NZSA Student and Early Career Statisticians Network (SECS) Report

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Throughout the past twelve months, the NZSA Student and Early Career Statisticians Network (SECS) has actively engaged in the following initiatives and endeavors:

- Continue the delivery of our Joint Monthly Webinar Series with SSA

    • "Academia vs Industry: A statistical viewpoint" by Dr Clair Alston-Knox (Predictive Analytics Group)
    • "Getting to Know: The Australia Bureau of Statistics" by Claire Clarke and Benjamin Long
    • "Getting to Know: Stats New Zealand" by Wendy Dobson and Tiana Whitehead
    • "Much more than just fitting models - perspective from an applied statistical scientist" by Olivia Angelin-Bonnet (Plant and Food Research)
    • "Perspectives from two Early Career Statisticians" by Melissa Middleton (Murdoch Children's Research Institute) and Shih Ching Fu (Curtin Institute of Radio Astronomy)
    • "An academic journey in pursuing the art of statistics" by Dr. Emi Tanaka (Australian National University)
    • Panel discussion titled "From Student to Data Professional: Keys to Success in Australasian Data Industry" by Charmaine McGowan (Treasury AU), Jonathan Blanchard (Safe Work Australia), Oliver Stevenson (Luma Analytics) and Lillian Lu (MfE)

- Branding NZSA

    In this design, the NZSA logo and name are positioned situated alongside a pattern mirroring the contours of New Zealand, incorporating a seamlessly integrated barcode that functions as a direct link to the NZSA website.

- SSA & NZSA ECSS 2024

    Planning of the Early Career and Student Statisticians (ECSS) 2024 conference underway, with Jie actively contributing as a member of the organizing committee.

- People News
    - Micheal Walker is welcomed to take on the role of Auckland Student and Early Career Representative
    - Jie will conclude his role as the National Representative by the end of 2023