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Tentative timetable

The meeting will take place in Room 12 at the OECD Conference Centre, 2, rue André-Pascal, 75016 Paris, France

Time	Item	Topic	Document
6 June 2012 (9:30-12:30 and 14:30-17:30)			
9:30 – 9:40	1	OPENING ADDRESSES and ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA	
9:40 – 9:50	2	MATTERS ARISING FOR THE CES FROM THE UN STATISTICAL COMMISSION; WORK OF THE UN REGIONAL COMMISSIONS. - 2012 session of the UN Statistical Commission (February 2012) - activities of the UN Regional Commissions	Room document 1
9:50 – 17:30	<i>FIRST SEMINAR</i>		
	3	Seminar on “CHALLENGES FOR FUTURE POPULATION AND HOUSING CENSUSES BASED ON LESSONS LEARNED FROM THE LAST CENSUS ROUND”, organised by Statistics Canada, CIS-Stat and UNECE	
9:50 – 10:00		Introductory comments and summary of the conclusions of the UN Statistical Commission 2012 session on the experience with recent population censuses, by the Seminar Chair: Canada	
10:00 – 11:00	3a	Session I: 2010/2011 round of censuses – innovations and lessons learned – Session Organiser: Italy <i>Invited papers: Austria, Italy and Canada</i> <i>Supporting papers: Albania, Brazil, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Germany, Latvia, Mexico, Poland, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, CIS-Stat, UNECE</i>	ECE/CES/2012/20, 21, 22, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 41, 42/Rev.1, 55, 56
		Introduction by the Session Organiser	
		Summary of the main points in invited and in supporting papers by the Session Organiser	
11:00 – 11:20	Coffee/tea break		
11:20 – 12:25		Session I continued with general discussion	
12:25 – 12:30		Short summary of the session by the session organiser	
12:30 – 14:30	<i>Lunch break (including short presentations on population censuses by Austria, Italy, Eurostat, United Kingdom, Russian Federation and Canada, in English only)</i>		
14:30 – 16:05	3b	Session II: The future of censuses and their role for national statistics systems – Session Organiser: CIS-STAT <i>Invited papers: Eurostat, United Kingdom and Russian Federation</i> <i>Supporting papers: Israel, Italy, New Zealand, Portugal</i>	ECE/CES/2012/23, 24, 25, 39, 40, 53, 54
		Introduction by the Session Organiser	
		Summary of the main points in invited and supporting papers by the Session Organiser	
		General discussion	
16:05 – 16:10		Short summary of the session by the Session Organiser	
16:10 – 16:30	Coffee/tea break		
16:30 – 17:30	3c	Session III: Conclusions and follow-up activities – Seminar Chair: Canada	
		Discussion and summary of the issues by the Chair of the Seminar	
18:00 – 20:00		Cocktail in the hall of the OECD Château (offered by OECD)	

7 June 2012 (9:30-12:00 and 14:00-17:30)			
9:30 - 16:50	SECOND SEMINAR		
	4	Seminar on “IMPLEMENTING THE UN FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES OF OFFICIAL STATISTICS, INCLUDING ISSUES RELATED TO COORDINATION OF NATIONAL STATISTICAL SYSTEMS”, organised by Austria, United Kingdom and United States in coordination with UNECE	
9:30 – 9:35		Introduction by the Seminar Chair: United States	
9:35 – 9:50		Keynote speech by Mr. Carlo Malaguerra	
9:50 – 11:00	4a	Session I: Implementing the Fundamental Principles of Official Statistics – Session Organiser: United Kingdom <i>Invited paper: UNECE</i> <i>Supporting papers: Azerbaijan, Czech Republic, Georgia, Italy, Kyrgyzstan, Romania, Switzerland, Ukraine, United Kingdom, Eurostat</i>	ECE/CES/2012/28, 29, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 57, 58, Room document 2
		Introduction by the Session Organiser	
		Summary of the main points in invited and supporting papers by the Session Organiser	
		General discussion	
10.40 – 11:00	Coffee/tea break		
11:00 – 11:55		Session I continued with general discussion	
11:55 – 12:00		Short summary of the session by the Session Organiser	
12:00 – 14:00	Lunch break		
14:00 – 15:25	4b	Session II: Coordination of national statistical systems – Session Organiser: Austria <i>Invited papers: Finland and Sweden</i> <i>Supporting papers: Lithuania, Mexico, Portugal</i>	ECE/CES/2012/26, 27, 50, 51, 52
		Introduction by the Session Organiser	
		Summary of the main points in invited and supporting papers by the Session Organiser	
		General discussion	
15:25 – 15:30		Short summary of the session by the session organiser	
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee/tea break		
16:00 – 16:40	4c	Session III: Conclusions and follow-up activities – panel discussion	
16:40 – 16:50		Summary of the seminar by the Chair of the Seminar	
16:50 – 17:30	FORMAL BUSINESS		
16:50 – 17:00	5	IMPACT OF CRISES ON STATISTICAL SYSTEMS (follow-up to the CES 2010 seminar on this topic)	ECE/CES/2012/11
17:00 – 17:15	6	PROGRESS REPORTS AND APPROVAL OF THE UNECE STATISTICAL PROGRAMME 2012-2013	
		o UNECE Statistical Programme: Programme of work for 2012-2013 and other related documents	ECE/CES/2012/13, 14, 15, 16
		o UNECE review of the Statistics Subprogramme	ECE/CES/2012/17
		o Reports of the meetings of the CES Bureau and expert meetings	ECE/CES/2012/19 and Addenda, CES highlights leaflet
17:15 – 17:30	7	SELECTION OF TOPICS FOR SEMINARS TO BE HELD DURING THE 2013 CES PLENARY SESSION	ECE/CES/2012/18

8 June 2012 (9:30-12:30)			
9:30 – 12:30	<i>FORMAL BUSINESS - - continued</i>		
9:30 – 10:15	8	HIGH-LEVEL GROUP FOR STRATEGIC DEVELOPMENTS IN BUSINESS ARCHITECTURE IN STATISTICS: discussion on strategy of implementation of the HLG-BAS vision	ECE/CES/2012/8, 10
10:15 – 12:20	9	COORDINATION OF INTERNATIONAL STATISTICAL WORK IN THE UNECE REGION Chairman's introductory comments	
10:15 – 11:00	9a	Statistics related to population ageing - discussion to obtain input to the in-depth review to be carried out by the Bureau in autumn 2012	ECE/CES/2012/1
		Outcomes of the in-depth reviews of selected statistical areas:	
11:00 – 11:10	9b	Economic statistics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Global production (outcome of in-depth review) 	ECE/CES/2012/3, Add.1
11:10 – 11:20	9c	Social statistics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Education statistics (outcome of in-depth review) 	ECE/CES/2012/2, Add.1
11:20 – 11:30	9d	Methodology of data collection, processing, dissemination and analysis <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Household survey methods (outcome of in-depth review) 	ECE/CES/2012/4, Add.1, 2
	9e	Organization of the in-depth reviews by the CES Bureau	ECE/CES/2012/5, 12
11:30 – 12:15	10	CES REPORTS, GUIDELINES AND RECOMMENDATIONS	
11:30 – 11:45	10b	○ International classification of crimes for statistical purposes	ECE/CES/2012/6, Add.1
11:45 – 12:00	10c	○ Analysis of international migration estimates using different length of stay definitions	ECE/CES/2012/7
12:00 – 12:15	10a	○ Measuring sustainable development	ECE/CES/2012/9, Add.1
12:15 – 12:25	11	OTHER BUSINESS	
12:25 – 12:30	12	CLOSING OF THE MEETING	Draft report

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