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Summary of Success stories, good practices and initiatives identified to inform the Handbook

Country /Organization	Success stories and good practices identified to inform the Handbook
Anguilla	Example of disaster precaution: During Hurricane Irma the location of the servers were secure due to how and where they were built as part of risk assessment
Barbados	Formalised NSS statistics network - establishing a statistics network including governmental agencies which produce relevant public data.
	The role of SDGs as a driving force in Barbados for development of the NSS
Grenada	Developments in Statistics, PM as Statistics Champion, Initiating a Statistics Institute for SIDS
Grenada	Implementation of a Strategy for the Development of Statistics in the CARICOM Region
Jamaica	Transforming statistical production processes – the Jamaican experience
	Review of core statistical business processes and related quality assurance systems;
	· Development of STATIN's value chain based on the Generic Statistical Business Process Model;
	Shift from a functional view of the statistical production to one focused on the processes
Jamaica	STATIN use of eDaCs - an in-house developed electronic data collection system using tablets to inform chapter 8.3.5
Jamaica	Electronic Access to Administrative Data: Reduced dependency on surveys – quarterly GDP, annual national accounts, tourism satellite accounts, employment and earnings
Jamaica	Development of STATIN's quality assurance framework
Jamaica	Disaster precaution: weekly backups of data (internal servers) on tape which are in turn taken off-site. Use of the World Bank's cloud storage for surveys
St Kitts and Nevis	Statistical Advisory Body: In the case of SKN it is comprised of individuals inside and outside of government approved by Cabinet. They make decisions on surveys and data collection activities
Saint Lucia	Accessing Geospatial data - Using a mobile application to collect GPS coordinates for every building on the island based on LiDAR, Light Detection and Ranging
St Vincent and the Grenadines	Disaster precaution: World Bank Caribbean Digital Transformation Program seeks to improve: capacity, storage, resilience, etc.
Suriname	Statistical Governing Body: There is an Governing Board comprising different stakeholders which meets once a month
Suriname	Disaster precaution: e-Store data off premise (Data-Sur) plus another location for security
CARICOM	Knowledge Management – The Case of the Population and Housing Census: Regionally Coordinated Approach in support of Census activities throughout the Region – A Best Practice
CARICOM	Promoting of careers in statistics-embedding it as a data science in the school
CARICOM	Regional Centre of excellence
CARICOM	Statistical Code of Practice https://caricom.org/documents/13410-caricom_statistics_code_of_practice.pdf
	CARICOM Quality Assurance Framework (CQAF) - http://statistics.caricom.org/Files/Meetings/PRASC/CRQAF/QAFOverview_StatCan.pdf
OECS Commission	Sub-regional committees to coordinate activities of International Development Partners
IDB	"Who wants to know" statistical handbook of statistical capacity in Latin American region.
	http://www.data4sdgs.org/sites/default/files/services_files/Who-wants-to-know-the%20political-economy-of-statistical-capacity-in Latin-America.pdf