

Developing a Workplan for the Network of Economic Statisticians

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Themes from the FOC report

- Networking: collaboration and user consultation
- Transforming and challenging the system: statistical infrastructure and operations, data solutions
- Enabling: institutional arrangements and governance
- Experimenting, integrating and documenting: statistical framework and methods

Thematic issues

- A range of issues were identified in the Friends of the Chair meetings:
 - Globalization and supply chains of multinational enterprises
 - Digitalization and technological innovation
 - Urbanization
 - Climate change
 - Demographic shifts
 - Inequality
 - Informal economy

What are emerging thematic issues?

Infrastructure and operations

- Common data acquisition and access
- Data sharing
- Common data infrastructure and common resources
- Common technological solutions
 - Geospatial data
 - Use of data science
 - Nowcasting techniques and high frequency statistics

How to identify areas of co-investment?

Enabling functions

- Review of working methods of various groups operating within the scope of economic statistics to strengthen innovation, agility and collaboration

Linking the Network activities together

