



# CANADIAN SOCIETY FOR EPIDEMIOLOGY AND BIostatISTICS



## MISSION STATEMENT

*The Canadian Society for Epidemiology and Biostatistics is a professional organization that fosters and promotes these two interrelated sciences to improve health and well-being through research and practice*

# Join the CSEB today!

## Benefits of Membership

### Keeping You Informed

- Interactive web site ([www.cseb.ca](http://www.cseb.ca)), including password-protected members-only section
- Publication of the biannual CSEB newsletter ("The Bulletin")
- Publication of monthly e-broadcasts
- Early notification of conferences and their call for abstracts
- Links to websites for Canadian health statistics and reports
- Information on continuing education opportunities
- Current list of upcoming events and conferences
- Networking opportunities via the CSEB List-serve and CSEB members-only directory

### Job Opportunities

- On-line access to job postings

### Awards

- Recognition awards for contributions to the Society and to the fields of Epidemiology and Biostatistics

### Conferences and Workshops

- CSEB biennial conferences, reduced registration for members and financial assistance for students
- Joint conferences with other related Societies
- Representation in planning the five-yearly North American Congress of Epidemiology

### Advocacy

- Advancing matters of epidemiological and biostatistical concern in Canada and internationally by:
  - providing input to shape the CIHR's strategic research priorities
  - advocating for increased capacity at Canadian universities
  - assuming a greater role and capacity in advising policy-making bodies
  - strengthening linkages with practice-based health units and with other organizations
  - serving actively in the Joint Policy Committee of Societies of Epidemiology internationally

### Student Opportunities

- Nurturing and networking opportunities
- Reduced membership fee to CSEB
- CSEB annual Student Conferences
- Support for Epidemiology and Biostatistics student-sponsored workshops
- Travel stipends for conferences
- Student representation on Board of Directors
- A training ground for leadership in the profession

### Professional Identity and Cohesion

- Collegiality through a recognized group to address matters of concern to epidemiologists and biostatisticians
- An informed and independent voice for epidemiology and biostatistics in Canada
- Certificate of membership to enhance the visibility of the profession

### Management

- Since January 1, 2008, CSEB has been professionally managed by The Willow Group as our National Office based in Ottawa

CSEB is a Canadian organization, founded in 1990, for the purpose of fostering epidemiology and biostatistics research and practice in Canada. CSEB facilitates networking among epidemiologists and biostatisticians across Canada and communicates breaking news of relevance to our members. We promote the professions of epidemiology and biostatistics at all levels of government, academia, industry, hospitals, and other health centres/institutes, and we engage with our counterparts in the USA and internationally. Not only do we assist faculties and schools of medicine and public health to improve training in our disciplines, we also bridge both the research and practice aspects of our specializations through close collaboration with other groups such as the Public Health Agency of Canada (PHAC), Health Canada, the Association of Public Health Epidemiologists in Ontario (APHEO), the Saskatchewan Epidemiology Association (SEA), and the Statistical Society of Canada (SSC).

Annual membership is from April 1 to March 31. A full year Regular Membership costs \$50.00; a full year Student Membership is \$30.00.

This is great value in return for an expanding array of professional benefits. Our Society is only as strong as its members.

As a member, you are encouraged to engage your Society, from coast to coast to coast, by advancing ideas and initiatives that you believe will serve the interests of our respective professions.

## Joining or Renewing is Easy!

Simply go to [www.cseb.ca](http://www.cseb.ca) and click on the Join/Renew link.

## Need More Information?

Contact the CSEB National Office at 613.728.5898  
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