

International Seminar on Open Data for the Sustainable Development Goals

Co-organized by Statistics Korea and UNSD
(invitation only)

25 to 27 September 2017

Venue: The Westin Chosun Hotel, Seoul, Republic of Korea

Provisional Agenda

(as of 19 September 2017)

Monday, 25 September 2017

9:30-10:30 AM **Opening**

- Ms. Hwang Soo Kyeong, Commissioner, Statistics Korea
- Video message from Mr. Stefan Schweinfest, Director of the United Nations Statistics Division
- Ms. Francesca Perucci, UNSD

Key Note: Ms. Shaida Badiie, Open Data Watch

10:30-10:40 **Coffee break**

10:40-12:15 **Round table discussion**

Moderator: Ms. Shaida Badiie, Open Data Watch

- Ms. Richa Shanker, Central Statistics Office, India
- Mr. Jean-Louis Sarbib, Development Gateway
- Ms. Amparo Ballivian, World Bank
- Dr. Young soo Bae, DG of Statistical Research Institute, Korea
- Mr. Richard Yoon, ESRI-Korea
 - Discussion

12:15 - 13:30 **LUNCH**

13:30 - 15:30 **Session 1: Open data initiatives in support of the 2030 Agenda and the SDG indicators**

Moderator: Ms. Amparo Ballivian, World Bank

- Mr. Armando Aguiar, Director of Information Services, INEGI Mexico
- Mr. Louis Kouakou, African Development Bank
- Mr. In Chang PARK, Ministry of the Interior, Korea
- Ms. Norov Sodnomdorj, Mongolia
 - Discussion

15:30 – 15:45 **Coffee break**

15:45-17:30 **Session 2: Supporting the role of national statistical systems in Open Data initiatives**
Moderator: Ms. Francesca Perucci, UNSD

- Mr. Mark Abuabu-Dadzie, Ghana
- Ms. Richa Shanker, India
- Mr. Recide, PSA, Philippines
- Mr. Khaled Mohamed, Egypt
 - Discussion

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9:30 - 11:00 **Session 3: Balancing openness with risks, such as security and privacy**
Moderator: Mr. Louis Kouakou, African Development Bank

- Mr. Adam Brown, Statistics New Zealand
- Ms. Dematoagodage Dona Gauri Anoja Senerviratne, Sri Lanka
- Mr. Tom Orrell, Joined Up Data
- Mr. Mohammad A.S. Marie, PCBS, Palestine
 - Discussion

11:00 – 11:30 **Coffee break**

11:30 – 13:00 **Session 4: Ensuring stakeholder involvement in Open Data processes**
Moderator: Ms. Shaida Badiee, Open Data Watch

- Mr. Bill Anderson, Development Initiative
- Mr. Recide, PSA, Philippines
- Ms. Laura Manley, Center for Open Data Enterprise
- Mr. Phet Sayo, IDRC
 - Discussion

13:00 – 14:30 LUNCH

14:30 – 15:45 **Session 5: Improving data sharing through data interoperability**
Moderator: Mr. Bill Anderson, Development Initiatives

Panel a) National example

- Mr. Junwoo JEON, Statistics Korea

Panel b) Work programmes on data interoperability

- Ms. Linda Hooper, UNSD
- Mr. Tom Orrell, Joined Up Data
- Mr. Armando Aguiar Rodriguez, INEGI, Mexico
 - Discussion

15:45 – 16:00 **Coffee break**

16:00 – 17:30 **Guided discussion on main topics/ideas and recommendations proposed for discussions by the United Nations Statistical Commission**
Moderator: Ms. Francesca Perucci, UNSD

This interactive session will focus on:

- Reviewing types of challenges faced by national statistical offices in the implementation of Open Data initiatives; and
- Determining what it takes to implement – developing a checklist.

Wednesday, 27 September 2017

9:30 – 11:00 **Session 6: Coordinating capacity building towards Open Data initiatives**
Moderator: Ms. Laura Manley, Center for Open Data Enterprise

Panel a) International efforts

- Ms. Linda Hooper, UNSD
- Ms. Shaida Badiie, Open Data Watch
- Mr. Jean-Louis Sarbib, Development Gateway

Panel b) Country needs

- Mr. Manoj Lal Pradhan, Nepal
- Mr. Mark Abuabu-Dadzie, Ghana
- Mr. Lay Chaan, National Institute of Statistics Cambodia
 - Discussion

11:00 – 11:15 **Coffee break**

11:15 - 12:15 **Main conclusions and recommendations from the Seminar**
Moderator: Ms. Francesca Perucci, UNSD

12:15 - 12:30 **Closing**

- Statistics Korea
- Ms. Francesca Perucci, UNSD

13:00 **Cultural outing**