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Seminar on Integrated Statistical Information Systems (ISIS 2000)
(Riga, Latvia, 29-31 May 2000)

PROVISIONAL AGENDA AND TIMETABLE

The meeting will start on Monday, 29 May 2000 at 9:30 a.m.
in Maza Gilde, Amatu st. 5, Riga, Latvia

Time	Item	Topic	Documentation
		**MONDAY, 29 May 2000**	
9:00 - 9:30		Registration of participants	
9:30 - 9:45	**1**	**Opening of the meeting** **Adoption of the agenda**	CES/SEM.43/1, 1 Add. 1
	2	**Designation of officers**	
	3	**Study Topic (iv): Improving data dissemination strategies** Session Discussant: Mr. Jan Byfuglien (Statistics Norway)	
9:45 - 10:00		Introduction by the Discussant	
10:00 - 10:35		Invited Paper: Reflections about data dissemination by statistical agencies (Ernst Schrey, Germany) -- *(25 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions)*	CES/SEM.43/23
10:35 - 11:10		Invited Paper: User driven integrated statistical solutions - digital government by the people for the people (Mark Wallace, U.S. Bureau of the Census) -- *(25 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions)*	CES/SEM.43/24
11:10 - 11:30		Coffee break	
11:30 - 11:45		Summary of the supporting papers by the Discussant	
11:45 - 12:30		Questions and short comments on the supporting papers	
		Improving data dissemination strategies in the Hungarian Central Statistical Office (Gyongyi Takács, Hungary)	CES/SEM.43/25
		Improving data dissemination strategies (N. I. Pashintseva, Russian Federation)	CES/SEM.43/26
		Improving data dissemination techniques and strategies: case and strategy of the National Statistical Institute of Italy (Vicenzo LoMoro, Gerardo Giacummo, Italy)	CES/SEM.43/27
		Use of new technology for publishing statistical information (Alionora Kosyanenko, Tatiana Kuchina, Kazakhstan)	CES/SEM.43/28
		Improving data dissemination strategies (M.K. Isakunova, Kyrgyzstan)	CES/SEM.43/29
		Improving data dissemination strategies in the Central Statistical Office of Poland (Halina Stegawska, Poland)	CES/SEM.43/30
		Link to the Eurostat Comext database using the ISDN connection (Miran Miklic, Slovenia)	CES/SEM.43/31
		FedStats: Creating the U.S. national statistical information infrastructure of the 21st century (Marshall DeBerry, U.S. Bureau of Justice Statistics; Valerie J. Gregg and Rachael LaPorte Taylor, U.S. Bureau of the Census)	CES/SEM.43/32
12:30 - 14:00		Lunch break	
14:00 - 14:20		Questions and short comments on the supporting papers -- continued	
14:20 - 15:30		Substantive discussion	
15:30 - 15:40		Conclusion of Study Topic (iv)	
15:40 - 16:00		Coffee break (and demonstrations)	
	4	**Study Topic (i): Data warehousing and the development and use of statistical databases in a network environment** Session Discussant: Mr. Lars Rauch (Statistics Sweden)	
16:00 - 16:15		Introduction by the Discussant	
16:15 - 16:50		Invited Paper: The ideal warehouse - integrated, interoperable, interdisciplinary and international (James Denman, ONS, United Kingdom) -- *(25 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions)*	CES/SEM.43/6
16:50 - 17:25		Invited Paper: Place of output database in the survey processing loop (Martin Podehl, Statistics Canada) -- *(25 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions*	CES/SEM.43/3

		TUESDAY, 30 May 2000	
		Study Topic (i) -- continued	
9:00 - 9:35		Invited Paper: The application of data warehouse techniques in a statistical environment (Marton Vucsan, Statistics Netherlands) -- *(25 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions*	CES/SEM.43/5
9:35 - 9:50		Summary of the supporting papers by the Discussant	
9:50 - 10:40		Questions and short comments on the supporting papers	
		Experiences with data architecture and WWW-based data dissemination at Statistics Finland (Sven Björkqvist, Pirjo Toivonen, Finland)	CES/SEM.43/7
		Data collection and the development and use of statistical databases in a network environment (B.K. Kenzhebaev, Kyrgyzstan)	CES/SEM.43/8
		Data warehouse in a national statistical institute (Günter Zettl, Austria)	CES/SEM.43/9
		Building a corporate metadata repository at the U.S. Bureau of the Census (Samuel Highsmith, Daniel Gillman, U.S. Bureau of the Census)	CES/SEM.43/10
		Issues related to the automation of statistical reports (Natalia Pogosyan, Armenia)	CES/SEM.43/11
10:40 - 11:00		Coffee break (and demonstrations)	
11:00 - 12:20		Substantive discussion	
12:20 - 12:30		Conclusion of Study Topic (i)	
12:30 - 14:00		Lunch break	
	5	**Study Topic (iii): Innovations in data collection and exchange.** Session Discussant: Ms. Branka Cimermanovic (Central Bureau of Statistics, Croatia)	
14:00 - 14:15		Introduction by the Discussant	
14:15 - 14:50		Invited Paper: Impact of new information technologies in data collection at Statistics Sweden (Hans Ireback, Sweden) -- *(25 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions)*	CES/SEM.43/19
14:50 - 15:25		Invited Paper: Eurostat's innovations in data exchange (Eurostat, Wolfgang Knueppel) -- *(25 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions)*	CES/SEM.43/20
15:25 - 15:45		Coffee break (and demonstrations)	
15:45 - 15:50		Summary of the supporting paper by the Discussant	
15:50 - 16:00		Questions and short comments on the supporting paper	
		Electronic data interchange (EDI) methods in data collection (Ildikó Perjés, Hungary)	CES/SEM.43/21
16:00 - 17:20		Substantive discussion	
17:20 - 17:30		Conclusion of Study Topic (iii)	
		WEDNESDAY, 31 May 2000	
	6	**Study Topic (ii): Planning and management of statistical projects** Session Discussant: Mr. Christophe Alviset (INSEE, France)	
9:00 - 9:15		Introduction by the Discussant	
9:15 - 9:50		Invited Paper: Changing management practices (Mel Turner, Statistics Canada) -- *(25 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions)*	CES/SEM.43/12
9:50 - 10:25		Invited Paper: Planning and management of the implementation of IT-related statistical projects with outsourcing development (Karlis Zeila, CBS Latvia) -- *(25 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions)*	CES/SEM.43/13
10:25 - 10:45		Coffee break (and demonstrations)	
10:45 - 11:20		Invited Paper: Managing and planning information technology statistical projects (Nancy Potok, U.S. Bureau of the Census) -- *(25 minutes for presentation, 10 minutes for questions*	CES/SEM.43/14
11:20 - 11:35		Summary of the supporting papers by the Discussant	
11:35 - 12:10		Questions and short comments on the supporting papers	
		ProjektMan - software tool for project planning (Ebbo Petrikovits, Czech Republic)	CES/SEM.43/15
		Project management at INSEE (Christophe Alviset, France)	CES/SEM.43/16
		Planning of statistical activities in the state statistical institutions (S.I. Borisova, Russian Federation)	CES/SEM.43/17
		Census 2000: Main strategies and IT supporting phases in Slovenia (Milan Katic, Slovenia)	CES/SEM.43/18
12:10 - 13:30		Lunch break	

13:30 - 14:40		Substantive discussion	
14:40 - 14:50		Conclusion of Study Topic (ii)	
14:50 - 15:10		Coffee break	
15:10 - 15:50	**7**	**Future work**	
15:50 - 16:30	**8**	**Adoption of the report**	Draft report
16:30	---	**Closing of the meeting**	---