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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

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The end of the year is a time for contemplation, celebration, looking back and looking forward. On our lives and our family and friends, our professional lives and colleagues, and the world at large, where many good things happen but very many bad ones as well. In these last weeks of the year, the center of my home town Leiden features, next to a floating ice rink on the central canal, a glass "remembrance house", a sort of a small greenhouse surrounded by Christmas trees, where people can light a candle or leave a message as a reminder to a lost one or an expression of other grief. The glass walls are symbolic for sharing feelings with other people and the surroundings. Sharing is how sadness can also become a source of energy and strength for the new year.

In science too we have much to remember. We are continually building on the accomplishments of the generations before us, be it their scientific writings, their teaching, their organisational achievements, or simply their presence in our community. Our daily working lives may sometimes be hectic, teaching the best way we can, writing the papers that really matter, acquiring grants or other funding, organising conference or lectures, and also competing in some ways, but in the end we are part of this great tradition. These last weeks of the year are also excellent to contemplate our professional lives, possibly in the light of those who preceded us and those whom

we lost, also during the past year, and to gather strength through remembrance.

Following this brief new year's contemplation, let me return to ongoing business. For ISBA the most important event in the past year was our wonderful world meeting in Venice, but there were so many more activities. Workshops, lectures, publications, outreach, prizes. A great thing about ISBA is that so many people are involved, not only as participants, but also in organising this wealth of activities. We are a fairly decentralised society, kept going following some procedures, but through the work of many.

Some roles within ISBA are formalised and most of these rotate every so many years. In this bulletin you will find the results of the last ISBA elections, reported by Donatello Telesca. Donatello has performed one of the heaviest administrative functions in ISBA during the last four years. As executive secretary he has overlooked and carried out many essential procedures that keep ISBA running.

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On behalf of ISBA, I like to thank him very much for all his work during such a long period. Amy Herring is another member of the executive committee who will step down in the next week, from her role as past-president. Amy has been a source of knowledge and wisdom and will be missed dearly. Thank you Amy.

As of January 1, Michele Guindani will be ISBA president, Xinyi Xu ISBA executive secretary, and Antonio Lijoi will join the executive committee as president-elect. Yanxun Xu will continue as treasurer and I shall rotate into the role of past-president. There are many other changes in ISBA officers as well, see further on in the bulletin for the results of all elections. Welcome to everybody!

From this position I would also like to thank Francesco Denti for putting together yet another informative bulletin.

The coming year will not see an ISBA world meeting, but there will be several section meetings and many other activities. We may also see proposal for the formation of one or two new sections, next to the nine sections already in place, oriented towards social science and machine learning. These are bottom-up initiatives carried by groups of members. Follow the bulletins, or your email for news.

I wish you a great 2025 with many new ideas and exciting initiatives.

FROM THE EDITOR

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December and 2024 are almost over; with them, my first year as editor of the ISBA bulletin is also ending. First, I want to express my gratitude to all the associate editors who have accompanied me in 2024 for their great work.

Anton Westveld, in charge of the *Features section*, has contributed to the bulletin for years, and I want to thank him for his dedication. He continues his search for insights into various areas of Bayesian applications. Don't miss the next issue of the bulletin; something interesting is coming!

In 2024, Déborah Sulem joined the board and took over the *News from the World* section. She has done a great job collecting reports and news about Bayesian events worldwide. She also gave the section her personal touch, introducing new ideas such as the "Q&A" and "Awards and Achievements beyond ISBA" segments.

Last but not least, I am happy to share that we have another wonderful addition to the board! Join me in welcoming Federica Zoe Ricci, who, from this issue on, will curate *Teaching Bayes*, a section entirely focused on the latest trends and news in Bayesian education, discussing publications and dedicated conference sessions. Check that out, and feel free to contribute!

Also, thanks to all ISBA officers reporting from their respective areas! After the message from the ISBA President, this issue features an update from the Program Council and another from Mark Steel, who is ending his mandate as *Bayesian Analysis* Editor. Updates from j-ISBA contain the names of the recipients of the Blackwell-Rosenbluth awards and the newly elected officers – congratulations to everyone!

Finally, please join me in congratulating all the newly elected ISBA officers. Their names are reported in the bulletin's closing section.

We are working on other new features for next year! ISBA community, stay tuned and, for now, enjoy this issue!

FROM THE PROGRAM COUNCIL

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ISBA 2026 World Meeting

The 2026 ISBA World Meeting will be held in Nagoya, Japan, from June 28 to July 3, 2026. The Scientific Committee has already started working on the program and schedule. Calls for invited sessions will be announced in the coming months. Invited sessions will be 90 minutes long and feature three speakers and a session chair, plus an optional discussant. Calls for short courses, contributed talks, and posters will be announced later in 2025. We encourage you to start thinking about potential contributions to the program!

(Co-)Sponsorship/Endorsement Requests If you are planning a meeting and would like to request financial sponsorship (or co-sponsorship) or non-financial endorsement from ISBA, please submit your request to the program council at program-council@bayesian.org. Detailed information on how to submit a request for either sponsorship or endorsement can be found [here](#).

UPDATES FROM BA

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As you probably know, my term as Editor in Chief of *Bayesian Analysis* terminates at the end of this month (how time flies!). Igor Prünster has been appointed by the ISBA board as the new EiC, and we will overlap for the months of December 2024 and January 2025 as co-EiCs.

It has been a great privilege to be part of the journey of our wonderful journal and to serve as EiC. I would like to send heartfelt thanks to the whole Editorial Team for their truly outstanding contributions to the continued success of the journal and for their patience with me. My time as EiC has been a wonderful experience, thanks to their help and invaluable support.

I am also very grateful to Maria Kalli, managing editor of BA, Geri Mattson, the BA publishing manager, as well as Ina Talandiene and the publishing team at V-Tex. It is thanks to their hard work and dedication that we maintain standardized procedures and are able to meet our publication deadlines and requirements.

Despite its relatively young age, BA has rapidly grown into a position of trust and recognized excellence among the Bayesian community, but also more widely. There is, of course, a lot of work involved to maintain and further strengthen the journal's impact, relevance and reputation and I can not think of anyone better suited to that job than Igor.

Thank you all so much for your invaluable support by submitting your excellent papers to the journal during these past three years. It really allows BA to play a central role in our ever-growing community!

I would also like to highlight that we will have another exciting webinar in February, devoted to the presentation and discussion of the paper [Sparse Bayesian factor analysis when the number of factors is unknown](#) by Sylvia Frühwirth-Schnatter, Darjus Hosszejni and Hedibert Freitas Lopes. There are no less than 5 invited discussions (involved in the webinar) and 13 contributed ones (in the journal)! More details will be provided shortly.

Finally, I wish you all a wonderful Christmas break and a happy, healthy and productive New Year!

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Beatrice Franzolini





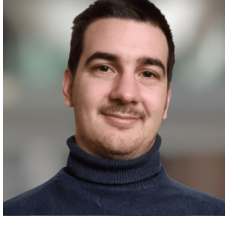
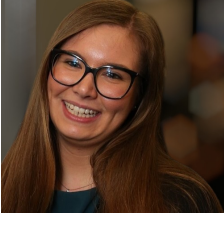
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Dear ISBA community,

As we approach the end of the year, I am delighted to share updates from the j-ISBA section and highlight exciting developments.

Blackwell-Rosenbluth Award Winners

We are thrilled to announce the winners of the Blackwell-Rosenbluth Award by ISBA and j-ISBA, recognizing outstanding contributions by early-career researchers based on their overall contribution to the field and the community:

 <p>Fan Bu University of Michigan</p>	 <p>Raaz Dwivedi Cornell University</p>	 <p>Qian Qin University of Minnesota</p>
 <p>Giovanni Rebaudo University of Turin</p>	 <p>Tommaso Rigon University of Milano-Bicocca</p>	 <p>Francesca Romana Crucinio King's College London</p>

These outstanding young scholars will present their research at the next BAYSM (the Bayesian Young Statisticians Meeting), which will be held online from April 7–11, 2025.

We express our heartfelt gratitude to the two scientific committees of the award for their diligent work. New nominations for the Blackwell-Rosenbluth Award will open in the new year, and we encourage you to consider nominating deserving early-career researchers. All information can be found at [this link](#).

BAYSM 2025, 7-11 April, Online: Abstract Submission Open

We are excited to welcome submissions for the BAYSM 2025 Online, taking place April 7–11, 2025. The deadline for abstract submissions is **January 15, 2025**.

We invite contributions on a wide range of topics related to Bayesian theory, methods, and applications. Please submit an extended abstract (700–1,000 words) in PDF format. Adherence to the specified length is essential for full consideration.

To submit your extended abstract visit the [BAYSM 2025 website](#).

Registration will open in the new year. We look forward to your contributions and participation!

Incoming Board Members

We are delighted to welcome our new j-ISBA Board members:

Francesca Panero (Chair-Elect).

Francesca is an Assistant Professor in Statistics at the Department of Methods and Models for Economics, Territory, and Finance (MEMOTEF) at Sapienza University, Rome. She is also a Visiting Fellow at the Department of Statistics at the London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), where she was an Assistant Professor until May 2024. She earned her PhD in Statistics from the University of Oxford in 2022, following her BSc and MSc at the University of Turin and Collegio Carlo Alberto. She mostly works on Bayesian models for complex networks, disclosure risk assessment, Gaussian process modeling, and fair machine learning.

Alessandro Zito (Treasurer).

Alessandro is a Postdoctoral Research Fellow in Biostatistics at the Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health, working under the supervision of Professors Jeffrey W. Miller and Giovanni Parmigiani. He is also affiliated with the Data Sciences Department at the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute. Alessandro completed his PhD in Statistical Science at Duke University, where he worked with Professor David Dunson on Project LIFEPLAN, an international initiative to quantify biodiversity worldwide. His research interests include Bayesian statistics, Bayesian nonparametrics, and factor models for cancer genomics, mutational signature analysis, and ecology.

We look forward to their contributions as they join the j-ISBA board!

j-ISBA 2024 in numbers

Finally, as the year comes to a close, here is a summary of the main j-ISBA activities in 2024, in case you missed anything, and a look ahead to 2025:

- **9 organized sessions** at conferences worldwide. Thank you to all the session chairs who stepped in to support the j-ISBA board when we could not be there (special thanks to Fan Bu and Andrea Cremaschi). In case you missed them, do not make the same mistake in 2025 and keep an eye on the [j-ISBA event page](#).
- **1 in-person conference in Venice (BAYSM 2024)**. Thank you once again to the organizers! If you missed BAYSM 2024 in Venice, make sure not to miss [BAYSM 2025 Online](#) and BAYSM 2026 in Japan.
- **3 Best Poster Awards, 2 Best Talk Awards, and 6 Blackwell-Rosenbluth Awards**. Thank you to everyone involved in the organization and in the scientific committees behind these important recognitions for early-career researchers (from those managing the Google submission forms to the prize awards transfers and those tasked with making difficult decisions).
- **1 New Peer Mentoring Scheme**. Thanks to all the peer mentors who volunteered to take part in this great initiative! If you missed it, do not worry—visit the j-ISBA website to connect with your peer mentor at [this website](#).

- **1 Senior Mentoring Panel** during BAYSM 2024. Thank you to the professors who were willing to share their wisdom.
- **3 j-Author Spotlights** featured in the first three numbers of the ISBA Bulletin in 2024. Thank you to Francesco Denti for proposing this excellent idea! If you missed this initiative and would like to see your work showcased in the next bulletin, fill out the Google Form with information about your work at [this link](#).
- **348 members**: a j-ISBA all-time high and the most important number of all! Thank you to all j-ISBA members for making this section an incredible community to be part of, and to the entire ISBA community for their constant support of the “younger” members!

NEWS FROM THE WORLD

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Q&A: what do you believe think?

Do you see Bayesian statistics part of science breakthroughs in the next decades? If so, how and why? (and if not, why as well?)

Yuexi Wang (University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign)

Yes I believe Bayesian statistics will play a significant role in the scientific breakthroughs in the next decades – otherwise, as a Bayesian, I have not been making my decisions rationally! :) I think Bayesian statistics provides a natural framework for knowledge transfer, whether it is transferring domain knowledge to black-box models, or transferring knowledge across applications that share structural similarities. While many breakthroughs, such as ChatGPT, are not explicitly labelled as Bayesian, they rely on the same principles of probabilistic reasoning, uncertainty quantification and belief updates. Additionally, with advances in Artificial Intelligence, Bayesian methods are also experiencing their own breakthroughs in terms of computational efficiency and expanding applicability, which should further amplify the impact of the Bayesian framework to broader communities.

Johan van der Molen Moris (Pontifical Catholic University of Chile)

Yes, I believe Bayesian statistics is going to play a crucial role in future scientific breakthroughs. Its core philosophy of incorporating prior knowledge and updating beliefs with new data makes it particularly well-suited for complex, data-rich fields. We will likely see more applications in areas like precision medicine, where Bayesian methods can tailor treatments based on individual patient characteristics and responses. Furthermore, as computational power grows, Bayesian methods will become more feasible for large-scale datasets and complex models, leading to deeper insights in fields like climate science, genomics, and astrophysics among many others. The growing intersection of Bayesian statistics and machine learning is particularly exciting, with Bayesian approaches providing a strong theoretical foundation for many machine learning algorithms and offering ways to quantify uncertainty in predictions. As someone currently working on making Bayesian clustering algorithms faster and more scalable, and also exploring applications of Gaussian processes in biomedicine, I think advancements in both computational techniques and specific model development are key to unlocking the full potential of Bayesian methods. This increased computational power will also facilitate the development of more sophisticated Bayesian models, further driving scientific discovery.

Jack Jewson (Monash University)

Yes! For example, I recently discovered that physicists are using Bayes' ability to quantify uncertainty at small sample sizes in the search for gravitational waves.

Awards and Achievements beyond ISBA

This section aims at recognising research achievements for Bayesian work. If you would like an award or recognition to be listed here, please send your contribution to deborah.sulem@usi.ch

Filippo Ascolani, ISBA member and Program Chair of the junior section of ISBA, is one of the three recipients of the **2024 IMS Lawrence D. Brown PhD Student Award**. The latter funds the travel to the IMS Annual Meeting for a dedicated invited session (which this year took place at the Bernoulli–IMS 11th World Congress in Probability and Statistics, in Bochum, Germany). Filippo, who now is an Assistant Professor in the Department of Statistical Science at Duke University and previously was a PhD student at Bocconi University, won with the work “Nonparametric priors with full-range borrowing of information” (joint with Beatrice Franzolini, Antonio Lijoi and Igor Prünster), recently published in *Biometrika*. In this paper they derive a novel class of nonparametric priors which allows for correlation of any sign in a partially exchangeable model: this is achieved thanks to a novel concept, termed hyper-tie, that generalizes the standard notion of tie arising in exchangeable models and represents a direct and simple measure of dependence. More in general, Filippo’s main research interests lie in Bayesian nonparametric inference for data displaying complex dependence structures, with an emphasis on the associated theoretical properties. Currently, he is also working on the theory of Bayesian computation and scalable Markov Chain Monte Carlo methods.

Reports from Important Events and Conferences

Bayesian Methods for the Social Sciences (October 2024, Amsterdam)

by Robin Ryder and Monica Alexander

The second Bayesian Methods for the Social Sciences Workshop was held at the University of Amsterdam in October. The workshop, which was first held in Paris in 2022, brought together statisticians, mathematicians, and social scientists to share and exchange ideas related to the use of Bayesian methods in the social sciences. It was organized by a group of nine interdisciplinary researchers working in this field: Monica Alexander, Nial Friel, Henrik Goodman, Pierre Latouche, Maarten Marsman, Adrian Raftery, Robin Ryder, Amandine Veber, and EJ Wagenmakers.

A total of 86 people attended the three-day workshop, and included participants from a wide range of disciplines, career stages, and institutions. The first day of the workshop consisted of three introductory tutorial sessions, which were structured as a mix of background/lecture style material and hands-on coding exercises. The tutorials covered the application of Bayesian methods to three fields of social science, specifically:

- Bayesian graphical modelling in psychology (Maarten Marsman, Amsterdam);
- Bayesian demographic estimation (Monica Alexander, Toronto);
- Modeling language change (Robin Ryder, Imperial College London).

The second and third days of the workshop included 21 invited presentations, featuring some of the leading researchers in the area from around the world. Presentations covered topics such as Bayesian model selection, estimation, and networks, with areas of application including criminology, demography, history, political science, and psychology. The second day also included a poster session, with 19 posters presented, covering both methodological improvements and specific applications.

The workshop was a huge success in bringing together researchers in the development and application of Bayesian methods across a wide range of areas in the social sciences, resulting in new

connections and ideas, as well as strengthening existing collaborations and networks that span internationally. Adrian Raftery, who established the workshop in 2022 and was a member of the organizing committee this year, reflects: “The first workshop was funded as a one-off by the Fondation des Sciences Mathématiques de Paris as part of a Chair they awarded me. Far more people came than expected, perhaps reflecting the close fit between Bayesian models and social science data, for example, through hierarchical data structures. The participants loved it and wanted another one, EJ Wagenmakers stepped forward to organize it in Amsterdam, and many volunteered to help. It seems to be meeting a need.”

The field of Bayesian social sciences is rapidly growing, and this workshop demonstrated the level of enthusiasm and momentum in this area. We look forward to the next workshop, which is planned to be held in University College Dublin in December 2026!

Upcoming Meetings, Conferences, and Workshops

- **Bayesian Inference in Stochastic Processes (BISP14)**, May 26-28, 2025, Milan. Theoretical and applied contributions for this workshop are welcome. A non-exhaustive list of topics includes Markov processes, state-space models, spatial, empirical, birth-death and branching processes, queueing, population modelling, signal processes, stochastic differential equations. Submissions of abstracts are open until February 2, 2025.
- **8th Symposium on Games and Decisions in Reliability and Risk (8GDRR)**, May 28-30, 2025, Bocconi University, Milan. The objective of the workshop is to present novel uses of game and decision theory in reliability and risk analysis. It aims to bring together researchers from diverse disciplines such as economics, engineering, finance, mathematics, medical sciences, probability, and statistics who are working on and contributing to this theme. Deadline for abstract submission: March 7, 2025.
- **StatML and Bocconi Spring School**, April 7-11, 2025, Windsor, UK. This spring school is open to master and PhD students and postdoctoral researchers. The lecturers will be Julie Josse and Gabriel Peyré and the topics of the courses will be “Computational Optimal Transport” and “Statistical Learning with missing values”. The deadline of applications is January 31, 2025.
- **46th Annual Conference of the International Society for Clinical Biostatistics (ISCB)**, August 24-28, 2025, Basel, Switzerland. This conference is a scientific forum for international exchange of theory, methods and applications of clinical biostatistics among biostatisticians, epidemiologists and medical data analysts. The deadline for submitting abstracts is February 14, 2025.
- **Joint Statistical Meeting (JSM) 2025**, August 2-7, 2025, Nashville, US. This conference is the largest gathering of statisticians and data scientists held in North America. The deadline for submitting abstracts is February 3, 2025.
- **65th ISI World Statistics Congress 2025**, October 5-9, 2025, The Hague, Netherlands. This conference is organised by the International Statistical Institute and is one of the leading congresses on Statistics and Data Science. Abstract for contributed talks can be submitted from April 15, 2025.

And don't forget:

- **Bayes Comp 2025**, June 16-20, 2025, National University of Singapore, Singapore. This biennial meeting is organized by the Bayesian Computation Section of ISBA. Bayes Comp 2025 is the fourth conference in the series and gives a snapshot of the current state of the diverse and exciting field of Bayesian computation.

- [14th International Conference on Bayesian Nonparametrics \(BNP 14\)](#), June 23-27, 2025, UCLA, Los Angeles, US. The conference is organized by the Department of Biostatistics and the Department of Statistics & Data Science, co-sponsored by IMS, and endorsed by ASA's Section on Bayesian Statistical Sciences. The deadline for submitting contributed talks is January 7, and the deadline for submitting posters is February 3. Applications for Junior Travel Support are also open. The conference will be followed by the inaugural [BioPharm Section Meeting \(BBP 2025\)](#) on the afternoon of June 27, dedicated to Bayesian methods in biopharmaceutical sciences.

TEACHING BAYES

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Dear ISBA community,

We are excited to add this new section to our bulletin, starting from this issue! The goal of this section is to showcase the status of Bayesian teaching worldwide, including books, tools, advice and ideas on teaching Bayesian statistics, as well as news from dedicated conference sessions and publications. If you would like to contribute to the section, please contact me at [this email](#).

Bayesian Education in 2024

Publications

- *The Design and Implementation of a Bayesian Data Analysis Lesson for Pre-Service Mathematics and Science Teachers*
Mine Dogucu (University of California Irvine), Sibel Kazakb (University College London), and Joshua M. Rosenberg (University of Tennessee) have developed a Bayesian data-analysis activity to prepare mathematics and science pre-service teachers to incorporate Bayesian ideas in their future K-12 courses. The article contextualizes this activity within the literature on mathematics, statistics and science education, describes the components of the activity, reports feedback from its implementation with 35 pre-school teachers, and provides links to materials. Published by the Journal of Statistics and Data Science Education ([link to article](#)).
- *Research on Bayesian Statistics Teaching with R*
Yanmin Wang and Jing Jin (Anhui University of Finance and Economics) propose changes in curriculum orientation and teaching content to promote the popularization of Bayesian statistics in China, stating that the attention devoted to this branch of statistics has not kept pace with the increasing importance of Bayesian methodologies worldwide. Published by the International Journal of Education and Humanities ([link to article](#)).

Conferences

- ISBA

- *Bayes in the Classroom: Examples, Tools, and Recommendations*

This invited session took place on July 2, 2024, during the ISBA World Meetings. Bertil Wegmann (Linköping University) shared experiences with designing content and computer examinations for Bayesian Statistics courses at both undergraduate and graduate levels. Mine Dogucu (University of California Irvine) described Bayes BATS: a program to increase teaching of Bayesian methods to all STEM students, by training instructors who teach in a wide range of disciplines in institutions across the United States ([link to program's website](#)). Patricia Toledo (Ohio University) illustrated a course where frequentist and Bayesian approaches are introduced in parallel to undergraduate Economics students. The session was organized by Mine Dogucu and was chaired by Becky Tang (Middlebury College).

- BAYSM

- *Learning Bayesian Modeling With an Online Racing Game*

During the poster session on June 29, 2024, Federica Zoe Ricci (University of California Irvine) presented a learning activity that uses gamification and team-work to practice the concept of priors and the Beta-Binomial model on self-collected data. Grouped in teams, students choose a prior distribution that represents the expectations of their car-racing engineers, they collect data by playing an online racing game and finally they provide recommendations on which of two tires is likely to perform better in the race. Materials for this activity are available online at this [link](#).

- JSM

- *Broadening Access to Bayesian Statistics with Active Learning*

Michael Pearce (Reed College) presented in-class activities and assignments that integrate writing, code, and discussion, for an introductory Bayesian course. These activities are intended to allow hands-on exploration of Bayesian modeling even for students with limited prior exposure to probability and coding.

- *Surprise—They're Different! An Introductory Statistics Activity to Highlight Differences Between Frequentist and Bayesian Statistics*

Zachary del Rosario (Olin College) presented a learning activity for an introductory statistics course, in which students analyze a dataset related to social inequality and grapple with the differences between Frequentist and Bayesian approaches ([link to activity](#)).

- *Inquiry Based Learning Activities for Teaching Bayesian Statistics*

Kaitlyn Fitzgerald (Azusa Pacific University) discussed inquiry-based learning activities for teaching Bayesian statistics to undergraduate learners, along with their implementation in an R2 Hispanic Serving Institution, a small liberal arts college, and an R1 public land-grant university ([link to materials](#)).

- *Embracing Bayesian Statistics in the Modern Classroom*

Abraham Ayebo (University of Minnesota Rochester), Toni Sorrell (Longwood University) and Samantha Seals (University of West Florida) presented an Open Educational Resource to encourage science educators to instill Bayesian reasoning into their courses. The associated website ([link](#)) includes lesson plans, examples from various disciplines, and project-based learning activities.

Upcoming Teaching-Focused Events

- **United Kingdom Conference of Teaching Statistics**, June 24-25, 2025, University of Glasgow. Supported by the Royal Statistical Society, the second edition of this conference is aimed at all statistics educators - primarily those working in higher education, but all are welcome. Contributions can vary in format, including lightning talks, longer talks or activities, panels and workshops. The deadline to submit an abstract is February 7, 2025.
- **United States Conference of Teaching Statistics**, July 15-19, 2025, Iowa State University. Every two years, this conference brings together teachers of statistics and data science to exchange ideas about improving their teaching. The theme of this edition is *Useful Models* - it would be great to see Bayesian modeling being well-represented there! The deadline to present a poster and/or to provide a small demonstration is March 3, 2025.
- **CAUSE webinar series**: This recurring series is worth a shout-out. Webinars are usually 30-min long and introduce innovative teaching ideas and tools. Stay informed about upcoming webinars by registering for free on the Consortium for the Advancement of Undergraduate Statistics Education ([link](#)).

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