Women of ISSLS Networking Focus Group
Monday May 16th
4:30-6:00 PM
(Just prior to the Welcome Reception)

Co-Chairs: Grace O’Connell and Gwendolyn Sowa

All women attending the ISSLS meeting are invited to this networking event.

The purpose of this focus group is to establish and strengthen the interactions between the women in ISSLS, both scientifically and professionally. To date the proportion of women attending ISSLS is low. By increasing the network of women and collaborations between them, we hope to have a positive influence on the scientific contributions and on the role of women within ISSLS and also to find ways to recruit more women into the society and into lumbar spine research.

Agenda:

- Introductions
- Small group discussions/Networking
- Connecting virtually through LinkedIn (Women of ISSLS group)
  - https://www.linkedin.com/groups/7032642
- Wrap up and planning for next meeting

Location: Marina Bay Sands – Jasmine 2
Refreshments will be served
RSVP to Grace O’Connell: g.oconnell@berkeley.edu