Lunchtime seminar

Modernization of Statistical Production Process

Wednesday, 24 February 2010, 1:50 – 3:00 pm Conference Room 3 United Nations, New York

Statistical agencies all over the world are facing increased demands to operate more efficiently, respond more rapidly to changing users' needs, exploit data more effectively and improve statistical quality. This lunchtime seminar will present the key outcomes from the recent Conference on Modernization of Statistical Production organized by the Statistics Sweden as well as the experiences of two statistical offices, those of New Zealand and United Kingdom, which have embarked on extensive programmes of production modernization.

Organizers: Statistics Sweden

Seminar Programme

Overview and main outcomes from the Conference on Modernization of Statistical Production

Mats Wadman, Acting Director General, Statistics Sweden

Applying Service Oriented Architecture

Geoff Bascand, Government Statistician and Chief Executive, Statistics New Zealand

Issues on Statistical Modernization Programme: What went right? What went wrong?

Stephen Penneck, Director General, United Kingdom Office for National Statistics

Questions and general discussion

Useful link: Statistics Sweden Conference on Modernization of Statistical Production: http://www.scb.se/Pages/ListWide____261472.aspx