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Thank you to everyone who organized, planned, presented and attended ISF 2025! We had 580 registrations from over 35 countries, 262 student participants and over 348 presentations.

You can view the program and abstracts (to be released) on our website: https://isf.forecasters.org/overview/about/locations/.

Keynote and Practitioner Talks are available on the IIF YouTube channel.

Mark your calendar for:
ISF 2026: Montreal, Canada | June 28 – July 1
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ISF 2027: Paphos, Cyprus | June 20 – June 23

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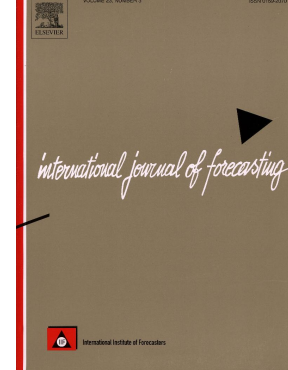Announcement for open recruitment of associate editors for the *IJF*

Do you want to make a strong contribution to the science and practice of forecasting? If so, consider joining the editorial board of the *International Journal of Forecasting* as an Associate Editor.

We are currently looking for new Associate Editors to join the editorial board for a term of 3 years, which can be renewed based on mutual agreement. We aim to recruit within all forecasting related areas, though with a special interest in

- financial econometrics
- actuarial sciences, demographics and population forecasting
- AI/ML (methodological, computational, and application-related aspects)
- credit scoring
- business analytics
- energy
- political forecasting

Your application should include a **CV** and a **cover letter** describing your motivations and suitability to join the editorial board. The deadline for applications is on **September 1, 2025**. Applications (and any query you may have) should be sent to p.pinson@imperial.ac.uk.

Read more for details.

Foresight News
Open Access - Current *Foresight* Issue

We are pleased to announce that *Foresight: The International Journal of Applied Forecasting* is now accessible to everyone!

You can read the latest issue and stay updated with cutting-edge insights in the forecasting practitioner field.
To access the latest issue of *Foresight*, visit our website https://forecasters.org/foresight/ to read online or download the full issue at any time anywhere.

Access to the *Foresight* archives will require an IIF membership. We encourage you to explore the journal and become a member to unlock the full wealth of historical content, as well as exclusive benefits such as discounted event access and the latest news and announcements from the IIF community.

IIF-SAS Grant to Promote Research on Forecasting

For the twenty-third year, the IIF, in collaboration and with financial sponsorship from SAS®, is proud to announce financial grant for research on how to improve forecasting methods and business forecasting practice.

The awards for 2025 will be (2) $10,000 grants in Business Applications and Methodology. The application deadline is **October 11, 2025**.
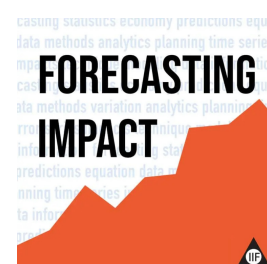
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Check out our latest episode:

- [Forecasting the future of everything with Dr. Theodore Modis](#)

IIF Communities
Upcoming event for Forecasting Interest Group, South Africa (FIG)

[SASA-Forecasting Interest Group Talk by John O. Ajeigbe](#)

Date and time: August 15, 2025
14:00-14:50 (South African Time) – First Presentation: Medical image analysis assistant: AI-powered analysis using advanced CNN and LLM technology
15:00-15:50 (South African Time) – Second Presentation: Statistical convolutional neural network modelling for brain tumour magnetic resonance imaging

Online link to join: [Microsoft Teams](#)

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