

CRS Newsletter September 05, 2019

Dear Members and Fellows of the CRS, dear subscribers of the CRS mailing list

With this newsletter we will provide information and activities related to reproducibility and scientific rigor. You will also find activities by the CRS. For future newsletters, **please let us know of any information that is worthwhile spreading.**

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1. **Interview** of CRS director Leonhard Held in the **Higgs Magazine**

On the occasion of Scientifica Leonhard Held was interviewed by the Higgs Magazine, see here for the full text:

<https://www.higgs.ch/viele-studienergebnisse-sind-im-nachhinein-nicht-haltbar>

2. **Scientifica**

Our booth at Scientifica was well visited, especially the little one appreciated our playful statistics activities for kids. It was a great success! The **electronic activities can still be used**: shiny apps on Capture-Recapture, Optional Stopping, Sample Size Planning and Planning of Replication Studies, all in German. See pdfs for instructions and link to the apps on our website:

<http://www.crs.uzh.ch/en/training/activities.html#1>

Thank you very much to our “permanent” crew: Reinhard Furrer, Charlotte Micheloud, Samuel Pawel and Simon Schwab!

Also the science cafés were well visited and useful discussions with the audience came up quite easily.

3. Today started the **Metascience 2019 Symposium at Stanford University**:

<https://www.metascience2019.org/>

Simon Schwab is representing the CRS there and we are happy to announce that he won one of the 15 **poster awards** for his poster: “Estimating publication bias in clinical trials across different specialties in medicine”. Congratulations Simon!

4. CRS hosts its first **ReproducibiliTea** Journal Club in the Fall Semester 2019. We meet approximately every second week on Thursday at 16:00 in the seminar room of the EBPI

(Hirschengraben 84). The program can be found here:

<http://www.crs.uzh.ch/en/training/talks/ReproducibiliTea.html>

5. Save the date for our **Workshop “Design and Analysis of Replication Studies”**, January 22-24, 2020

The goal of this international workshop is a thorough methodological discussion regarding the design and the analysis of replication studies including specialists from different fields such as clinical research, psychology, economics and others.

Confirmed speakers are Anna Dreber, Leonhard Held, Don van Ravenzwaaij, Felix Schönbrodt, Stephen Senn, E.J. Wagenmakers, and E.W. van Zwet.

The workshop will start with tutorials on Wednesday and continue with plenary and contributed talks as well as a poster session on Thursday and Friday.

Abstracts for contributed talks and posters can be submitted until September 30th, 2019 by email to crs@ebpi.uzh.ch. For more information to come see <http://www.crs.uzh.ch/en/training/events.html>