



UNITED NATIONS  
DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS  
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**United Nations Statistical Commission**  
**UN Expert Group on International Trade and Economic Globalization Statistics**  
**Meeting on Handbook**  
**29 November 2016 – 1 December 2016, New York**

## **Draft Agenda**

**Tuesday, 29 November 2016**

Opening session at the UN Headquarters

10:00      Opening by the Ambassador of Ireland

Statement by the Director of United Nations Statistics Division

10:20      **Panel Discussion:** *Impact and measurement of economic globalization*

### Policy perspective

- Ataman Ozyildirim, Conference Board, *Measuring growth productivity in a globalized world*
- Klaus Tilmes, Deborah Winkler, World Bank, *Making Global Value Chains work for Development*
- Q and A

### Measurement perspective

- Michael Connolly, Statistics Ireland and Chair of the UN Expert Group, *Impact of globalization on Irish economic statistics*
- Timothy Sturgeon, MIT Industrial Performance Center, *Global Value Chains and Economic Globalization*
- Steve Landefeld, Editor of UN Handbook on *Accounting for Global Value Chains: Extended national accounts and integrated business statistics*
- Q and A

12:55      Closing remarks

18:00      Dinner (at IBM Learning Center – Armonk, NY)

20:00 Pre-meeting on Breakout Session (at IBM Learning Center - Armonk, NY)

### Wednesday, 30 November 2016

09:00 Overview of the day by the Chair of the UN Expert Group, Mr. Michael Connolly, Statistics Ireland

09:15 Break-out sessions

Session 1: The case study of the Automotive GVC

Session 2: The case study of the Textile GVC

12:30 Lunch

14:00 *Chapter 3: Extended Supply and Use Tables* – **Lead author** – OECD, Contributors – Eurostat, UNSD

14:30 *Chapter 4: Extended Productivity (KLEMS) Accounts* – **Lead author** – US BEA, Contributors – Eurostat, UNSD, Dale Jorgenson

15:00 *Chapter 5: Extended Environmental-Economic Accounts* – **Lead author** – UNSD, Contributors – Eurostat

15:30 Coffee break

15:45 *Chapter 6: Extended Capital and Financial Accounts* – **Lead author** – IMF, Contributors – UNSD, US BEA

16:15 *Chapter 7: Specific statistical issues related to firm heterogeneity related to globalisation* – **Lead author** – Denmark, Contributors – Netherlands, Italy, Eurostat, UNSD and OECD

16:45 *Chapter 8: Special accounting topics* – **Lead author** – CSO Ireland, Contributors – UNECE

18:00 Dinner

20:00 Coordination meeting

## Thursday, 1 December 2016

- 09:00 Overview of the day by the Chair of the UN Expert Group, Mr. Michael Connolly, Statistics Ireland
- 09:15 *Chapter 9: Global Value Chains Case Study Approach* – **Lead author** – Canada, Contributors – UNSD, Italy, Morocco, World Bank, Gary Gereffi, Aaron Sydor, Tim Sturgeon
- 09:45 *Chapter 10: GVC industry modules and their application in regional and global accounts* – **Lead author** – UNSD, Contributors – Canada, Italy, Morocco, World Bank, Gary Gereffi, Aaron Sydor, Tim Sturgeon
- 10:30 Coffee break
- 10:45 *Chapter 11: Improving Accuracy and Resolving Bilateral Asymmetries* – **Lead author** – UNSD, Contributors – Denmark, Netherlands, Italy, Eurostat, and OECD
- 11:15 *Chapter 12: Extending Existing Data through Data Linking and New Collections* – **Lead author** – Netherlands, Contributors – Denmark, Netherlands, Italy, Eurostat, UNSD and OECD
- 11:45 *Chapter 13: Applications of the Extended Accounts* – **Lead author** – OECD, Contributors – Eurostat, US BEA, Canada
- 12:15 *Chapter 14: Policy Uses of the Extended Accounts* – **Lead author** – Steve Landefeld, Contributors – World Bank, Aaron Sydor
- 12:45 Lunch
- 14:00 *Plan of Action on finalizing the Handbook* – Steve Landefeld
- 15:00 Closing of the meeting – Michael Connolly, Chair