ESS Directors' General Informal Workshop on

"The Role of Statistical Institutes in Digitalisation Strategies of Governments and the EU"

19-20 November 2018

Vienna, Austria

DRAFT AGENDA
Introduction

In the context of an increasing digitalisation of public and private lives governments adopt digitalisation and data strategies to promote e-government activities, make information available to a broader public and reduce reporting burden of citizens.

The envisaged DGs workshop will aim to exchange experience in individual ESS Member States on the role NSIs play in those strategies. Should the NSI help to shape these strategies? Should it play an active role in the management of public/private data? What are possible tensions between the NSI’s role of a traditional producer of statistics and being a data hub for the government? What are possible opportunities, what are the risks? These are questions to be addressed throughout the workshop.

Date: 19 November 2018, 14:00 until 20 November 2018, 13:30
Meeting venue: Vienna, Steigenberger Hotel Herrenhof, 1010 Wien, Herrengasse 10
Participants: Directors General of the ESS
Organisers: Statistics Austria/Eurostat

Draft Agenda

19 November 2018

14:00 – 14:15 Welcome and opening

14:15 – 16:00 Digitalisation in the Public Sector
      Opportunities in Digitalising the Public Sector
      EU Digital Agenda
      Digitalisation Strategy of the Austrian Government

16:00 – 16:30 Coffee break

16:30 – 17:30 The role of NSIs in Digitalisation Strategies – Country experience so far
      • Estonia
      • UK
      • France

17:30 – 18:00 Discussion

19:30 – 22:30 Social event organised by Statistics Austria
20 November 2018

09:00 – 10:00  **Digitalisation in the public sector – Challenges and Opportunities for NSIs**
   Dominik Rozkrut, President of Statistics Poland
   Marjo Bruun, Director General of Statistics Finland

**Break out session**

10:00 – 11:00  Digitalisation - What future role for NSIs?
   Group Chairs: DGs Ireland, Finland, Croatia

11:00 – 11:15  Coffee break

11:15 – 12:00  **Plenary session**
   Report from Breakout Groups
   Discussion
   Group Chairs: DGs Ireland, Finland, Croatia

12:00 – 12:15  Concluding remarks
   Eurostat/PG Chair

12:15 – 13:30  Lunch

*approx. 13:30  End of the meeting*