

PhD student wins 1st Prize

Georgios Vlasakakis, 3rd Year PhD student in the Bioanalytical Science (BAS) group has won joint first prize in a student competition organised by the International Society for Bayesian Analysis (ISBA).

The competition required Georgios to make a short video describing his work; which applies Bayesian statistics to physiological modelling. Georgios' PhD project specifically looks at the optimal methods of interpreting the disappearance of glucose from the blood, which is the basis of glucose tolerance testing.

Georgios will receive \$750 towards his expenses to attend the 2010 ISBA World Meeting in Spain in June, where his winning video will also be shown. The video also features Georgios' supervisors; Dr Les Buck, Senior Research Scientist in the BAS group and Dr Adrian Mander of the MRC Biostatistics Unit.

This is a fantastic achievement for Georgios and the BAS group, signifying his hard work and dedication. HNR congratulates and celebrates with Georgios.

To view the video please click [here](#)