## Draft Agenda
### 5th Meeting of the Committee of Experts on Business & Trade Statistics
#### 6 – 9 September 2022

- **Last updated:** 2nd September 2022

### 6 September 2022

- **Conference Room F**

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| 9:30am – 10:00am | Welcome, opening  
- Stefan Schweinfest, Director UNSD  
- Stefano Menghinello, Chair UNCEBTS  
- Introduction of participants |                                                                                             |
| 10:00am – 10:45am | Session 1: Follow up to the UNSC and objectives of the meeting  
Chair: Stefano Menghinello  
- Follow up to the UN Statistical Commission (Ilaria Di Matteo and Markie Muryawan, UNSD)  
- Objectives of the meeting; Update of the strategic view and how to meet the new challenges (Stefano Menghinello, Chair UNCEBTS) | Open discussion                                                                             |
| 9am – 9:30am | Review of conclusions of previous day |                                                                                             |

### 7 September 2022

- **Conference Room 8 in the morning**  
- **Conference Room F in the afternoon**

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| 10:00am-11:00am | Session 6: Globalization and digitalization  
Chair: Mark Uhrbach, Statistics Canada  
- New TT workplan and agenda on digitalization in Statistics Canada (Mark Uhrbach, Statistics Canada)  
- Evolution of electronic banking-monetics and e-trade activities in Morocco (Ouljour Houssein, Office des Changes Morocco)  
- Country priorities in Egypt (Mennat Allah Mohamed, CAPMAS) | Open discussion                                                                             |
| 11:15am – 1:00pm | Session 7: International Trade Statistics  
Chairs: Cristina Neves, Statistics Portugal, and Ouljour Houssein, Morocco  
- Progress update on the revision of the manual (Cristina Neves and Ouljour Houssein)  
- Trade and well-being - proposed indicators (Cody Hill, US Census Bureau)  
- Informal cross border trade (Samson Nougboholder, AUC)  
- New TT workplan (Cristina Neves, Statistics Portugal) | Open discussion                                                                             |
| 11am – 12:00pm | Session 11: Global initiative on unique identifiers  
Chair: Ilaria Di Matteo (UNSD)  
- Draft proposal for a Global initiative on unique identifiers (Ilaria Di Matteo, UNSD)  
- GLEIF (Ricco Dun, GLEIF)  
- Unique identifiers for businesses in France (Olivier Aguer, INSEE, France) | Open discussion                                                                             |

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| 9:30 – 10:45 | Session 10: Access to new data sources  
Chairs: Hank Hermans (Statistics Netherlands)  
- Introduction (Hank Hermans, Statistics Netherlands)  
- Evidence on new industry ecosystem research (Ivo Havinga, Consultant, Network of Economic Statisticians)  
- Use cases on access to private data sources (Ronald Jansen, UNSD) | Open discussion                                                                             |

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| 9:30 – 10:45 | Session 14: Report to the Committee on selected cross-cutting topics to further elaborate a common strategy  
Moderator: Stefano Menghinello, Chair UNCEBTS  
- Integrating gender in business and trade statistics (summary by Gerardo Durand, Cristina Neves)  
- Digitalization, productivity and innovation (summary by Hank Hermans and Ouljour Houssein)  
- Business Statistics on the green economy (summary by Søren Andersen) | Open discussion                                                                             |

### Notes:
- **Coffee break 10:45am – 11:00am**
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### Sessions:
- **Morning sessions**
  - **Coffee break 10:45am – 11:00am**
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- **11:00am – 12:00pm**
  - Session 15: Roundtable on the use of business and trade statistics  
  - Chair: Stefano Menghinello, Chair UNCEBTS  
  - National accounts, Herman Smith (UNSD)  
  - Environmental economic accounting, Alessandra Alfieri (UNSD)  
  - Annabelle Mourougane (OECD)  
  - Petra Sneijers (Eurostat)

- **12:00pm – 12:30pm**
  - Session 16: Conclusions and Way Forward  
  - Chair: Stefano Menghinello, Chair UNCEBTS  
  - Priorities for the UNCEBTS  
  - Reporting to the UN Statistical Commission
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| 2:00pm – 3:00pm   | Session 3: Well-being and sustainability  
| Chair: Søren Andersen (Statistics Denmark)  
| - New TT workplan (Søren Andersen, Statistics Denmark)  
| - The SEEA and business accounting (Jessica Ying Chan, UNSD)  
| Open discussion |
| 3:00pm – 3:30pm   | Session 4: Exhaustive business registers  
| Chair: Hank Hermans (Statistics Netherlands)  
| - Intro and new TT work plan (Hank Hermans, Statistics Netherlands)  
| - Joint SIAP-ADB-UNSD E-Course on SBRs (Pinar Ucar, SIAP)  
| Open discussion |
| Coffee break      | 3:30pm – 3:45pm                                                                   |
| 3:45pm – 4:45pm   | Session 4: Exhaustive business registers (continued)  
| - Developments in the Statistical Business Register of the UK (Andrew Allen, UK)  
| Open discussion |
| 4:45pm – 5:15pm   | Session 5: Focus on the developments of global registers  
| Chair: Hank Hermans (Statistics Netherlands)  
| - The development of a joint global register building on ADIMA-GGR (Nancy Snyder, UNSD)  
| - Developments on EGR (Eurostat, Petra Sniejiers)  
| Open discussion |
| 3:45pm – 5:15pm   | Session 8: Capacity building  
| Chair: Saleh Alkafri  
| - New TT workplan (Saleh Alkafri, Statistics Palestine)  
| - Developments on Trade Data Tools and E-Learning on Trade Statistics (Markie Muryawan, UNSD)  
| - Strengthening the statistical use of economic administrative registers in Latin America and the Caribbean (Gerardo Durand, INEGI-Mexico)  
| Open discussion |
| 3:45pm – 5:15pm   | Session 12: Development of an Integrated Data Infrastructure to link micro data on people and businesses  
| Chair: Søren Andersen (Statistics Denmark)  
| - Country presentation from Denmark (Ole Olsen, Statistics Denmark)  
| - Data infrastructure for business statistics in Portugal (Cristina Neves, Statistics Portugal)  
| - Links with population registers (Meryem Demirci, UNSD)  
| The aim of the breakout session is to assess issues such as the following:  
| 1. Do you have any national best practices on this topic?  
| 2. Technical feasibility (direct reporting or register integration across domains)  
| 3. National issues on data accessibility and integration (data are owned by different organizations, integration request to send a formal request to data protection model)  
| 4. In your view, how should this work be organized in the UNCEBTS? Coordination between task teams leaders? Direct involvement of task teams members |