

John Hooper Medal for Statistics 2017 Poster Competition



Registration by:
27th January 2017

Submissions by:
24th February 2017

**Winners
announced:**
16th March 2017

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Why a poster?

Taking part in this poster competition encourages students to:

- work as a team
- investigate real questions using data
- use their calculation and graphical skills
- interpret statistical results
- develop skills in written communication

The poster can be about any topic, however, it should reflect or illustrate usage analysis, interpretation and communication of statistics or statistical information.

Participants

The national competition is open to teams of two to three students, up to 18 years old (born in 1998 and younger), from any part of the island of Ireland. Teachers register the teams.

Phases of the competition

- Registration by teacher by 27th January 2017. Go to: www.cso.ie/en/newsandevents/johnhoopermedalforstatistics2017competition/
- Posters to be submitted by 12 noon 24th February 2017 to johnhooper2017@cso.ie
- Posters will be judged by the national organising committee
- The winning national posters will be announced on 16th March 2017

Winners (1st place) of the national competition will be awarded the CSO John Hooper medal for statistics. In addition the following prize money will be awarded:

- 1st Place - €1,600 (of which €1,000 is awarded to the school and €600 is awarded to the student team)
- 2nd Place - €1,000 (of which €650 is awarded to the school and €350 is awarded to the student team)
- 3rd Place - €600 (of which €400 is awarded to the school and €200 is awarded to the student team)

One poster will be entered to represent Ireland, in each of the two ISLP age categories, from the highest placed eligible posters. See website below for details.

Important dates

- 27th January 2017 closing date for registration
- 24th February 2017 closing date for entry submissions
- 16th March 2017 national winners announced

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