

**United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names  
Working Group on Toponymic Data Files and Gazetteers (WG TDFG)**

Preliminary Meeting Agenda  
12:15 – 13:45 hrs, Wednesday, 27 April 2016

To take place at the  
UN Head Quarter in Bangkok on the occasion of the 29<sup>th</sup> UNGEGN, Room: MR-F

<b>Time</b>	<b>TOP#</b>	<b>TOP</b>	<b>Speaker</b>
12:15 – 12:20	<b>1</b>	<b>Opening</b>	Pier-Giorgio
12:20 – 12:30	<b>2</b>	<b>Liaison with international standardization bodies (ISO, OGC, Unicode)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• General information</li> <li>• UNICODE</li> </ul>	Pier-Giorgio NN
12:30 – 13:00	<b>3</b>	<b>Liaison with the UN Geographic Information Working Group (UNGIWG) / CoE4UNSDI initiative / UN-GGIM</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Activities of UN-GGIM, UN-GGIM: Europe and UN-GGIM: Africa related to Task Team for Africa and WG TDFG issues</li> <li>• Input for the linkage UNGEGN and UN-GGIM</li> </ul>	Pier-Giorgio, Brahim  All
13:00 – 13:15	<b>4</b>	<b>Items &amp; issues according to the 11<sup>th</sup> UNCSGN</b> Potentially use the WG TDFG <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• to promote GeoNyms - UN Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA)</li> <li>• to contribute to UNGEGN database</li> <li>• to support Training Courses in Toponymy (e.g. Web-Course)</li> <li>• to contribute to the linkage UNGEGN and UN-GGIM</li> <li>• to contribute to the discussion about the UN Sustainable Development Goals (UN SDGs) and its indicators</li> </ul>	Brahim, All  Brahim, All All  All All
13:15 – 13:30	<b>5</b>	<b>Discussion forum within the WG website / Online discussion forum</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discussion about the forums 1 to 3</li> <li>• Input &amp; remarks for the discussion forum</li> </ul>	Annette, Teemu, Pier-Giorgio (tbc) All
13:30 – 13:35	<b>6</b>	<b>Next meeting of WG TDFG</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Other meetings in 2015-2016 to associate with</li> </ul>	All
13:35 – 13:45	<b>7</b>	<b>AOB &amp; Closing</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• WG TDFG website</li> <li>• Support from the WG TDFG</li> </ul>	Pier-Giorgio Pier-Giorgio

