



WELCOME TO SIS 2018

For the year 2018, the 49th Meeting of the Italian Statistical Society (SIS) will be held in the lovely city of Palermo -known for its natural beauty and rich in precious monumental art-, which was elected this year Italian Capital of Culture and host of Manifesta 12 (https://www.palermocapitalecultura.it/).

The Italian Statistical Society (SIS) was founded in 1939; it promotes every two years an international scientific meeting, in which both methodological and applied statistical research are considered.

Today there are about one thousand members including scholars in statistical methodology, probability, social and economic statistics, biostatistics and demography.

The 49th Meeting of the Italian Statistical Society will be hosted by the University of Palermo (UNIPA): established in 1806 by Ferdinand III of Bourbon, is to date one of the largest universities in Italy and indeed the largest in Sicily.



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INFO

GENERAL INFO ---

All information concerning the 49th SIS Scientific Meeting are available at http://meetings3. sis-statistica.org/index.php/ sis2018/49th.

WIFI ---

EDUROAM Internet connection is available: please be sure to bring your EDUROAM credentials.

BOOK EXPOSITION ---

During the Conference you can visit the book exposition of Springer and Pearson Editors.

BREAKS ---

Lunch and Coffee Breaks will take place in the Building 19 (University Campus, Viale delle Scienze).

FREE BUS SERVICE TO REACH THE **CONFERENCE ---**

A free bus service will be available to reach the Conference Venue from the city center. The number of seats is limited.

-DAY 20/06/2018

08:00 AM > From Piazza Verdi to Viale delle Scienze Building 19 07:30 PM > From Viale delle Scienze Building 19 to Piazza Verdi

-DAY 21/06/2018

08:00 AM > From Piazza Verdi to Viale delle Scienze Building 19 07:30 PM > From Viale delle Scienze Building 19 to Piazza Verdi

-DAY 22/06/2018

08:00 AM > From Piazza Verdi to Viale delle Scienze Building 19 05:30 PM > From Viale delle Scienze Building 19 to Piazza Verdi

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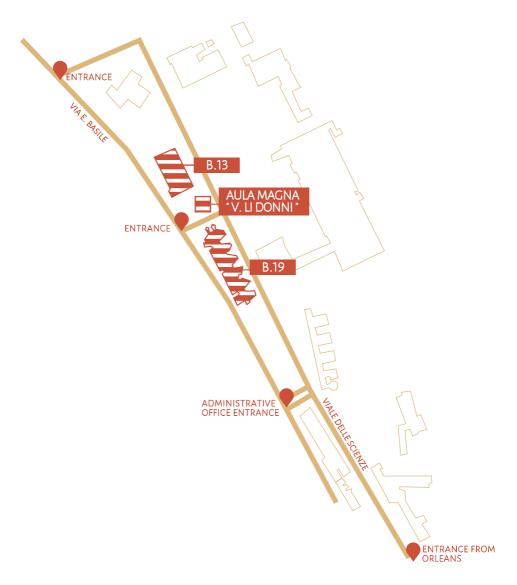
PALERMO ITALIAN CAPITAL OF **CULTURE 2018 ---**

The 49th Meeting of the Italian Statistical Society (SIS) is one of the events of Palermo Italian Capital of Culture 2018.

VENUE

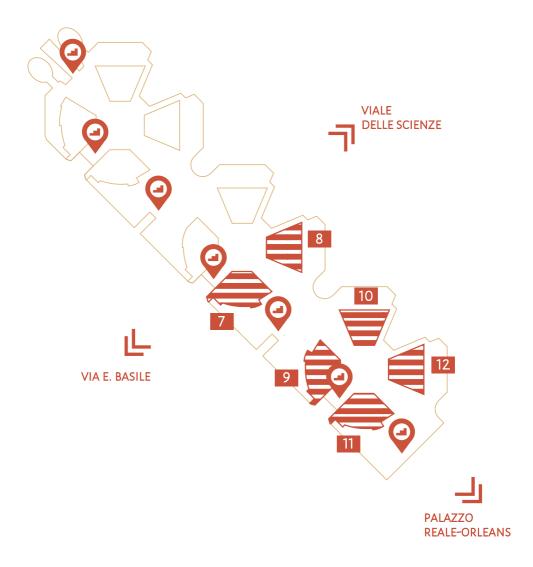
The **49th SIS Scientific Meeting** will take place at the **University of Palermo**, on June 20-22 2018.

UNIVERSITY CAMPUS





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WELCOME COCKTAIL

The Welcome Cocktail will be held at Palazzo Steri (also known as Palazzo Chiaramonte), Piazza Marina 59, at 20:30 on Wednesday 20th.

The SUS⁴ Award Ceremony will take place during the cocktail at Sala delle Capriate (Palazzo Steri).

To reach Palazzo Steri from the University Campus (Viale delle Scienze), go to the bus stop located in via Ernesto Basile (near the Engineering Building), and take bus n.234 -direction: Stazione Centrale. Once arrived at the Stazione Centrale, proceed trough via Lincoln, turn left and take Corso dei Mille and then go straight through via Giuseppe Garibaldi; when you reach the roundabout, take via Schiavuzzo until you arrive at via Castrofilippo, through which you'll reach via **Lungarini**; go straight until you arrive in Piazza Marina, where Palazzo Steri is.

SOCIAL DINNER

The Social Dinner will be held at the Orto Botanico of the University of Palermo, Via Lincoln 2, at 21:00 on Thursday 21th.

To reach the Orto Botanico from the University Campus (Viale delle Scienze), go to the bus stop located in via Ernesto Basile (near the Engineering Building); from here, you can either take bus n. 234 (direction: Stazione Centrale) or bus n.109 (direction Stazione Centrale). Once you arrive at the Stazione Centrale, go straight through via Lincoln until you arrive at the Orto Botanico.

ISTAT ANNUAL REPORT

The Annual Report of the ISTAT will be held by President Giorgio Alleva at Building 13 (Aula Magna "V. Li Donni") on Friday 22 June.

This event will be open to anyone

who is interested -you do not need to be registered to attend.

SATELLITE MEETINGS

This year there will be two Satellite Meetings: Stats under the Stars⁴ (SuS⁴) and Start Up Research (Follow Up).

-STATS UNDER THE STARS⁴

Stats Under the Stars is an event that aims to build a bridge between youth and statistics; in this occasion, the utility of statistics as fundamental instrument from the point of view of decisions will emerge.

The fourth edition of Stats Under the Stars (https://www.unipa.it/dipartimenti/seas/sus4/) will be held in Palermo during the *night between 19 and 20 June* (starting at 19:00) at the courtyard of the "School of Law and Socio-Economic Studies" and at the "Law Department" (located in via Maqueda 172, former "Monastero dei Teatini"), where the participant teams will challenge in the analysis of a dataset.

-START UP RESEARCH (FOLLOW UP)

Start Up Research 2017 was a 2-day meeting where small research groups of young scholars, advised by senior researchers with a well-established experience in different areas of Statistics, were asked to develop innovative methods and models to analyze a common dataset from the Neurosciences.

This year, the groups will present and discuss the scientific output of their works after one year of research. This follow-up will be also an occasion to announce additional positive results obtained by Start Up Research. The follow-up (http://www.congressi.unisi.it/startupresearch/sur2018/) will

be held at the "Aula Chiazzese" of the Law Department, on *June* 19.

GENERAL PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY 20 JUNE

8:30 - 9:30 -B.19

REGISTRATION

9:00 - 10:00 - B.13

AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI"

WELCOME ADDRESS

10:00 - 11:00 —B.13 PLENARY SESSION

AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI" | **PL1** A New Paradigm for Rating Data Models

11:00 - 11:30 —B.19

COFFEE BREAK

11:30 - 13:00 —B.19

SPECIALIZED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | SP1.1 Being Young and Becoming Adult in the Third Millennium: Definition Issues and Processes Analysis

ROOM 08 | SP1.2 Young Contributions to Statistical Learning

ROOM 09 | SP1.3 Forensic Statistics

ROOM 10 | SP1.4 New Perspectives in Time Series Analysis

ROOM 11 | SP1.5 Emerging and re-Emerging Threats from Infections: Global Diffusion Models and Policy Perspectives

13:00 - 13:30 —B.19 **POSTER SESSION**

ROOM 12

SPEED PRESENTATION 1

13:30 - 14:30 - B.19

LUNCH

14:30 - 15:40 —B.19 SOLICITED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | **SO1.1** Statistical Models for Sports Data

ROOM 08 | SO1.2 Network Data Analysis and Mining

ROOM 09 | SO1.3 Recent Advances on Extreme Value Theory

ROOM 10 | SO1.4 Pursuing the Sustainable Development Goals: Inequality and Territorial Distribution of Socio-Economic Well-Being and Sustainability

ROOM 11 | **SO1.5** Environmental Processes, Human Activities and Their Interactions

ROOM 12 | SO1.6 New Sources, Data Integration and Measurement Challenges for Estimates on Labour Market Dynamics

15:40 - 17:00—B.19

SPECIALIZED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | SP1.6 BDsports – Statistics in Sports

ROOM 08 | **SP1.7** Bayesian Nonparametric Learning

ROOM 09 | SP1.8 Integration Surveys and Register Based Statistics: Past, Present and Future

ROOM 10 | SP1.9 Economic Statistics and Big Data

ROOM 11 | **SP1.10** Quality of Life: Definition, Measures and Policy Implications

17:00 - 17:20 —B.19

17:20 - 18:30 — B.19

SOLICITED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | SO1.7 Quantile and Generalized Quantile Methods

ROOM 08 | SO1.8 Statistical Models for Service Quality

ROOM 09 | **SO1.9** New Perspectives in Supervised and Unsupervised Classification

ROOM 10 | SO1.10 Spatial Economic Data Analysis

ROOM 11 | SO1.11 The Second Generation at School

ROOM 12 | SO1.12 Tourism: Destinations, Household, Firms

18:30 - 19:30 —B.19

CONTRIBUTED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | CO1.1 Statistical Analysis of Energy Markets

ROOM 08 | CO1.2 Statistics for Financial Risks

ROOM 09 | CO1.3 Tourism & Cultural Participation

ROOM 10 | CO1.4 Recent Developments in Bayesian Inference

ROOM 11 | CO1.5 Well-Being & Quality of Life

20:30 —PALAZZO STERI

WELCOME COCKTAIL
SUS AWARD CEREMONY-SALA DELLE CAPRIATE

8:30 - 9:30 -B.19

CONTRIBUTED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | CO2.1 Population Dynamics

ROOM 08 | CO2.2 Environment

ROOM 09 | CO2.3 Data Management

ROOM 10 | CO2.4 Advances in Clustering Techniques

ROOM 11 | CO2.5 Statistical Inference and Testing Procedures

9:30 - 10:50 —B.19 SPECIALIZED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | SP2.1 Missing Data Handling in Complex Models

ROOM 08 | **SP2.2** Monitoring Education Systems. Insights from Large Scale Assessment Surveys

ROOM 09 | SP2.3 Some Topics in Statistics and Data Science

ROOM 10 | SP2.4 Recent Advances in Model-Based Clustering

ROOM 11 | SP2.5 Financial Time Series Analysis

09:30 - 10:50 —B.19 **SOLICITED SESSIONS**

ROOM 12 | SO2.1 What's Happening in Africa?

10:50 - 11:10 -B.19

COFFEE BREAK

11:10 - 11:40 —B.13

AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI"

PHD THESIS PRESENTATION

11:40 - 13:00 —B.13 PLENARY SESSION

AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI" | PL2 The Role of Statisticians in Understanding Global Climate Dynamics

13:00 - 13:30 —B.13 POSTER SESSION

AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI" SPEED PRESENTATION 2

13:30 - 14:30 -B.19

LUNCH

14:30 - 15:30—B.19 CONTRIBUTED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | CO2.6 Medicine

ROOM 08 | CO2.7 Educational World

ROOM 09 CO2.8 Socio-Economic Statistics

ROOM 10 | CO2.9 Advances in Time Series

ROOM 11 | CO2.10 Recent Developments in Statistical Modelling

ROOM 12 | CO2.11 Statistics for Earthquakes

15:30 - 16:40 —B.19 **SOLICITED SESSIONS**

ROOM 07 | SO 2.2 New Challenges in The Measurement of Economic Insecurity, Inequality and Poverty

ROOM 08 | SO2.3 Dimensional Reduction Techniques for Big Data Analysis

ROOM 09 | SO2.4 Complex Spatio-Temporal Processes and Functional Data

ROOM 10 | SO2.5 Innovations in Census and in Social Surveys

ROOM 11 | SO2.6 Aging and Elderly People

ROOM 12 | **SO2.7** New Methods and Models for Ordinal Data

16:40 - 17:00 -B.19

COFFEE BREAK

17:00 - 18:00 —B.19
CONTRIBUTED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | CO2.12 Health and Clinical Data

ROOM 08 | CO2.13 Family & Economic Issues

ROOM 09 | CO2.14 Social Indicators

ROOM 10 | CO2.15 Finance & Insurance

ROOM 11 | CO2.16 Developments in Graphical Models

ROOM 12 | CO2.17 Advances in Statistical Models

18:00 - 19:30 -B.13

AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI"

SIS GENERAL ASSEMBLY

21:00 —ORTO BOTANICO

SOCIAL DINNER

8:30 - 9:30 - B.19

CONTRIBUTED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | CO3.1 Statistics for Consumer Research

ROOM 08 | CO3.2 Statistical Models for Ordinal Data

ROOM 09 | CO3.3 Recent Developments in Sampling

ROOM 10 | CO3.4 Advanced Algorithms and Computation

ROOM 11 | CO3.5 Statistical Models: New Proposals

9:40 - 10:40 —B.19 **SOLICITED SESSIONS**

ROOM 07 | SO3.1 Spatial Functional Data Analysis

ROOM 08 | SO3.2 Advances in Discrete Latent Variable Modelling

ROOM 09 | SO3.3 Living Conditions and a Consumption Expenditure in Time of Crises

ROOM 10 | SO3.4 Methodological Approaches to Constructing Social Composite Indicators

ROOM 11 | SO3.5 Statistical Modelling for Business Intelligence

ROOM 12 | **SO3.6** Supporting Regional Policies Through Small Area Statistical Methods

10:40 - 11:30 —B.13 PLENARY SESSION

AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI" PL3.A Istat Annual Report 2018

11:30 - 12:00 -B.19

COFFEE BREAK

12:00 - 13:30 —B.13 PLENARY SESSION

AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI" PL3.B Advanced Models and Computational Methods for Data from Modern Biomedicine

13:30 - 14:30 - B.19

LUNCH

14:30 - 16:00—B.19 SPECIALIZED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | SP3.1 Statistical Modelling of Big Spatial Data

ROOM 08 | SP3.2 Statistical Modelling

ROOM 09 | SP3.3 Functional Statistics for Spatiotemporal Data (in collaboration with the Royal Statistical Society)

ROOM 10 | SP3.4 Statistics and Indicators for the Analysis of the Economic Competitiveness of the Business System

ROOM 11 | SP3.5 Reproducibility in Biostatistics: from Observational Studies to Sampling Strategies

16:00 - 17:30 —B.13 ROUND TABLE

AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI" | The culture of work: from statistics on the job market to the job market of statisticians (SIS – AlmaLaurea)

17:30 - 17:50 -B.13

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AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI" | PL1 A New Paradigm for Rating Data Models

chair: Monica Pratesi — President of SIS

A New Paradigm for Rating Data Models ||
Domenico Piccolo — Federico II University of Naples

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COFFEE BREAK

11:30 - 13:00 —B.19

SPECIALIZED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | SP1.1 Being Young and Becoming Adult in the Third Millennium: Definition Issues and Processes Analysis

chair: **Alessandro Rosina** — Sacro Cuore Catholic University of SH discussant: **Giuseppe Gabrielli** — Federico II University of Naples

Being young and becoming adult abroad: the second generation in Italy and the young Italian emigrants || Cinzia Conti, Enrico Tucci

Parenthood: an advanced step in the transition to adulthood ||

Antonella Guarneri, Cinzia Castagnaro, Eleonora Meli

Do Social Media Data predict changes in young adults' employment status? Evidence from Italy || *Andrea Bonanomi*

ROOM 08 | SP1.2 Young Contributions to Statistical Learning

chair: **Federico Camerlenghi** —*Bicocca University of Milan discussant:* **Alessandra Guglielmi** —*Polytechnic of Milan*

Introducing spatio-temporal dependence in clustering: from a parametric to a nonparametric approach || Clara Grazian

K-means seeding via MUS algorithm || Leonardo Egidi, Roberta Pappadà, Francesco Pauli, Nicola Torelli

Bayesian inference for hidden Markov models via duality and approximate filtering distributions || Guillaume Kon Kam King, Omiros Papaspiliopoulos, Matteo Ruggiero

ROOM 09 | SP1.3 Forensic Statistics

chair: **Julia Mortera** — *University of Rome* discussant: **Paola Vicard** — *University of Rome*

Cause of effects: an important evaluation in Forensic Science || Fabio Corradi, Monica Musio

Evaluation and reporting of scientific evidence: the impact of partial probability assignments || Silvia Bozza, Franco Taroni, Alex Biedermann

Paternity testing and other inference about relationships from DNA mixtures || Peter J. Green

ROOM 10 | SP1.4 New Perspectives in Time Series Analysis

chair: **Cira Perna** — *University of Salerno* discussant: **Luisa Bisaglia** — *University of Padua*

Generalized periodic autoregressive models for trend and seasonality varying time series || Francesco Battaglia

Detecting Co-Movements in Noncausal Time Series | Gianluca Cubadda, Alain Hega, Sean Telg

Time dependent time series models: a review | Guy Mélard

ROOM 11 | SP1.5 Emerging and re-Emerging Threats from Infections: Global Diffusion Modelsand Policy Perspectives

chair: **Alessia Melegaro** —Bocconi University discussant: **Emanuele Del Fava** —University of Milan

The contribution of local demographic conditions and vaccination policies to measles elimination | Filippo Trentini

Matheatical Models for Emerging and Re-emerging Mosquito-Borne Diseases || Giorgio Guzzetta

Refining the characterization of the Sanofi Pasteur dengue vaccine's efficacy profile using machine learning || Ilaria Dorigatti, Christl A. Donnelly, Daniel J. Laydon, Robert Small, Nicholas Jackson, Laurent Coudeville, Neil Ferguson

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LUNCH

14:30 - 15:40 —B.19 SOLICITED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | SO1.1 Statistical Models for Sports Data

chair: Nicola Torelli —University of Trieste

Big Data Analytics for Modelling Players' Movement in Basketball || Rodolfo Metulini

A data-mining approach to the Parkour discipline || Paola Pasca, Enrico Ciavolino, Ryan L. Boyd

Exploring the Kaggle European Soccer database with Bayesian Networks: the case of the Italian League Serie A | Maurizio Carpita, Silvia Golia

The study of relationship between financial performance and sports success in Italian Football Championship clubs through the Longitudinal generalized estimating equation models || Pasquale Sarnacchiaro, Anna Crisci, Luigi D'Ambra

14:30 - 15:40 —B.19 SOLICITED SESSIONS

ROOM 08 | SO1.2 Network Data Analysis and Mining

chair: Maria Prosperina Vitale —University of Salerno

Data mining and analysis of comorbidity networks from practitioner prescriptions || Giancarlo Ragozini

Support provided by elderly Italian people: a multilevel analysis || Elvira Pelle, Giulia Rivellini, Susanna Zaccarin

Stochastic network modelling of the evolutionary tree | Ernst C. Wit

Overlapping mixture models for network data (manet) with covariates adjustment || Saverio Ranciati, Giuliano Galimberti, Ernst C. Wit, Veronica Vinciotti

ROOM 09 | SO1.3 Recent Advances on Extreme Value Theory

chair: Simone Padoan —Bocconi Universityof Milan

Record Events of Dependent Sequences | Amir Khorrami Chokami, Michael Falk, Simone Padoan

Generalized Pareto Copulas: A Key to Multivariate Extremes | Michael Falk, Simone Padoan

Testing the multivariate regular variation model || Chen Zhou

Extremes of high-order IGARCH processes | Fabrizio Laurini

ROOM 10 | SO1.4 Pursuing the Sustainable Development Goals: Inequality and Territorial Distribution of Socio-Economic Well-Being and Sustainability

chair: Viviana Egidi — Sapienza University of Rome

No one left behind: a huge challenge for statistics and policy | Enrico Giovannini

Statistics and innovations for measuring Sustainable Development Goals: challenges, opportunities and progress | Angela Ferruzza, Paola Ungaro, Barbara Baldazzi, Giovanna Tagliacozzo, Luigi Costanzo

Sustainable Development and Territorial Differences: a Focus on Italian Regions || Leonardo S. Alaimo

The systemic view of the SDGs indicators through a statistical model-based approach: an application on Eu countries || Carlo Cavicchia, Filomena Maggino, Maurizio Vichi

ROOM 11 | SO1.5 Environmental Processes, Human Activities and Their Interactions

chair: Daniela Cocchi —University of Bologna

A multilevel hidden Markov model for space-time cylindrical data || Francesco Lagona, Monia Ranalli

Estimation of coral growth parameters via Bayesian hierarchical non-linear models || Crescenza Calculli, Barbara Cafarelli, Daniela Cocchi

A Bayesian S-FAVAR model to Estimate the Short-Term Health Effects of Air Pollution on Human Health || Pasquale Valentini, Lara Fontanella, Luigi Ippoliti

Estimation of entropy measures for categorical variables with spatial correlation || Linda Altieri, Giulia Roli

ROOM 12 | SO1.6 New Sources, Data Integration and Measurement Challenges for Estimates on Labour Market Dynamics

chair: **Rosalia Castellano** — Parthenope University of Naples

How effective are the regional policies in Europe? The role of European Funds || Gennaro Punzo, Mariateresa Ciommi, Gaetano Musella

The development of the Italian Labour register: principles, issues and perspectives | Ciro Baldi, Claudio Ceccarelli, S. Gigante, Silvia Pacini

Digging into Labour Market Dynamics: toward a reconciliation of Stock and Flows Short Term Indicators || Fabio Massimo Rapiti, Ciro Baldi, Daniela Ichim, Federica Pintaldi, Maria Elena Pontecorvo, Rita Rizzi

Labour market condition in Italy during and after the financial crises: a segmented regression analysis approach of interrupted time series || Matilde Bini, Lucio Masserini

15:40 - 17:00 —B.19 SPECIALIZED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | SP1.6 BDsports - Statistics in Sports

chair: **Paola Zuccolotto** — *University of Brescia* discussant: **Stefania Mignani** - *University of Bologna*

Analysis of the importance of on-field covariates in the German Bundesliga || Gunther Schauberger

Zero-inflated ordinal data models with application to sport (in)activity || Maria Iannario, Rosaria Simone

Are the shots predictive for the football results? || Leonardo Egidi, Francesco Pauli, Nicola Torelli

ROOM 08 | SP1.7 Bayesian Nonparametric Learning

chair: **Peter Green** — Bocconi University discussant: **Bruno Scarpa** - University of Padua

A Comparative overview of Bayesian nonparametric estimation of the size of a population || Luca Tardella, Danilo Alunni Fegatelli

Logit stick-breaking priors for partially exchangeable count data || Tommaso Rigon

Bayesian nonparametric covariate driven clustering | Alessandra Guglielmi

ROOM 09 | SP1.8 Integration Surveys and Register Based Statistics: Past, Present and Future

chair: **Alessandra Petrucci** — *University of Florence* discussant: **Roberto Benedetti** - *University of Chieti-Pescara*

New methods for small area estimation with linkage uncertainty || Brunero Liseo, Andrea Tancredi, Dario Briscolini, Loredana Di Consiglio, Tiziana Tuoto

Quality survey to dealing with frame imperfections in the next register-based Italian Census Population | *Paolo Righi*

Estimation of wealth on spatially disaggregated levels in Germany based on the Household Finance and Consumption Survey (HFCS) || *Timo Schmid*, *Ann-Kristin Kreutzmann*, *Philipp Marek*, *Nicola Salvati*

ROOM 10 | SP1.9 Economic Statistics and Big Data

chair: Luigi Biggeri —University of Florence discussant: Giuseppe Arbia -Catholic University of SH

Improvements in Italian CPI/HICP deriving from the use of scanner data || Alessandro Brunetti

Big data and spatial price comparisons of consumer prices || *Tiziana Laureti*

Scoring models for roboadvisory platforms: a network approach | Paolo Giudici, Gloria Polinesi

15:40 - 17:00 —B.19 SPECIALIZED SESSIONS

ROOM 11 | SP1.10 Quality of Life: Definition, Measures and Policy Implications

chair: **Giovanna Boccuzzo**—*University of Padua discussant:* **Viviana Egidi** —*Sapienza University of Rome*

Quality of life and gender inequalities after the economic crisis: which priorities for the policy maker? || *Linda Laura Sabbadini*

Challenges, needs and risks in defining wellbeing indicators || Filomena Magaino

An empirical measure of social progress for the European regions: challenges and solutions || *Paola Annoni*

17:00 - 17:20 -B.19

COFFEE BREAK

17:20 - 18:30 —B.19 SOLICITED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | SO1.7 Quantile and Generalized Quantile Methods

chair: **Domenico Vistocco** — *University of Cassino*

Modelling the effect of Traffic and Meteorology on Air Pollution with Finite Mixtures of M-quantile Regression Models || Simone Del Sarto, Maria Francesca Marino, Maria Giovanna Ranalli, Nicola Salvati

Three-level M-quantile model for small area poverty mapping | Nicola Salvati, Stefano Marchetti

Multiple Quantile Regression for Risk Assessment | Lea Petrella, Valentina Raponi

Parametric Modeling of Quantile Regression Coefficient Functions || Paolo Frumento, Matteo Bottai

ROOM 08 | S01.8 Statistical Models for Service Quality

chair: Maurizio Carpita —University of Brescia

Finding the best paths in university curricula of graduates to improve academic guidance services || Silvia Bacci, Bruno Bertaccini

A robust multinomial logit model for improving service quality || Ida Camminatiello, Antonio Lucadamo

Complex contingency tables and Pearson's chi-squared partitions || Eric J Beh, Rosaria Lombardo, Voshio Takane

Cumulative chi-squared statistics for the service quality improvement. New properties and tools for its evaluation | Antonello D'Ambra, Antonio Lucadamo, Pietro Amenta, Luigi D'Ambra

ROOM 09 | SO1.9 New Perspectives in Supervised and Unsupervised Classification

chair: Mariangela Sciandra — University of Palermo

Robust Updating Classification Rule with applications in Food Authenticity Studies || Francesca Greselin

A robust clustering procedure with unknown number of clusters || Francesco Dotto

Issues in joint dimension reduction and clustering methods | Michel van de Velden, Alfonso Iodice D'Enza, Angelos Markos

Some remarks on the DESPOTA algorithm for detecting a partition on a dendrogram | Dario Bruzzese, Domenico Vistocco

Tree-based Semi-supervised Clustering | Claudio Conversano, Giulia Contu, Luca Frigau, Francesco Mola

ROOM 10 | SO1.10 Spatial Economic Data Analysis

chair: **Davide Piacentino—**University of Palermo

Estimating models with network interactions and unobserved heterogeneity || Luisa Corrado, Salvatore Di Novo

Tourism Firms Survival in Italian Insular Regions | Maria Francesca Cracolici, Giuseppe Espa, Diego Giuliani, Davide Piacentino

Spatial Weights Matrix Specification: A Fuzzy Logic Exploration || Nooshin Mahmoodi, Roberto Patuelli

Spatial heterogeneity in principal component analysis: a study of deprivation index on Italian provinces || Paolo Postiglione, M. Simona Andreano, Roberto Benedetti, Alfredo Cartone

ROOM 11 | SO1.11 The Second Generation at School

chair: Salvatore Strozza — Federico II University of Naples

Resilient students with migratory background | Anna Di Bartolomeo, Giuseppe Gabrielli

Understanding the sources of children of immigrants' penalty in academic performance: Evidence from Italian compulsory education || *Moris Triventi*, *Eleonora Vlach*

From school to ... future: strategies, paths and perspectives of immigrant immediate descendants in Naples || Giustina Orientale Caputo, Giuseppe Gargiulo

Residential Proximity to Attended Schools among Immigrant-Origin Youths in Bologna | Federica Santangelo, Debora Mantovani, Giancarlo Gasperoni

Short and medium term labour market returns of college graduates with a migration background || Jim Allen, Barbara Belfi, Babs Jacobs, Mark Levels, Kars van Oosterhout

ROOM 12 | SO1.12 Tourism: Destinations, Household, Firms

chair: **Laura Grassini** — *University of Florence*

The Migration-Led-Tourism Hypothesis for Italy: A Survey || Carla Massidda, Romano Piras, Ivan Etzo

The Pricing Behaviour of Firms in the On-line Accommodation Market: Evidence from a Metropolitan City || *Andrea Guizzardi*, *Flavio Maria Emanuele Pons*

Tourism attractiveness in Italy. Some empirical evidence comparing origindestination flows | Francesca Giambona, Emanuela Dreassi, Alessandro Magrini

Tourism Statistics: development and potential uses | Fabrizio Antolini

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ROOM 07 | CO1.1 Statistical Analysis of Energy Markets

chair: Matteo Pelagatti —Bicocca University of Milan

Bias Reduction in a Matching Estimation of Treatment Effect | Maria Gabriella Campolo, Antonino Di Pino, Edoardo Otranto

Forecasting Value-at-Risk for Model Risk Analysis in Energy Markets | Angelica Gianfreda, Giacomo Scandolo

Prediction interval of electricity prices by robust nonlinear models || Luigi Grossi Investment-Uncertainty Relationship in the Oil and Gas Industry || Matteo Manera, Maryam Ahmadi, Mehedi Sadeghzadeh

Quantile merit order and network upgrade effects: evidence on Italian wholesale power prices || *Alessandro Sapio*

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ROOM 08 | CO1.2 Statistics for Financial Risks

chair: Massimiliano Caporin — University of Padua

Bayesian Quantile Regression Treed | Mauro Bernardi, Paola Stolfi

Systemic events and diffusion of jumps || Giovanni Bonaccolto, Nancy Zambon, Massimiliano Caporin

Model Selection in Weighted Stochastic Block models | Michele Costola

Conditional Value-at-Risk: a comparison between quantile regression and copula functions || Giovanni De Luca, Giorgia Rivieccio

Traffic Lights for Systemic Risk Detection | Juan-Angel Jimenez-Martin

Forecasting Optimal Portfolio Weights Using High-Frequency Data | Alessandro Palandri

ROOM 09 | CO1.3 Tourism & Cultural Participation

chair: Mariangela Zenga —Biccocca University of Milan

A New Proposal of Spatial Shift Share Analysis: an Application to Tourism || Salvatore Costantino, Maria Francesca Cracolici, Davide Piacentino

The determinants of tourism destination competitiveness in 2006-2016: a partial least square path modelling approach | Alessandro Magrini, Laura Grassini

Posterior Predictive Assessment for Item Response Theory Models: A Proposal Based on the Hellinger Distance | Mariagiulia Matteucci, Stefania Mignani

Cultural Participation in the digital Age in Europe: a multilevel cross-national analysis || Isabella Mingo, Laura Bocci

Tourist flows and museum admissions in Italy: an integrated analysis || Francesca Petrei, Lorenzo Cavallo, Maria Teresa Santoro

Participation in tourism of Italian residents in the years of the economic recession || *Emilia Rocco, Chiara Bocci, Laura Grassini*

ROOM 10 | CO1.4 Recent Developments in Bayesian Inference

chair: Antonietta Mira — Università della Svizzera Italiana

A predictive measure of the additional loss of a non-optimal action under multiple priors || Fulvio De Santis, Stefania Gubbiotti

Bayesian estimation of number and position of knots in regression splines || Gioia Di Credico

The importance of historical linkages in shaping population density across space || |

Posterior distributions with non explicit objective priors || *Erlis Ruli, Nicola Sartori, Laura Ventura*

Bayesian Support Vector Machine Quantile Regression || Andrea Sottosanti, Mauro Bernardi, Emanuele Degani

ROOM 11 | CO1.5 Well-Being & Quality of Life

chair: **Lisa Crosato** — Bicocca University of Milan

Comparing Composite Indicators to measure Quality of Life: the Italian "Sole 24 Ore" case | Gianna Agrò, Mariantonietta Ruggieri, Erasmo Vassallo

Quality of working life in Italy: findings from Inapp survey || Paolo Emilio Cardone

Well-being indices: what about Italian scenario? | Silvia Facchinetti

The well-being in the Italian urban areas: a local geographic variation analysis || Eugenia Nissi, AnnaLina Sarra

How can we compare rankings that are expected to be similar? An example based on composite well being indicators | Silvia Terzi, Luca Moroni

Is Structural Equation Modelling Able to Predict Well-being? || Daniele Toninelli, Michela Cameletti

20:30 —PALAZZO STERI

WELCOME COCKTAIL

STATS UNDER THE STARS: AWARD CEREMONY (SALA DELLE CAPRIATE)

THURSDAY 21 JUNE

08:30 - 09:30 -B.19

CONTRIBUTED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | CO2.1 Population Dynamics

chair: Giulia Rivellini — Sacro Cuore Catholic University of Milan

Economic Uncertainty and Fertility: a Meta-Analysis of European Research Findings || Giammarco Alderotti, Daniele Vignoli, Michela Baccini

Where the Current Age Structure is Heading || Gustavo De Santis, Giambattista Salinari

The impact of economic development on fertility: a complexity approach in a cross-country analysis || Niccolò Innocenti, Daniele Vignoli, Luciana Lazzeretti

Mortality trends in Sardinia 1992-2015: an ecological study || Vanessa Santos Sanchez, Gabriele Ruiu, Marco Breschi, Lucia Pozzi

A Probabilistic Cohort-Component Model for Population Forecasting – The Case of Germany || *Patrizio Vanella*

ROOM 08 | CO2.2 Environment

chair: Giuseppe Arbia — Sacro Cuore Catholic University of Milan

A functional regression control chart for profile monitoring | Fabio Centofanti, Antonio Lepore, Alessandra Menafoglio, Biagio Palumbo, Simone Vantini

Bayesian Dynamic Tensor Regression models | Matteo Iacopini, Monica Billio, Roberto Casarin

Exploratory GIS Analysis via Spatially Weighted Regression Trees || Carmela Iorio, Giuseppe Pandolfo, Michele Staiano, Roberta Siciliano

Design-based mapping in environmental surveys | Caterina Pisani

Understanding pro-environmental travel behaviours in Western Europe || Gennaro Punzo, Rosalia Castellano, Demetrio Panarello

The climate funds for energy sustainability: a counterfactual analysis || Giuseppe Scandurra, Alfonso Carfora, Monica Ronghi

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ROOM 09 | CO2.3 Data Management

chair: Maurizio Carpita —University of Brescia

Data Integration in Social Sciences: the earnings intergenerational mobility problem | Veronica Ballerini, Francesco Bloise, Dario Briscolini, Michele Raitano

Using web scraping techniques to derive co-authorship data: insights from a case study || Domenico De Stefano, Vittorio Fuccella, Maria Prosperina Vitale, Susanna Zaccarin

Dealing with Data Evolution and Data Integration: An approach using Rarefaction || Luca Del Core, Eugenio Montini, Clelia Di Serio, Andrea Calabria

Monitoring event attendance using a combination of traditional and advanced surveying tools || Mauro Ferrante, Amit Birenboim, Anna Maria Milito, Stefano De Cantis

Indefinite Topological Kernels | Tullia Padellini, Pierpaolo Brutti

An innovative approach for the GDPR compliance in Big Data era || Vito Santarcangelo

ROOM 10 | CO2.4 Advances in Clustering Techniques

chair: Tonio Di Battista — University of Chieti-Pescara

An INDCLUS-type model for occasion-specific complementary partitions || Laura Bocci, Donatella Vicari

On the choice of an appropriate bandwidth for modal clustering || Alessandro Casa, Josè Chacón, Giovanna Menardi

Bootstrap ClustGeo with spatial constraints | Veronica Distefano, Valentina Mameli, Fabio Della Marra

Robust Reduced K-Means and Factorial K-Means by trimming || Luca Greco, Antonio Lucadamo, Pietro Amenta

Unsupervised clustering of Italian schools via non-parametric multilevel models || Chiara Masci, Francesca Ieva, Anna Maria Paganoni

Dirichlet processes, posterior similarity and graph clustering | Stefano Tonellato

ROOM 11 CO2.5 Statistical Inference and Testing Procedures

chair: Francesca Greselin —Bicocca University of Milan

Nonparametric penalized likelihood for density estimation || Federico Ferraccioli

Comparison of exact and approximate simultaneous confidence regions in nonlinear regression models | Claudia Furlan, Cinzia Mortarino

Stochastic Dominance for Generalized Parametric Families || Tommaso Lando, Lucio Bertoli-Barsotti

Rethinking the Kolmogorov-Smirnov Test of Goodness of Fit in a Compositional Way | Gianna Monti

Tail analysis of a distribution by means of an inequality curve || Emanuele Taufer, Flavio Santi, Giuseppe Espa, Maria Michela Dickson

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SPECIALIZED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | SP2.1 Missing Data Handling in Complex Models

chair: Omar Paccagnella —University of Padua discussant: Anna Giraldo —University of Padua

Dependence and sensitivity in regression models for longitudinal responses subject to dropout || Marco Alfò, Maria Francesca Marino

Multilevel analysis of student ratings with missing level-two covariates: a comparison of imputation techniques || Carla Rampichini,
Maria Francesca Marino

Multilevel Multiple Imputation in presence of interactions, non-linearities and random slopes | Matteo Quartagno, James Carpenter

ROOM 08 | SP2.2 Monitoring Education Systems. Insights from Large Scale Assessment Surveys

chair: **Isabella Sulis** —*University of Cagliari* discussant: **Francesca Giambona** —*University of Florence*

Educational Achievement of Immigrant Students. A Cross-National Comparison Over-Time Using OECD-PISA Data | Mariano Porcu

Insights into survey errors of large scale educational achievement surveys || Sylke V. Schnepf

Investigating the role of educational systems on learning inequalities with international assessments. The case of early tracking | Dalit Contini

ROOM 09 | **SP2.3** Some Topics in Statistics and Data Science

chair: **Nicola Torelli** — *University of Trieste* discussant: **Francesco Pauli** — *University of Firenze*

Statistics in an Engineering School in the time of Data Science | Enrico Bibbona, Mauro Gasparini

Reconstructing the topography of multidimensional probability landscapes E || Michele Allegra, Maria d'Errico, Elena Facco, Alessandro Laio, Alex Rodriguez

Extreme Learning Machines for Bootstrapping Nonlinear Time Series || Michele La Rocca, Cira Perna

ROOM 10 | SP2.4 Recent Advances in Model-Based Clustering

chair: **Cinzia Viroli** — *University of Bologna* discussant: **Laura Anderlucci** — *University of Bologna*

Covariate measurement error in generalized linear models for longitudinal data: a latent Markov approach | Roberto Di Mari

A Comparison of Model-Based and Fuzzy Clustering Methods | Marco Alfò, Maria B. Ferraro, Paolo Giordani, Luca Scrucca, Alessio Serafini

Flexible clustering methods for high-dimensional data sets || *Cristina Tortora*, *Paul McNicholas*

ROOM 11 | SP2.5 Financial Time Series Analysis

chair: Margherita Carlucci —Sapienza University of Rome discussant: Giovanni De Luca — Parthenope University of Naples

Conditional Quantile-Located VaR | Massimiliano Caporin, Giovanni Bonaccolto, Sandra Paterlini

Heterogeneous Component MEM models for forecasting trading volumes || Giuseppe Storti, Antonio Naimoli

Regularized Estimation of High Dimensional Auto- and Cross-Covariance Matrices || *Tommaso Proietti*

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SOLICITED SESSIONS

ROOM 12 | D2.1 What's Happening in Africa?

chair: Elena Ambrosetti — Sapienza University of Rome

Environmental shocks and internal migration in Tanzania || Elena Pirani, Alessandra Petrucci, Maria Francesca Marino

Brocken trends in Maghrebian fertility | Zahia Ouadah-Bedidi, Jacques Vallin

Determinants and geographical disparities of BMI in African Countries: a measurement error small area approach || Serena Arima, Silvia Polettini

Return and circular migration between Africa and Italy || Cinzia Castagnaro, Francesca Licari

10:50 - 11:10 -B.19

COFFEE BREAK

11:10 - 11:40 -B.13

AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI" | PHD THESIS PRESENTATION

11:40 - 13:00 -B.13

PLENARY SESSION

AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI" | PL2 The Role of Statisticians in Understanding Global Climate Dynamics

chair: Giorgio Alleva —Istat President

A Stochastic Generator of Global Monthly Wind Energy with Tukey g-and-h Autoregressive Processes || Marc G. Genton — King Abdullah University of Science and Technology

Statistical modelling of atmospheric radiosoundings || Alessandro Fassò — University of Bergamo

13:00 - 13:30 —B.13 POSTER SESSION

AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI" | SPEED PRESENTATION 2

13:30 - 14:30 - ED19

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ROOM 07 | Medicine

chair: Vito Muggeo —University of Palermo

The relationship between health care expenditures and time to death: focus on myocardial infarction patients || Luca Grassetti, Laura Rizzi

Hidden Markov Models for disease progression || Andrea Martino, Andrea Ghiglietti, Giuseppina Guatteri, Anna Maria Paganoni

A multivariate extension of the joint models | Marcella Mazzoleni, Mariangela Zenga

Multipurpose optimal designs for hypothesis testing in normal response trials || Marco Novelli, Maroussa Zagoraiou

A simulation study on the use of response-adaptive randomized designs ||
Anna Maria Paganoni, Andrea Ghiglietti, Maria Giovanna Scarale,
Rosalba Miceli, Francesca Ieva, Luigi Mariani, Cecilia Gavazzi, Valeria Edefonti

Additive Bayesian networks for an epidemiological analysis of swine diseases || Marta Pittavino, Reinhard Furrer

ROOM 08 | CO2.7 Educational World

chair: Paolo Mariani —Bicocca University of Milan

Benefits of the Erasmus mobility experience: a discrete latent variable analysis || Silvia Bacci, Valeria Caviezel, Anna Maria Falzoni

Testing for the Presence of Scale Drift: An Example | Michela Battauz

University choice and the attractiveness of the study area. Insights from an analysis based on generalized mixed-effect models || Silvia Columbu, Mariano Porcu, Isabella Sulis

How to improve the Quality Assurance System of the Universities: a study based on compositional analysis || Bruno Bertaccini, Michele Gallo, Carlotta Simonacci, Tullio Menini

The evaluation of Formative Tutoring at the University of Padova | Anna Giraldo, Renata Clerici, Lorenza Da Re, Silvia Meggiolaro

Evaluation of students' performance at lower secondary education. An empirical analysis using TIMSS and PISA data | Grazia Graziosi

ROOM 09 CO2.8 Socio-Economic Statistics

chair: **Stefano Campostrini** —*Ca' Foscari University of Venice*

Camel or dromedary? A study of the equilibrium distribution of income in the EU countries. || Lisa Crosato, Camilla Ferretti, Piero Ganugi

Small Area Estimation of Inequality Measures | Maria Rosaria Ferrante, Silvia Pacei

Testing the Learning-by-Exporting at Micro-Level in light of influence of "Statistical Issues" and Macroeconomic Factors | Marzia Freo, Maria Ferrante

The mobility and the job success of the Sicilian graduates || Ornella Giambalvo, Antonella Plaia, Sara Binassi

The NEETs during the economic crisis in Italy, Young NEETs in Italy, Spain and Greece during the economic crisis || Giovanni De Luca, Paolo Mazzocchi, Claudio Quintano, Antonella Rocca

Unemployment and subsequent depression: A parametric g-formula approach combined with individual-specific fixed-effect intercepts || Ben Wilson

ROOM 10 | CO2.9 Advances in Time Series

chair: Omar Paccagnella —University of Padua

Filtering outliers in time series of electricity prices || *Ilaria Lucrezia Amerise*Time-varying long-memory processes || *Luisa Bisaglia, Matteo Grigoletto*Statistical Analysis of Markov Switching DSGE Models || *Maddalena Cavicchioli*Forecasting energy price volatilities and comovements with fractionally integrated MGARCH models || *Malvina Marchese, Francesca Di Iorio*Improved bootstrap simultaneous prediction limits || *Paolo Vidoni*

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ROOM 11 | CO2.10 Recent Developments in Statistical Modelling

chair: Antonio Lucadamo — University of Sannio

Heterogeneous effects of subsidies on farms' performance: a spatial quantile regression analysis | Marusca De Castris

A note on the effects of human capital policies in Italy during the Great Recession || *Paolo Di Caro*

Simultaneous calibrated prediction intervals for time series || Giovanni Fonseca, Federica Giummolè, Paolo Vidoni

Reversibility and (non)linearity in time series | Margherita Gerolimetto

On the estimation of high-dimensional regression models with binary covariates || Valentina Mameli, Debora Slanzi, Irene Poli

Quantile Regression Coefficients Modeling: a Penalized Approach || Gianluca Sottile, Paolo Frumento, Matteo Bottai

ROOM 12 CO2.11 Statistics for Earthquakes

chair: Giada Adelfio —University of Palermo

Detection of damage in civil engineering structure by PCA on environmental vibration data | Gianna Agrò, Valentina Carlisi, Roberta Mantione

How robust is the skill score of probabilistic earthquake forecasts? || Alessia Caponera, Maximilian J. Werner

On the quality of the hypocenter locations: source of errors and spatial distribution of uncertainties || Antonino D'Alessandro, Carlo Marcocci, Salvatore Scudero

Functional linear models for the analysis of similarity of waveforms || Francesca Di Salvo, Renata Rotondi, Giovanni Lanzano

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ROOM 07 | SO2.2 New Challenges in the Measurement of Economic Insecurity, Inequality and Poverty

chair: Chiara Gigliarano —University of Insubria

Changes in poverty concentration in U.S. urban areas || Francesco Andreoli, Mauro Mussini

Economic Insecurity and Individual Behaviour | Conchita D'Ambrosio

Social protection in mitigating economic insecurity | Alessandra Coli

Evaluating sustainability through an input-state-output framework: the case of the Italian provinces | Laura Neri, Achille Lemmi, Federico Maria Pulselli

ROOM 08 | SO2.3 Dimensional Reduction Techniques for Big Data Analysis

chair: Luigi Biggeri —University of Florence

A network approach to dimensionality reduction in Text Mining || Michelangelo Misuraca, Germana Scepi, Maria Spano

Self Organizing Maps for distributional data || Antonio Irpino, Rosanna Verde

Co-clustering algorithms for histogram data || Antonio Balzanella, Francisco de A.T. De Carvalho, Rosanna Verde

Clustering Data Streams via Functional Data Analysis: a Comparison between Hierarchical Clustering and K-means Approaches | Tonio Di Battista

ROOM 09 | SO2.4 Complex Spatio-Temporal Processes and Functional Data

chair: Giada Adelfio — University of Palermo

Spatial pattern analysis of the Italian sesimic network and seismicity ||

Antonino D'Alessandro, Marianna Siino, Giada Adelfio, Luca Greco

Clustering of spatio-temporal data based on marked variograms || Antonio Balzanella, Rosanna Verde

Space-time earthquake clustering: nearest-neighbor and stochastic declustering methods in comparison || Elisa Varini, Antonella Peresan, Renata Rotondi, Stefania Gentili

Advanced spatio-temporal point processes for the Sicily seismicity analysis || Marianna Siino

ROOM 10 | SO2.5 Innovations in Census and in Social Surveys

chair: Vittoria Buratta -/stat

The New Population Census Strategy: from Tradition to Innovation || Matteo Mazziotta, Stefano Falorsi

Towards more timely census statistics: the new Italian multiannual dissemination programme || Simona Mastroluca, Mariangela Verrascina

A micro-based approach to ensure consistency among administrative data sources and to improve population statistics || Gianni Corsetti, Sabrina Prati, Enrico Tucci

Demographic changes, research questions and data needs: issues about migrations | Salvatore Strozza, Giuseppe Gabrielli

ROOM 11 | SO2.6 Aging and Elderly People

chair: Cecilia Tomassini —University of Molise

Health and mortality: new insights from longitudinal data || *Elena Demuru*, *Viviana Egidi*

Living condition and mortality at home and in institution: addressing the bias introduced by the selection of institutionalized population || Cristing Giudici

Looking beyond averages: quantile regression approach to model older-adult Europeans' quality of life || Elisa Cisotto, Giulia Cavrini

Estimation of neighborhood effect on mental health in the elderly using propensity score techniques || Giovanna Boccuzzo, Chiara Papaccio, Margherita Silan, Morena Stroscia

ROOM 12 | SO2.7 New Methods and Models for Ordinal Data

chair: Carmela Cappelli —Federico II University of Naples

Clustering of preference rankings: a non-parametric soft-clustering approach ||

Antonio D'Ambrosio, Willem J Heiser

A prototype for the analysis of time use in Italy || Stefania Capecchi, Manuela Michelini

Constrained Extended Plackett-Luce model for the analysis of preference rankings || Cristina Mollica, Luca Tardella

A dissimilarity-based splitting criterion for CUBREMOT || Carmela Cappelli, Rosaria Simone, Francesca Di Iorio

Weighted vs unweighted distance based decision trees for ranking data || Antonella Plaia, Simona Buscemi, Mariangela Sciandra

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COFFEE BREAK

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ROOM 07 | CO2.12 Health and Clinical Data

chair: Rosanna Verde — University of Campania

Apulian health refurbishment: evaluation of performance and customer satisfaction through "Sentiment Analysis" || Margaret Antonicelli, Francesco Albergo, Alessandra Ricciardelli

Multi-State model with nonparametric discrete frailty || Francesca Gasperoni, Francesca Ieva, Anna Maria Paganoni, Chris Jackson, Linda Sharples

Assessment of the INLA approach on gerarchic bayesian models for the spatial disease distribution: a real data application || Paolo Girardi, Emanuela Bovo, Carmen Stocco, Susanna Baracco, Alberto Rosano, Daniele Monetti, Silvia Rizzato, Sara Zamberlan, Enrico Chinellato, Ugo Fedeli, Massimo Rugge

Is retirement bad for health? A matching approach || Elena Pirani, Marina Ballerini, Alessandra Mattei, Gustavo De Santis

A Functional Urn Model for CARA Designs | William Rosenberger

The emergency department utilisation among the immigrant population resident in Rome from 2005 to 2015 || Eleonora Trappolini, Laura Cacciani, Claudia Marino, Cristina Giudici, Nera Agabiti, Marina Davoli

ROOM 08 CO2.13 Family & Economic Issues

chair: **Leonardo Grilli** — *University of Florence*

Fertility Drain or Fertility Gain? The Effect of Emigration on Fertility in Italian Municipalities during the Great Recession | Nicoletta Balbo

Measuring Economic Uncertainty: Longitudinal Evidence Using a Latent Transition Model || Francesca Giambona, Laura Grassini, Daniele Vignoli

Does increasing female age at marriage lead to more age hypogamy? A study of Italian marriages, 1920-2015 | Giuliana Giuliani

Intentions to leave Italy or to stay among foreigners: what factors for different migration projects? || Paola Muccitelli, Ginevra Di Giorgio, Francesca Dota, Daniele Spizzichino

Wages differentials in association with individuals, enterprises and territorial characteristics | Nicoletta Pannuzi

The Transition to Motherhood among British Young Women: does housing tenure play a role? | Valentina Tocchioni, Ann Berrington, Daniele Vignoli, Agnese Vitali

ROOM 09 | CO2.14 Social Indicators

chair: Francesca Bassi — University of Padua

Knowledge Flows and Innovative Performance: Evidence from Italian firms || Martina Aronica, Giuseppe De Luca, Giorgio Fazio, Davide Piacentino

Can a neighbour region influence poverty? A fuzzy and longitudinal approach || Gianni Betti

Weight-based discrimination in the Italian Labor Market: how do ethnicity and gender interact? || Giovanni Busetta, Maria Gabriella Campolo, Demetrio Panarello

A gender inequality assessment by means of the Gini index decomposition | Michele Costa

The Total Factor Productivity Index as a Ratio of Price Indexes || Lisa Crosato, Biancamaria Zayanella

Monetary poverty indicators at local level: evaluating the impact of different poverty thresholds || *Luigi Biggeri*, *Caterina Giusti*, *Stefano Marchetti*

ROOM 10 | CO2.15 Finance & Insurance

chair: Nicola Torelli —University of Trieste

Robust statistical methods for credit risk || Aldo Corbellini, Alessandro Ghiretti, Gianluca Morelli, Andrea Talianani

Exploiting information network model based for financial forecasting || Giancarlo Nicola, Paola Cerchiello, Tomaso Aste

Depth-based portfolio selection || Giuseppe Pandolfo, Carmela Iorio, Antonio D'Ambrosio

Estimating large-scale multivariate local level models with application to stochastic volatility | Matteo Maria Pelagatti

Modelling insurance losses via contaminated unimodal distributions || Salvatore Daniele Tomarchio

ROOM 11 | CO2.16 Developments in Graphical Models

chair: Silvia Golia —University of Brescia

An extension of the glasso estimator to multivariate censored data || Antonino Abbruzzo, Luigi Augugliaro, Angelo Mineo

Non-communicable diseases, socio-economic status, lifestyle and well-being in Italy: an additive Bayesian network model || *Laura Maniscalco*, *Domenica Matranga*

Using Almost-Dynamic Bayesian Networks to Represent Uncertainty in Complex Epidemiological Models: a Proposal | Sabina Marchetti

Statistical matching by Bayesian Networks | Daniela Marella, Paola Vicard, Vincenzina Vitale

Sparse Nonparametric Dynamic Graphical Models | Mauro Bernardi, Fabrizio Poggioni, Lea Petrella

Bayesian Estimation of Graphical Log-Linear Marginal Models || Claudia Tarantola

ROOM 12 | CO2.17 Advances in Statistical Models

chair: Fulvia Mecatti-University of Milan

dgLARS method for relative risk regression models || *Luigi Augugliaro*, *Angelo Mineo*

A longitudinal analysis of the degree of accomplishment of anti-corruption measures by Italian municipalities: a latent Markov approach || Simone Del Sarto, Michela Gnald, Francesco Bartolucci

Analysis of dropout in engineering BSc using logistic mixed-effect models || Luca Fontana, Anna Maria Paganoni

A Latent Class Conjoint Analysis for analysing graduates' profiles || Andrea Marletta, Paolo Mariani, Lucio Masserini, Mariangela Zenga

Regression modeling via latent predictors || Francesca Martella, Donatella Vicari
Modelling the effect of covariates for unbiased estimates in ecological inference
methods || Venera Tomaselli

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AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI" | SIS GENERAL ASSEMBLY

21:00 —ORTO BOTANICO

SOCIAL DINNER

FRIDAY 22 JUNE

08:30 - 09:30 -B.19

CONTRIBUTED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | CO3.1 Statistics for Consumer Research

chair: Francesca Cracolici — University of Palermo

Post-sampling crowdsourced data for reliable statistical inference: the case of market price index in Nigeria | Giuseppe Arbia

Consumers' Preferences for Coffee Consumption: a Choice Experiment Including Organoleptic Characteristics and Chemical Analyses || Rossella Berni, Nedka Dechkova Nikiforova, Patrizia Pinelli

A Bayesian Mixed Multinomial Logit Model for Partially Microsimulated Data on Labor Supply || Cinzia Carota, Consuelo R. Nava

Simultaneous unsupervised and supervised classification modeling for clustering, model selection and dimensionality reduction || *Mario Fordellone*

A panel data analysis of Italian hotels || Antonio Giusti, Laura Grassini, Alessandro Viviani

Comparison between Experience-based Food Insecurity scales || Federica Onori, Sara Viviani, Pierpaolo Brutti

ROOM 08 | CO3.2 Statistical Models for Ordinal Data

chair: **Antonella Plaia** — *University of Palermo*

Worthiness Based Social Scaling | Giulio D'Epifanio

Modified profile likelihood in models for clustered data with missing values || Claudia Di Caterina, Nicola Sartori

Direct Individual Differences Scaling for Evaluation of Research Quality | Michele Gallo, Nickolay Trendafilov, V. Simonacci

Measuring the multiple facets of tolerance using survey data || Caterina Liberati, Riccarda Arianna Longaretti, Alessandra Michelangeli

A test for variable importance | Rosaria Simone

A comparative study of benchmarking procedures for interrater and intrarater agreement studies [*Amalia Vanacore*

ROOM 09 | CO3.3 Recent Developments in Sampling

chair: Giovanni Boscaino —University of Palermo

Species richness estimation exploiting purposive lists: A proposal || Alessandro Chiarucci, Rosa Maria Di Biase, Lorenzo Fattorini, Marzia Marcheselli, Caterina Pisani

Testing for independence in analytic inference | Pier Luigi Conti, Alberto Di Iorio

On the aberrations of two-level Orthogonal Arrays with removed runs || Roberto Fontana, Fabio Rapallo

Design-based exploitation of big data by a doubly calibrated estimator || Maria Michela Dickson, Giuseppe Espa, Lorenzo Fattorini

ROOM 10 | CO3.4 Advanced Algorithms and Computation

chair: **Giovanni De Luca** — Federico II University of Naples

Customer Churn prediction based on eXtreme Gradient Boosting classifier || Mattee Borrotti

HPC-accelerated Approximate Bayesian Computation for Biological Science || Ritabrata Dutta

Brexit in Italy - Text Mining of Social Media | Francesca Greco

Distance based Depth-Depth classifier for directional data || Giuseppe Pandolfo, Giovanni C. Porzio

Approximate Bayesian Computation for Forecasting in Hydrological models || Jonathan Romero, Antonino Abbruzzo, Giada Adelfio, Félix Francés

PC Algorithm for Gaussian Copula Data | Vincenzina Vitale, Paola Vicard

ROOM 11 | CO3.5 Statistical Models: New Proposals

chair: Antonino Abbruzzo —University of Palermo

Node-specific effects in latent space modelling of multidimensional networks || Silvia D'Angelo, Marco Alfò, Thomas Brendan Murphy

On the estimation of epidemiological parameters from serological survey data using Bayesian mixture modelling || Emanuele Del Fava, Piero Manfredi, Ziv Shkedy

Decomposing Large Networks: An Approach Based on the MCA based Community Detection | Carlo Drago

An evaluation of KL-optimum designs to discriminate between rival copula models || Silvia Angela Osmetti

On Bayesian high-dimensional regression with binary predictors: a simulation study || Debora Slanzi, Valentina Mameli, Irene Poli

Variational Approximations for Frequentist and Bayesian Inference || Luca Maestrini

09:40 - 10:40 —B.19 SOLICITED SESSIONS

ROOM 07 | SO3.1 Spatial Functional Data Analysis

chair: Antonio Balzanella —University of Campania

Object oriented spatial statistics for georeferenced tensor data || Alessandra Menafoglio, Davide Pigoli, Piercesare Secchi

A simple spatio-temporal model for some complex data | Luigi Ippoliti

Constructing priors for functional linear regression models || Maria Franco Villoria, Massimo Ventrucci, Haavard Rue

A Spatio-Temporal Mixture Model for Urban Crimes || Angela Ferretti, Luigi Ippoliti, Pasquale Valentini

09:40 - 10:40 —B.19 SOLICITED SESSIONS

ROOM 08 | SO3.2 Advances in Discrete Latent Variable Modelling

chair: Marco Alfò —Sapienza University of Rome

A joint model for longitudinal and survival data based on a continuous-time hidden Markov model || Alessio Farcomeni, Francesco Bartolucci

Causality patterns of a marketing campaign conducted over time: evidence from the latent Markov model || Fulvia Pennoni, Leonard J. Paas, Francesco Bartolucci

Dealing with reciprocity in dynamic stochastic block models | Francesco Bartolucci, Maria Francesca Marino, Silvia Pandolfi

Modelling the latent class structure of multiple Likert items: a paired comparison approach | Brian J. Francis

ROOM 09 | SO3.3 Living Conditions and a Consumption Expenditure in Time of Crises

chair: Margherita Carlucci—Sapienza University of Rome

The financial crisis, food consumption and quality of diets: An international perspective || *Tiziana Laureti, Mario Mazzocchi*

Micro and Macro Resilience measures to the economic crisis || Cristina Bernini, Maria Francesca Cracolici, Peter Nijkamp

Dynamics in Price and Income Elasticities over 20 years in Italy || Sara Capacci, Luca Secondi, Ilaria Benedetti

Material deprivation and household consumption expenditure in Italy during last economic crises | Isabella Siciliani, Ilaria Arigoni

ROOM 10 | **SO3.4** Methodological Approaches to Constructing Social Composite Indicators

chair: Maria Gabriella Grassia —Federico II University of Naples

Model based Indicators for Sustainability || Rosanna Cataldo, Carlo Natale Lauro, Marina Marino, Viktoriia Voytsekhovska

Introduction of weights in poset-based synthetic indicators || Giovanna Boccuzzo, Giulio Caperna

A composite indicator to analyse gender balance in Italian Public University || Laura Antonucci, Corrado Crocetta, Madia D'Onghja, Emma Zavarrone

Comparing different aggregating approaches. An application to the Gender equality indicators in Italy at sub-national level || Enrico di Bella, Filomena Maggino, Lucia Leporatti

ROOM 11 | SO3.5 Statistical Modelling for Business Intelligence

chair: Bruno Scarpa —University of Padua

A nonlinear state-space model for the forecasting of field failures ||

Antonio Pievatolo

Bayesian Ensemble of Quantile Trees for Sales Prediction | Mauro Bernardi, Paola Stolfi

Discrimination in machine learning algorithms || Roberta Pappadà, Francesco Pauli

Does Airbnb affect the real estate market? A spatial dependence analysis | Mariangela Guidolin, Mauro Bernardi

ROOM 12 | SO3.6 Supporting Regional Policies Through Small Area Statistical Methods

chair: Silvia Pacei — University of Bologna

Survey-weighted Unit-Level Small Area Estimation || Patricia Doerr, Jan Pablo Burgard Integration of socio-economic data for the estimation of indicators at the municipal level || Michele Dalo, Alessio Guandalini, Andrea Fasulo, Solari Fabrizio

Accounting for measurement error in unit and area-level small area models || Nikos Tzavidis, Timo Schmid, Paul Walter, Natalia Rojas-Perilla, Paul Smith, Jan yan den Brakel

Robust and model-assisted small area estimation methods: an application to the Banca d'Italia Survey of Industrial and Service Firms | Enrico Fabrizi

10:40 - 11:30 —B.13 PLENARY SESSION

AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI" | PL3.A The Istat President, Giorgio Alleva, Presents the Annual Report of 2018

chair: Vincenza Capursi — University of Palermo

11:30 - 12:00 -ED19

COFFEE BREAK

12:00 - 13:30 —ED13 PLENARY SESSION

AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI" | PL3.B Advanced Models and Computational Methods for Data from Modern Biomedicine

chair: Clelia Di Serio —Vita-SaluteSan Raffaele University of Milan

Statistical challenges and opportunities in modelling coupled behaviour-disease dynamics of vaccine refusal || Chris Bauch — University of Waterloo

Precision medicine and personalized networks || Francesco C. Stingo — University of Florence

Health information systems and statistics || Fabrizio De Nicola — Head of the Polyclinic of the University of Palermo

13:30 - 14:30 —ED19

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14:30 - 16:00 —ED19 SPECIALIZED SESSION

ROOM 07 | SP3.1 Statistical Modelling of Big Spatial Data

chair: **Michela Cameletti** — University of Bergamo discussant: **Luig Ippoliti** — University of Chieti-Pescara

A Hierarchical Multivariate Spatio-Temporal Model for Clustered Climate data with Annual Cycles || Giovanna Jona Lasinio, Gianluca Mastrantonio, Alessio Pollice, Giulia Capotorti, Lorenzo Teodonio, Carlo Blasi

A variance-adaptive proposal for multivariate disease mapping || Miguel Angel Martinez-Beneito, Francisca Corpas-Burgos, Paloma Botella-Rocamora

Multivariate statistical emulators for city-level air quality management || Francesco Finazzi, Yoana Borisova, Marian E. Scott, Alan Hills, Michela Cameletti

ROOM 08 | SP3.2 Statistical Modelling

chair: **Vito Muggeo** — *University of Palermo*discussant: **Vito Muggeo** — *University of Palermo*

The GAMLSS models: Past and Future | Mikis Stasinopoulos

A regularized estimation approach for the three-parameter logistic model || Michela Battauz, Ruggero Bellio

Recovering Indirect Information in Demographic Applications | Jutta Gampe

ROOM 09 | SP3.3 Functional Statistics for Spatiotemporal Data (in collaboration with the Royal Statistical Society)

chair: Claire Miller — University of Glasgow discussant: Maria Franco Villoria — University of Turin

Visualization and assessment of spatio-temporal covariance properties | Ying Sun

Application of semiparametric function-on-scalar regression for modeling spatio-temporal earthquake dynamics || *Alexander Bauer*

Functional principal component analysis for non-stationary dynamic time series with an application to high-frequency hydrological data || A El-Ayouti

ROOM 10 | SP3.4 Statistics and Indicators for the Analysis of the Economic Competitiveness of the Business System

chair: **Stefano Menghinello**—*Istat*discussant: **Matilde Bini**—*European University of Rome*

A Survival Multilevel Model on EU Companies (2006-2016) | Margherita Velucchi

Changing lenses to read a changing world: The new Istat approach to study firms' competitiveness using integrated data | Stefano Costa

The information of the territorial register for the analysis of spatial distribution | Alessandro Faramondi

ROOM 11 | SP3.5 Reproducibility in Biostatistics: from Observational Studies to Sampling Strategies

chair: Clelia Di Serio —Vita-Salute San Raffaele University of Milan discussant: Pierlugi Conti—Sapienza University of Rome

Designing Effective Sampling Strategies in Biomedical Studies: is Selection Bias Always Bad? || Fulvia Mecatti

Recurrence dynamics of cancer according to the dormancy paradigm || Elia Biganzoli

Reproducibility and uncertainty | Annibale Biggeri

16:00 - 17:30 —B.13 ROUND TABLE

AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI" | The Culture of Work: from Statistics on the Job Market to the Job Market of Statisticians (SIS – AlmaLaurea)

chair: Francesco Bartolucci —University of Perugia

Welcome addresses

F. Micari — Rettore dell'Università degli Studi di Palermo

N. Musumeci — Presidente della Regione Siciliana

L. Orlando — Sindaco di Palermo

R. Lagalla — Assessore all'Istruzione e alla Formazione professionale M. Ippolito — Assessore Regionale della Famiglia, delle Politiche sociali e del Lavoro

G. Antonelli — Presidente del Comitato Scientifico Strategico di AlmaLaurea

Comments

L'occupazione dei laureati siciliani nel contesto nazionale || Silvia Ghiselli — Alma Laurea

La Statistica nel mondo del lavoro: Statistici e non solo... || Ornella Giambalvo —University of Palermo

Le competenze statistiche nelle professioni economiche || Francesco Ferrante — University of Cassino and Southern Lazio

Gli statistici in ambito psicologico || Tiziana Pascucci — Sapienza University of Rome

Le attività degli Statistici in campo medico || Leonardo Emberti Gialloreti —Tor Vergata University of Rome

17:30 - 17:50 -B.13

AULA MAGNA "V. LI DONNI" | CLOSING CEREMONY

POSTER SESSIONS

Poster exhibition will take place at **B.19** 2nd floor
The size of the poster should be width: max 100cm / height: max 100cm

SPEED PRESENTATION 1 || **WED.20**TH, 13:00 - 13:30

- Mapping the relation between University accesstest and student's university performance | Antonella Plaia, Vincenzo Giuseppe Genova
- Spatial Segregation of Immigrant Households in Messina | Angelo Mazza, Massimo Mucciardi
- Spatially varying coefficient models for areal data | Massimo Ventrucci
- Investigating the effect of drugs consumption on survival outcome of Heart Failure patients using joint models: a case study based on regional administrative data. || Marta Spreafico, Francesca Gasperoni, Francesca leva
- A note on objective Bayes analysis for graphical vector autoregressive models | Lucia Paci, Guido Consonni
- Deep Learning to the Test: an Application to Traffic Data Streams | Nina Deliu
- Spatiotemporal Prevision for Emergency Medical System Events in Milan | Andrea Gilardi, Riccardo Borgoni, Andrea Pagliosa, Rodolfo Bonora
- An R package for more reliable estimates of Residential Segregation | Angelo Mazza, Antonio Punzo
- Multivariate analysis of marine litter abundance through Bayesian space-time models || Crescenza Calculli, Alessio Pollice, Letizia Sion, Porzia Maiorano
- Classification of the Aneurisk65 dataset using PCA for partially observed functional data | Marco Stefanucci
- Bayesian Population Size Estimation with A Single Sample | Pierfrancesco Alaimo Di Loro
- Supervised Learning for Link Prediction in Social Networks | Riccardo Giubilei
- Estimating the implied probabilities in the tennis betting market: A new normalization procedure | Vincenzo Candila, Antonio Scognamillo

SPEED PRESENTATION 2 || **THUR.21**ST, **13:00 - 13:30**

- Attitudes, beliefs, behaviours and HPV vaccine | Veronica Dorgali
- A distribution curves comparison approach to analyze the university moving students performance || Giovanni Boscaino, Giada Adelfio, Gianluca Sottile
- Sovereign co-risk measures in the Euro Area | Silvia Facchinetti
- A Partial Ordering Application in Synthetizing Dimensions of Subjective Well-being | Paola Conigliaro
- A methodological approach for Umbria's environmental data | Marta Bosi, Monica Franzese, Cristiano Trani, Sandra Verduci
- Random Garden: a Supervised Learning Algorithm | Ivan Luciano Danesi, Valeria Danese, Nicolò Russo, Enrico Tonini
- Structured Additive Distributional Regression applied to the spatio-temporal analysis of soilplant variability || Giovanna Jona Lasinio, Alessio Pollice, Thomas Kneib, Stephan Lang, Roberta Rossi, Mariana Amato
- Women's empowerment and child mortality: the case of Bangladesh | Chiara Puglisi
- How to measure cybersecurity risk | Silvia Angela Osmetti
- Power Priors for Bayesian Analysis of Graphical Models of Conditional Independence in Three Way Contingency Tables | Aikaterini Mantzouni
- Implementation of an innovative technique to improve Sauvignon Blanc wine quality || Filippa Bono, Pietro Catania, Mariangela Vallone
- A proportional hazards model under bivariate censoring and truncation | Marialuisa Restaino, Hongsheng Dai
- Reconstructing missing data sequences in multivariate time series: an application to environmental data | Maria Lucia Parrella, Giuseppina Albano, Michele La Rocca, Cira Perna
- Testing different structures of Spatial Dynamic Panel Data models by a bootstrap multiple testing procedure | Maria Lucia Parrella, Francesco Giordano, Massimo Pacella
- Estimating the number of unseen species under heavy tails | Marco Battiston, Federico Camerlenghi, Emanuele Dolera, Stefano Favaro
- Studying the relationship between anxiety and school achievement using M-quantile randomeffects model with sampling weights || Francesco Schirripa Spagnolo, Antonella D'Agostino, Nicola Salvati























