

ISWGNA Meeting (Teleconference)

22 February 2018

Minutes

Participants: Claudia Dziobek (IMF, Chair), Rob Dippelsman, Margarida Martins, Thomas Alexander (IMF), Jennifer Ribarsky, Jorrit Zwijnenburg (OECD), Herman Smith, Benson Sim (UNSD), Barbro Hexeberg (World Bank), Paul Konijn, John Verrinder (Eurostat).

1. ISWGNA side event at the UN Statistical Commission

The side event “10 Years of the 2008 SNA – Looking Forwards Looking Back” is scheduled for Tuesday, 6 March 2018, from 0815-0930H. ISWGNA members are asked to provide comments on the draft write-up of the “System of National Accounts: Developments since 2008” prepared by the World Bank consultant by 23 February 2018.

2. ISWGNA:MG meeting

The next ISWGNA:MG meeting is scheduled for Monday 5 March 2018 at 1800H.

The agenda will include: (i) The introduction to the ISWGNA report during the Statistical Commission; (ii) Upcoming AEG meeting; (iii) Task Force on Finance Statistics (TFFS); (iv) AEG membership; and (iv) the handover of the chair to Eurostat.

3. SNA News and Notes

The forthcoming issue will contain notes on the outcome of the AEG decisions on the recording of flows between a defined benefit pension fund and its sponsor and negative interest.

4. The next ISWGNA meeting

The date of the next ISWGNA meeting will be decided in due course.