



# World Statistics Congress 2023

## International Statistical Institute

Statistical Society of Ottawa Annual General Meeting

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Statistics Canada, ISI Elected Member

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# World Statistics Congresses

- Started in 1887 in Rome
- After International Statistics Congresses
- Ottawa 1963
- Washington 1971
- ...
- Kuala Lumpur 2019
- The Hague (virtual) 2021

# International Statistical Institute



- Founded 1885
- 4500 members
- Past presidents such as:
  - C. R. Rao
  - Sir D. Cox
  - I.P. Fellegi
- Current President: Stephen Penneck
- President-Elect: Xuming He

# International Statistical Institute



## Seven Associations

- 1973: International Association of Survey Statisticians
- 1975: Bernoulli Society for Mathematical Statistics and Probability
- 1977: International Association for Statistical Computing
- 1985: International Association for Official Statistics
- 1991: International Association for Statistical Education
- 2005: International Society for Business and Industrial Statistics
- 2008: The International Environmetrics Society

# 64<sup>th</sup> World Statistics Congress 2023

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- Ottawa
- July 16-20 (with short courses and meetings July 13-15)
- Shaw Centre
- > 2500 participants; > 130 countries
- 23 parallel sessions; > 1300 papers
- Short courses at University of Ottawa
- Multiple business meetings
- Social events



## OTTAWA 2023

64<sup>TH</sup> WORLD STATISTICS CONGRESS

# Programme



- Invited paper sessions (>250 proposals)
- Contributed papers (call is imminent)
- Special invited papers
  - International prize winners
  - President's invited speaker
  - Award lectures (Waksberg)
  - Journal and association sessions

# Organization



- Steering Committee (chair: Steve Penneck)
- Scientific Committee (chair: Mark Podolskij; co-chair Jean-François Beaumont)
- National Advisory Committee (chairs: Eric Rancourt & Robert Platt)
- Short courses (chair: David Haziza)
- Supported by Statistics Canada committee and secretariat
- ISI Lead: Associate Director Shabani Mehta
- Professional Congress Organizer: Worldspan

# Statistics Canada's role



- Co-host
- Opening session guests
- Coordination of volunteers
- Local secretariat and facilitator
- Statistics Canada events
- Statistics Canada visits / meetings
- Various aspects of logistics and themes
- Social events



# SSO members' role !?!



- Market and publicize
- Attend the congress
- Present a paper
- Chair a session
- Identify potential sponsors
- Get organizations to have a booth
- Get involved in students event
- Organize a side event
- Identify / Provide volunteers

# Welcome to the WSC2023 Welcome to Ottawa

Video with:  
Stephen Penneck  
Anil Arora

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Thank you / Merci



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