We remind that from January 1st 2017, everyone has to join SIS as "socio ordinario junior" filling the form that you have received by mail or available at the website http://www.sis-statistica.it/. The request has to be contersigned from zero to five "soci ordinari proponenti" with a brief presentation of the candidate. We want to underline that the signatures are optional, actually one can send the request without any signature: they are useful to speed up the whole process. We further remind that the fee for young researchers is fixed at 35 euros. After that, you can join our ySIS group filling the form available on our website https://youngsis.github.io/registration.html

Don't lose this opportunity: be a part of the national scientific community!

Below some interesting news from young SIS!

SIS 2017, Florence, June 28-30, 2017

The Intermediate Scientific Meeting of the Italian Statistical Society entitled *Statistics and Data Science: new challenges, new generations*, will be held on June 28-30 in Florence. The Conference will include plenary, specialized, solicited, contributed and poster sessions. A reduced fee will be applied to junior associates and PhD students. For more information, please see http://meetings2.sis-statistica.org/index.php/sis2017/sis2017/index.

Stats Under the Stars³- Night between June 27-28, 2016, Florence

Stats Under the Stars³(SUS3) 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. This is the third edition of the initiative: the first one has been organized in Padova (2015), the second edition in Salerno (2016). SUS3 will take place in Florence during the night between June 27-28 as a satellite event of the intermediate SIS meeting *Statistics and Data Science: new challenges, new generations* of the Italian Statistical Society (SIS2017). Participating is simple (and free!): you just need to create your own team and sign up to the website http://local.disia.unifi.it/sus3/#iscrizione, but do not fall asleep during the night! The registration deadline is May 31, 2017.

START UP RESEARCH, Siena, 25-27 June, 2017

START UP RESEARCH is a 2-day meeting where research groups of young scholars, advised by <u>senior researchers</u> with a well-established experience in different areas of Statistics, will be asked to develop innovative methods and models to analyze a common dataset, with the goal of answering scientific questions arising from an applied problem. The event will be held in June 25-27, 2017 at the Antica Certosa di Pontignano, (http://www.lacertosadipontignano.com/en/certosa/certosa.php), near to Siena in Tuscany, a unique place where nature, history and hospitality blend together. Applications are now closed, for further information, please visit the web site http://www.congressi.unisi.it/startupresearch/

StaTalk on "Advances in likelihood-based & likelihood-free inference" @Padova

StaTalks are one-day informal seminars for young statisticians, undergraduate and graduate students. They are a great opportunity to share and update your knowledge on the interface of Statistical research in an easy atmosphere. The 5th StaTalk on advances in likelihood-based & likelihood-free inference will be held in Padova in October 2017. Detailed information are coming soon.

Remember that we are on Facebook: sign in to our group in order to be up-to-date on our events and news!

See you soon,

The ySIS board: Ilaria, Federico, Daniele, Tommaso, Giorgia