

INTERNATIONAL STATISTICAL INSTITUTE

Three concurrent conferences of interest to statisticians, mathematicians, and economists will be held in Ottawa, Canada, during the last two weeks of August, 1963. Over five hundred delegates from some forty countries are expected to participate in the following meetings:

34th Session, International Statistical Institute, August 21-29

International Union for the Scientific Study of Population, August 21-23

98th Meeting, 26th Annual Meeting, Institute of Mathematical Statistics, August 27-29

At the following meetings of the ISI, forty-two invited papers will be presented, and there will be a further number of contributed papers:

1. Changing Tasks in Official Statistics
2. Statistical Tools in Economic and Social Planning
3. Sampling from Imperfect Frames
4. Standard Commodity Classification--Theory and Practice
5. Statistical Methodology--Fiducial Probability
6. Statistics in Physical Sciences
7. The Automatic Collection and Evaluation of Data in Industry
8. Statistics in the Hospital
9. Statistics for Management
10. Internal Migration

The three following meetings have been organized by the International Union for the Scientific Study of Population. At the time of this writing, arrangements had been completed for the presentation of twenty-four invited papers.

Internal migration (joint session with ISI)

Estimation of vital statistics from limited data

Social and economic factors in morbidity and mortality

The provisional program of the Institute of Mathematical Statistics now contains invited papers by twenty authors. The Wald Lecturer will be Professor Lucien LeCam and the Rietz Lecturer, Professor Herbert Robbins.

An information bulletin containing full details regarding the program of meetings, including names of authors and titles of papers (as of March 11, 1963), registration, accommodation, entertainment, etc. is available on request to: L. E. Rowebottom, Secretary-General, Organizing Committee, ISI, Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Ottawa, Canada.

All meetings will be on the campus of Carleton University, and registered delegates to any of the three organizations may attend the meetings of the other two. Attendance at the 34th Session of the ISI is by invitation, and Canadian scientists wishing to attend or who are considering contributing a paper should arrange for an invitation by writing to the above address.