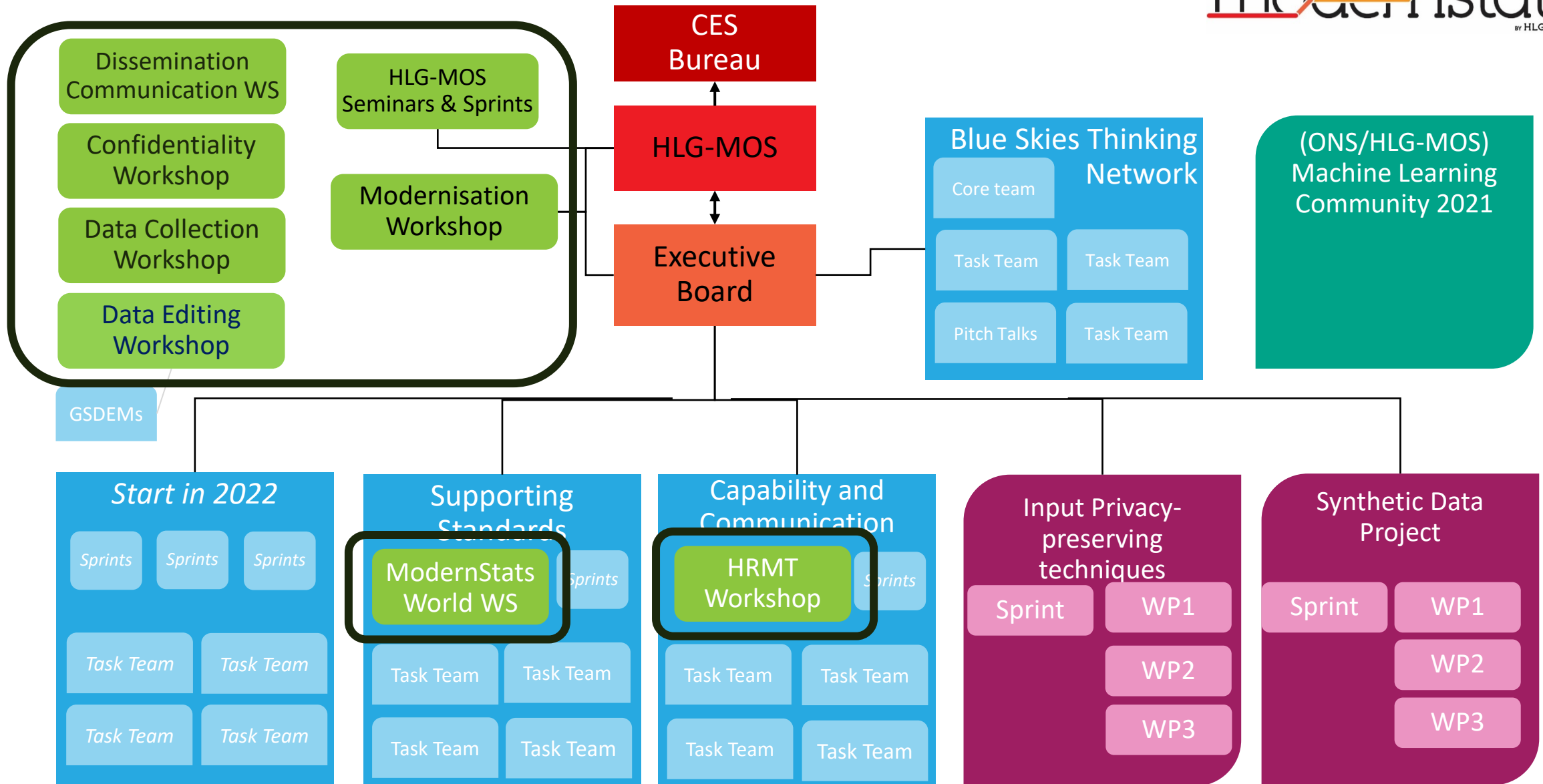# HLG-MOS Online Modernisation Workshop 2021
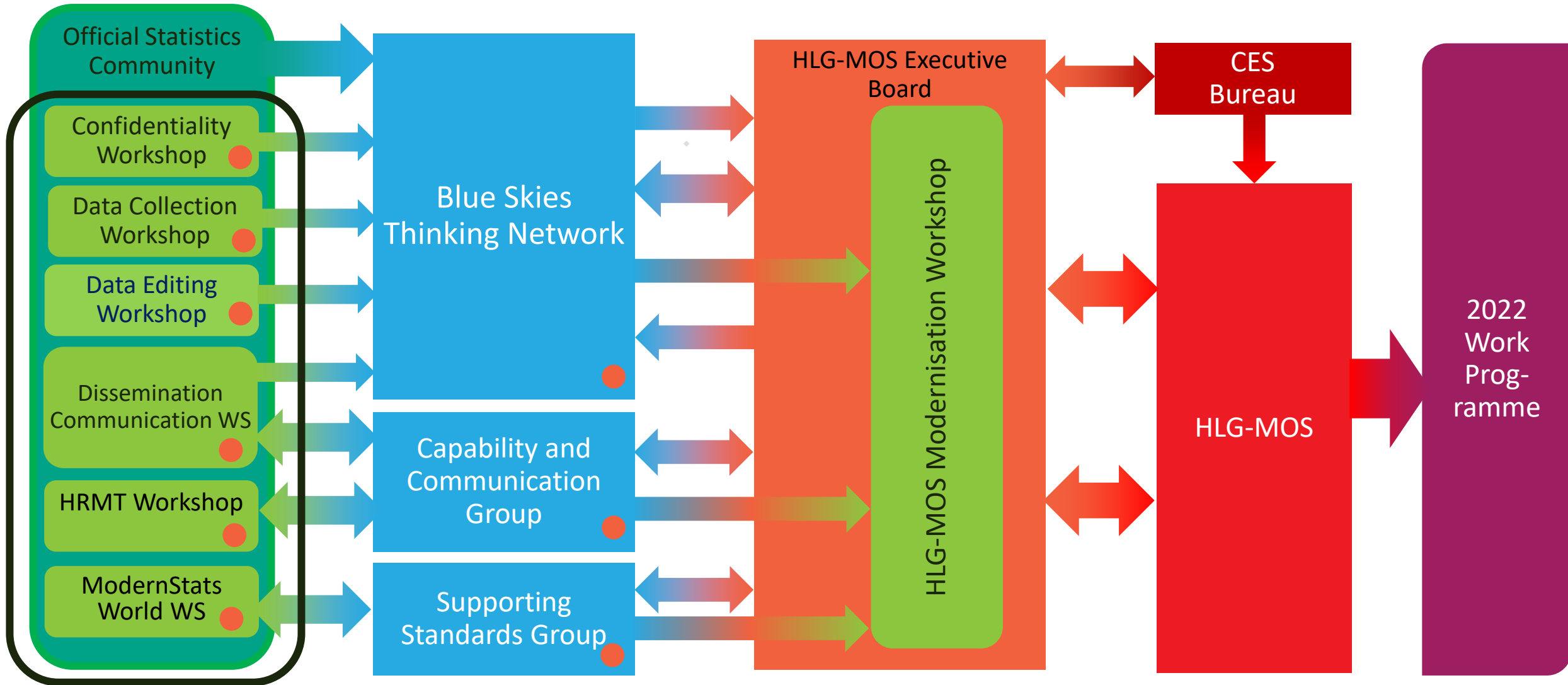
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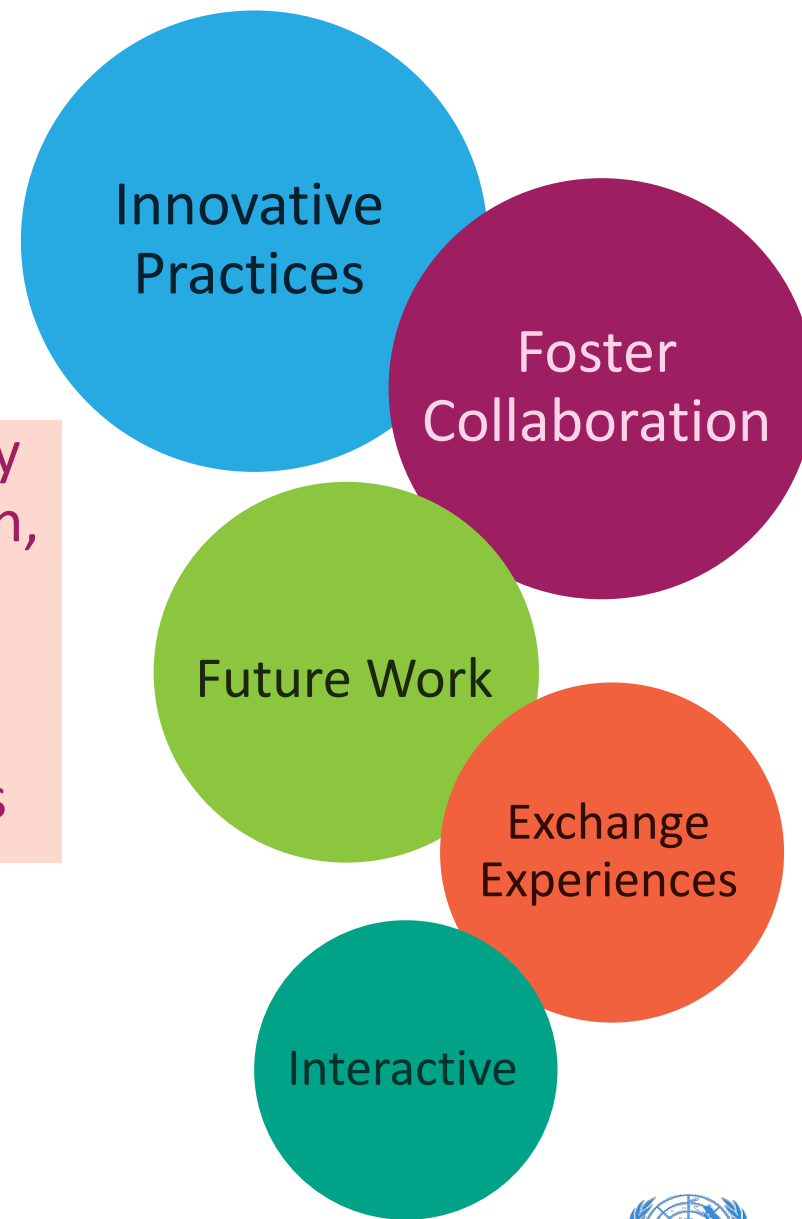
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2021 HLG-MOS Structure

HLG-MOS Innovation Pipeline

Purpose/Objectives HLG-MOS expert meetings and workshops

- Platforms for experts to:
  - Present innovative practices
  - Enable/Encourage collaboration
  - Identify common future areas of work
  - Share experiences
- Elements:
  - Presentations
  - Small group discussions
  - Interactive sessions
  - Prioritization of future work
- Audience:
  - High-mid level mangers
  - Substantive experts
  - NSSs (NSOs/Central Banks etc), Academia & relevant private sector

2021 onward: Every 24 Month in-person, in-between years shorter and more focused online meetings/webinars

Innovative Practices

Foster Collaboration

Future Work

Exchange Experiences

Interactive

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Expert Meetings, Workshops, Webinars and Sprints 2021

- **Expert Meeting on Statistical Data Collection, 27-30 September 2021, online**
- **Expert Meeting on Dissemination and Communication of Statistics, 11-14 October 2021, online** ~~Lisbon Portugal~~
- **HLG-MOS workshop on the Modernisation of Official Statistics, 15-16 November 2021, online**
- **Synthetic Data Webinar, 17 November 2021**
- **Input Privacy-Preservation Webinar, 18 November 2021**
- **Machine Learning Community Webinar, 19 November 2021**
- **Expert meeting on Statistical Data Confidentiality, 1-3 December 2021, Poznan, Poland**
- **Several Sprints (GSBPM-GSIM, BSTN, Future of Work)**

Expert Meeting on Statistical Data Collection

- 11-14 October 2021
- 9th Edition (since 2012)
- 151 Participants representing 46 organizations (30 Countries, 7 international organizations and 5 universities)
- 35 presentations
- Sessions:
  - Managing and Modernizing Data Collection
  - Adapting data collection in a crisis context
  - Respondents Care
  - Multimode and integration of data sources

Steering Committee:

- Lise Rivais (Statistics Canada
- Susan Oudshoorn & Kees van Berkel (Statistics Netherlands)
- Paulo Saraiva (Statistics Portugal)
- Hakkı Aydoğdu (Turkish Statistical Institute)
- Ian O'Sullivan (ONS, United Kingdom)
- Andrea Ascheri (Eurostat)
- Taeke Gjaltema & Wai Kit Si Tou (UNECE)

Expert Meeting on Statistical Data Collection

- New techniques and IT for automated collection (Machine-to-machine, System2System, API) (incl. legal aspects)
- Use of Administrative and other non-survey sources
- Multi-dimensional aspects (incl. timeliness/granularity/value for money)
- Measurement quality (especially in changing mixed mode)
- Adaptive survey design: CAWI first, interviews if necessary
- Beyond CAPI: expanding multimode (CATI, CAWI, video mediated interview etc.)
- Data collection/Web portals
- Improving respondents experience (feedback, motivation etc.)
- Flexibility and rapid development; changing and emergency situations, real time indicators
- Respondents' segmentation strategies

Expert Meeting on Dissemination and Communication of Statistics

- 11-14 October 2021
- 19th Edition (since 2000)
- 151 Participants representing 49 organizations (33 Countries, 6 international organizations and 5 universities
- 27 presentations
- Sessions:
  - Digital age
  - Broadening audiences
  - Statistics explained
  - Tailoring communication to specific audiences

Steering Committees:
- Kerstin Haensel (DESTATIS, Germany)
- Aeidin Sheppard & Elaine O'Mahoney (CSO Ireland)
- Lígia Nunes & Luís Campos (Banks of Portugal)
- Ana Margarida Rosa (Statistics Portugal)
- Emily Liddel (US BLS)
- Ellen Dougherty (U.S. Department of Agriculture)
- Lukasz Augustyniak & Colin Stewart (Eurostat)
- Terri Mitton (OECD)
- Taeke Gjaltema & Tetyana Kolomiyets (UNECE)

- How to engage with and recruit the younger, digital native, generations
- How to Measure success and the impact of our communication
- Explore unconventional communication platforms/tools (Comics, TikTok, Spotify)
- Communication capabilities, skills, profiles, experts we need
- Strategies to tackle and anticipate to disinformation
- Visualisation tools and strategies (for videos, charts, animations etc)
- How to engage ambassadors to promote official statistics, including external influencers and our own staff (via internal communication)
- Approaches for building brand and trust/value proposition
- Strategies to get resources from management to upgrade social media capabilities and tools
- Continue work on user centric products: data literacy, user groups
- New ways and Lessons learned under Covid (what to keep, what did not work)
- Brand communication to retain employees and recruit new staff

Expert Meeting on Statistical Data Confidentiality

- 1-3 December 2022, Poznan, Poland
- 12th edition (since 1999, 2-year cycle)
- Topics:
    - Access to microdata;
    - Microdata protection;
    - Tabular data;
    - Risk assessment: Privacy, confidentiality, and disclosure;
    - Other emerging issues;
    - Software tools for statistical data confidentiality; and
    - Communication of statistical disclosure control methods.

Steering Committee:

- Steven Thomas (Statistics Canada)
- Janika Tarkoma (Statistics Finland)
- Sarah Giessing (Destatis, Germany)
- Peter-Paul de Wolf & Eric Schulte-Nordholt (Statistics Netherlands)
- Josep Domingo (Universitat Rovira i Virgili)
- Krish Muralidhar (University of Oklahoma)
- Aleksandra Bujnowska & Wim Kloek (Eurostat)
- Christopher Jones & Wai Kit Si Tou (UNECE)

Expert Meetings and Workshops 2022

- Chief Statisticians Sprint, *March-April 2022 tbd*
- ModernStats World Workshop, *23-25 May tbd, Belgrade, Serbia tbc*
- Workshop on Human Resource Management and Training for NSOs, *31 August – 2 September 2022, tbc*
- Expert Meeting on Dissemination and Communication of Statistics, *29-31 August tbd, Lisbon, Portugal/tbc*
- Expert Meeting on Statistical Data Editing, 3 -5 October 2022, Vienna, Austria
- Expert Meeting on Statistical Data Collection, *31 October – 2 November tbd, Geneva, Switzerland tbc*
- ModernStats World Workshop, 21-23 November 2022, Geneva, Switzerland

- Webinars (2022 Projects/Communities)??
- Sprints??

Questions