



Inter-Agency and Expert Group on Gender Statistics (IAEG-GS)
17th Meeting
28 August 2023, Johannesburg, South Africa
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IAEG-GS Chair

Ms. Katja Branger, Statistician in charge of gender statistics, Federal Statistical Office (FSO), Switzerland

Venue

Sandton Convention Centre, Bill Gallagher Room

TENTATIVE AGENDA

Time	Agenda Item	Chair
8:30 – 9:00	Registration	
9:00 – 9:30	Opening Welcome remarks by – Ms. Katja Branger, Statistician in charge of gender statistics, Federal Statistical Office (FSO), Switzerland – Ms. Francesca Grum, Chief of the Demographic and Social Statistics Branch, UNSD	
9:30 – 10:30	Session 1. Mainstreaming a gender perspective into the work of the Statistical Commission The session presents the status of work of the Advisory Group on Mainstreaming Gender as well as planned activities of the Group. Presentations by: 1. UNSD on Gender in agenda items of the 54th session of the UN Statistical Commission – Ms. Iliana Vaca-Trigo, Statistician 2. Italian National Institute of Statistics on mainstreaming gender into business/trade statistics – Ms. Clelia Romano, Research Manager 3. INEGI Mexico on mainstreaming gender into environment/climate change statistics – Ms. Adriana Oropeza Director of Technical Coordination Discussion	UNSD – Francesca Grum
10:30 – 10:50	Coffee break	

10:50 – 12:00	<p>Session 2. Countries in focus</p> <p>This session presents innovative initiatives in gender statistics for improved assessment of the status of women and girls in select countries.</p> <p>Presentations by:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Statistics Finland – Ms. Marjut Pietiläinen, Senior Researcher 2. Statistics Canada – Ms. Patricia Houle, Time-use survey manager 3. India Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation - Mr. Ashwani Kanaujia, Joint Director, Social Statistics Division 4. GeoStat Georgia on Time Use Survey – Mr. Vasil Tsakadze, Head of the Social Statistics Department <p>Discussion</p>	Switzerland – Katja Branger
12:00 – 12:30	<p>Session 3. Gender statistics in the 55th session of the UN Statistical Commission</p> <p>This session presents and discusses elements, including the work on time-use statistics and the Global Survey, to be featured in the SG report on gender statistics for the upcoming session of the Statistical Commission (March 2024).</p> <p>Presentation by::</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. UNSD – Ms. Ms. María Isabel Cobos, Statistician <p>Discussion</p>	Switzerland – Katja Branger
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch break	
14:00 – 14:40	<p>Session 4. Technology-facilitated violence against women</p> <p>This session informs members of the IAEG-GS on progress made on methodological work on technology-facilitated violence against women and existing efforts to address this gap.</p> <p>Presentations by:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. UN Women (on behalf of WHO, UNFPA and UN Women) – Ms. Jessamyn Encarnacion, Inter-Regional Advisor on Gender Statistics 2. HCP Morocco – Mrs. Sanaa Drissi El Bouzidi, Head of Household Socio-Economic Surveys <p>Discussion</p>	UNSD – Francesca Grum
14:40 – 16:30 (including coffee break at a time to be determined by the Chair)	<p>Session 5: Initiatives to strengthen gender statistics - updates from Regional Commissions and custodian agencies</p>	South Africa – Solly Molayi

	<p>This session will highlight, for IAEG-GS, members initiatives in gender statistics by regional commissions and international agencies (5 min. each).</p> <p>Presentations by:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Regional Commissions <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. ESCAP’s initiatives on gender data and statistics – Ms. Sharita Serrao, Statistician b. ECE on Gender statistics in the UNECE region: new topics and new approaches – Mr. Andres Vikat, Chief of Section c. ECA on Initiatives to strengthen gender statistics in Africa – Ms. Fatouma Sissoko, Statistician d. ECLAC on initiatives and advancements from Latin America and the Caribbean – Ms. Lucía Scuro, Social Affairs Officer 2. UNDP on New Gender Indices in Human Development– Ms. Yu-Chieh Hsu, Policy Specialist 3. WHO on violence against women – Ms. LynnMarie Sardinha, Technical Officer 4. UNFPA on reproductive agency – Ms. Mengjia Liang, Technical Specialist 5. Paris 21 on novel research methodology on gender data use for policymaking – Ms. Lauren Harrison, Policy Analyst 6. World Bank on the Strengthening Gender Statistics project – Ms. Heather G. Moylan, Survey Specialist 7. UNICEF on MICS module on time-use measurement in children – Ms. Lauren Pandolfelli, Statistics Specialist 8. UNWomen on new advancements on women’s political participation data – Ms. Jessamyn Encarnación, Inter-regional Advisor <p>Discussion</p>	
16:30 – 17:30	<p>Session 6: Conclusions of the 17th meeting and way forward</p> <p>Concluding remarks by</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Ms. Francesca Grum, Chief of the Demographic and Social Statistics Branch, UNSD – Mr. Solly Molayi, Chief Director, Social Statistics, Statistics South Africa 	