



## WORLD STATISTICS DAY CELEBRATION IN TURKEY

The Turkish National Statistics Office will undertake different activities to celebrate World Statistics Day on the 20th October 2010; including the celebration of Turkish Statistics Day, which will be take place this year on 20th October 2010 to join the celebration of WSD.

For the celebration of WSD, a two day Statistical Research Symposium will be held, including a speech from the president of Turkstat and various cultural activities. Within the framework of the symposium, various panels will be organized. In particular, the following events are scheduled to take place during the event:

- TurkStat Open Door Day,
- Competition for posters to be used in 2011 Population and Housing Census,
- Speeches by invited speakers with the participation of representatives of related institutions, universities and organizations,
- Reception and musical performance,
- Publication of a bulletin on statistics and press release.

Additional activities to celebrate WSD will take also place up to that date. Planned activities are as follows:

- Creation of an Organization Board within TurkStat to visit universities and related institutions, in order to promote the World Statistics Day and receive feedback regarding the celebration.
- Creation of materials by universities for a statistical bulletin.
- A web-site dedicated to this event (both in Turkish and English).
- A Turkish logo for WSD published on WSD web-site. This logo is also to be used on the TurkStat website.
- Celebration of WSD in the regional offices of TurkStat with the participation of universities, related institutions and shareholders.



- Poster competition to promote WSD.

In addition, Turkey Statistics Day was celebrated in 6-7 May 2010 through a symposium which title was “Administrative Registers and Statistics “.

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