/sus2/.

BAYSM2016, June 19-21, 2016, Florence

Bayesian Young Statisticians Meeting (BAYSM) is dedicated to Students, Post-Docs and Young Researchers working in the field of Bayesian statistics. BAYSM is an opportunity to connect with the Bayesian community at large, to exchange ideas, and to know people working in the same field for creating future networks. The presence of a senior discussant in each session will allow participants to get advice and comments to their current research. Theoretical and applied contributions are welcome. All the accepted contributions are also invited to extend their papers to be considered for publication in a book of the series Springer Proceedings in Mathematics & Statistics (with ISSN).

More info at www.baysm.org.

Remember to sign in to our Facebook group at https://www.facebook.com/groups/704099426372315/

See you soon,

The ySIS board: Lucia, Erlis, Federico, Giorgia and Valentina