

Lectio Magistralis

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9.30 Registration

10.00 Introduction Giorgio Alleva | President | Istat

10.15 Some historical highlights in the development of categorical data methodology Alan Agresti | University of Florida

11.30 Conclusion



Alan Agresti is distinguished Professor Emeritus of Statistics at the University of Florida. He is author or co-author of more than 100 articles and six books, including "Categorical Data Analysis" (2013), "Statistics: The Art and Science of Learning from Data" (2011), and "Foundations of Linear and Generalized Linear Models" (2015).

A fellow of the American Statistical Association and of the Institute of Mathematical Statistics, Agresti has received an honorary doctorate from De Montfort University in the U.K., the Statistician of the Year award from the Chicago chapter of the American Statistical Association, and the first Herman Callaert Leadership Award in Biostatistical Education and Dissemination from Hasselt University, Belgium.

In fall terms 2008-2014, he was a visiting professor at the Statistics Department of Harvard University.