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Introduction to:
Skill, Training and capacity building session
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Main Talking Points

• Skill and training
• About our task team
• About this session
Main points:

- Crucial needs on the country levels on utilizing Big and Normal data.
- Crucial outcomes from the global survey.
- Training Priorities on using Big data.
- Coordination between training providers and partners on different levels.
- What scope of work in training field we may work on?
Task Team: main objectives

- Develop methods and tools (including coordination and facilitation) for:
  1. a baseline need identification of “Big Data” skills in NSSs; and
  2. an assessment of institutional readiness of NSSs in using Big Data
- Provide guidance on the development of a programme of training that addresses the gaps identified in the skills needs analysis
- Facilitate establishing global network of institutions for training and capacity building on Big Data
- Coordinate training plans inline with international surveys on big data and other outcomes from tasks teams formulated within GWG
• Assessment of institutional readiness 2015
• Development of training courses (2015-2016)
• Capacity building and sharing experiences through innovation centres and global network (2016 onwards)
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Why this session?

• How to raise the awareness on needed skills and training related to big data skills?
• How statistical organizations can train their staff on big data skills?
• Sharing training activities and skills initiatives between countries.
• How good practices can be replicated elsewhere?
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