

AGENDA

15th Meeting of the Advisory Expert Group on National Accounts Remote meetings 6:00 – 9:30/12:00 – 15:30 (EDT/CET) Tuesday 6 to Thursday 8 April 2021

Tuesday, 6 April 2021

05:45 **Registration**

06:00 Chair: UNSD

Opening of the meeting and adoption of the agenda (15 min)

Opening remarks – Stefan Schweinfest, Chair of ISWGNA

Adoption of agenda

1. Introduction (5 min)

Working methods of the meeting

2. SNA update programme (60 min)

2.1. Review of the editorial process, the assessment and experimental estimation of recommendations and funding

2.1.1. Assessments and experimental estimation

2.1.2. Editorial process

2.1.3. Funding

Presenters: Michael Stanger and Herman Smith, UNSD

3. Consistency issues (30 min)

3.1. Overview of issues relevant for the SNA update

Presenter: Benson Sim, UNSD

4. IPSAS (30 min)

4.1. Financial reporting supporting statistics data quality'

Presenter: Ian Carruthers, Chair, International Public Sector Accounting Standards Board

Chair: IMF

5. Communication (30 min)

5.1. Task team on Communication – short overview of progress of work

Presenter: Sanjiv Mahajan, UK ONS

09:30 Close of day 1

Wednesday, 7 April 2021

06:00 Chair: IMF

6. Globalization (90 min)

- 6.1. Task team on Globalization – short overview of progress of work (including SPEs)
Presenter: Branko Vitas, Australia
- 6.2. Treatment of MNE and intra-MNE flows
Presenter: Michael Connelly, Ireland

Chair: Eurostat

7. Digitalization (120 min)

- 7.1. Task team on Digitalization – short overview of progress of work (including crypto assets)
Presenter: Erich Strassner, USA
- 7.2. The development of Digital Supply and Use Tables
Presenter: John Mitchell, OECD
- 7.3. Artificial Intelligence
Presenter: Jim Tebrake, IMF
- 7.4. The recording of data
Presenter: John Mitchell, OECD

09:30 Close of day 2

Thursday, 8 April 2021

06:00 Chair: World Bank

8. Well-being and Sustainability (120 min)

- 8.1. Task team on Well-being and Sustainability – short overview of progress of work
Presenter: Catherine van Rompaey, World Bank
- 8.2. Emissions and the national accounts
Presenter: Emmanuel Manolikakis, IMF
- 8.3. Labour accounts, education and human capital
Presenter: Michael Smedes, Australia

Chair: OECD

9. Financial and payments systems (60 min)

9.1. Task team on Financial and payments systems – short overview of progress of work

Presenter: Celestino Giron, ECB

9.2. Reverse transactions

Presenter: Artak Harutyunyan, IMF

9.3. Treatment of cash collateral

Presenter: Celestino Girón, ECB

10. Wrap-up of the meeting

Chair of ISWGNA

09:30 End of meeting