International Seminar on SDGs

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Work Programme

Venue: The Westin Chosun, Seoul

Closed Meeting (by invitation only)

Wednesday, 16 September 2015

Registration (9:30 am -10:00 am)

Opening (10:00 am - 10:50 am)

Opening Remarks

Gyeongjoon Yoo, Commissioner, Statistics Korea (KOSTAT)

Welcoming Remarks

Francesca Perucci, Chief of Statistics Services Branch, UNSD

Keynote Address

Lenni Montiel, Assistant Secretary-General for Economic Development, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, United Nations

Coffee break (10 min)

Session 1: Monitoring the Sustainable Development Goals: An Indicator Framework (11:00 am - 12:30pm)

Chair: Jennifer Park, Senior Statistician, Office of Management and Budget, USA

Overview of the development and implementation of an indicator framework for the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

Francesca Perucci, Chief of Statistics Services Branch, UNSD

IAEG-SDGs co-chair and national perspective on SDGs

Lisa Bersales, Chief Statistician, Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA)

Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs): Egypt perspective

Amira Gamal Eldin, Under Secretary for Population and Research Center, Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics (CAPMAS), Egypt

Discussion (All)

LUNCH (12:30 pm - 2:00 pm)

Session 2: Monitoring the Sustainable Development Goals: From Global to National Monitoring (2:00 pm – 3:40 pm)

Chair: Lisa Bersales, Chief Statistician, Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA)

An effective transition to national monitoring – learning from the MDGs **Shantanu Mukherjee**, Team Leader, Report Team, Human Development Report Office, United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)

The Response of the Mexican Statistical System to the Challenges of the SDGs *Félix Vélez, Vice-president of the Governing Board of National Institute of Statistics and Geography of Mexico, INEGI*

Korea's Monitoring Program on the SDGs from Global to National *Myongho Lee*, *Director of Research Planning Division, Statistics Korea (KOSTAT)*

How Brazil is facing SDG indicators challenge: a global and regional strategy **Roberto Luis Olinto Romos**, Director of Directorate of Surveys, Brazilian Institute of Geography and Statisics (IBGE), Brazil

Discussion (All)

Coffee break (20 min)

Session 3: The 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development: Leaving No One Behind (4:00 pm - 6:00 pm)

Chair: Félix Vélez, Vice-president of the Governing Board of National Institute of Statistics and Geography of Mexico (INEGI)

Overview on data disaggregation, leaving no one behind *Linda Hooper*, *Statistician*, *Statistical Services Branch*, *UNSD*

Population ageing and older persons in the post-2015 sustainable development agenda **Asghar Zaidi**, Professor, University of Southampton and London School of Economics

Country perspective on including persons with disabilities in data collection efforts *Pamela Kakande*, *Senior Statistician*, *Uganda Bureau of Statistics*

Country perspective on SDG indicators for older persons *Yu Dou*, *Senior Program Officer*, *National Bureau of Statistics, China*

"Ambitious Goals and Complex Realities" Why Enabling Data Environment Matters for Leaving No One Behind

Moonsuk Hong, Director of Development Policy Research and Evaluation Office, Re-shaping Development Institute (ReDI), Korea

Thursday, 17 September 2015

Session 4: Data visualization and data communication of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development (9:20 am - 10:40 am)

Chair: Roberto Olinto, Director of Directorate of Surveys, Brazilian Institute of Geography and Statistics (IBGE), Brazil

10 DATA-DRIVEN STRATEGIES TO CHANGE THE WORLD: A do-it-yourself guide to the data revolution

Kris Oswalt, President, Community Systems Foundation (CSF)

SDGs Monitoring Strategies: Sri Lankan Approach

Champa Shiromalie, Senior Statistician, Department of Census and Statistics, Sir Lanka

Managing Expectations and Maintaining Credibility As Indicators Develop: Thoughts from the U.S. Experience

Jennifer Park, Senior Statistician, U.S. Office of Management and Budget

Discussion (All)

Coffee break (20 min)

Session 5: Wrap-up and closing remarks (11:00 am - 12:20 pm)

Chair: Francesca Perucci, Chief of Statistics Services Branch, UNSD

Conversation on the main opportunities and challenges of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

- o Jennifer Park, Senior Statistician, U.S. Office of Management and Budget
- o Lisa Bersales, Chief Statistician, Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA)
- Félix Vélez, Vice-president of the Governing Board of National Institute of Statistics and Geography of Mexico (INEGI)
- Roberto Olinto, Director of Directorate of Surveys, Brazilian Institute of Geography and Statistics (IBGE), Brazil

Summary and Recommendations from the Seminar (UNSD)

Wrap-up and concluding remarks

Youngtae Son, Director, Statistics Korea
and

Francesca Perucci, Chief of Statistics Services Branch, UNSD

Cultural excursion organized by KOSTAT (12:40 pm - 17:00 pm)