

# UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE CONFERENCE OF EUROPEAN STATISTICIANS

## Workshop on Ethics in Modern Statistical Organisations

26-28 March 2024 Geneva, Switzerland

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#### Provisional Timetable Room V

#### DAY 1 - Tuesday 26 March

8:30	Opening of Meeting Room		
	Opening and welcome		
9:30	Opening and welcome, Chair of the Workshop Elsa Dhuli (Instat, Albania)		
9:45	Opening and welcome Tiina Luige (UNECE)		
9:55	Keynote Presentation: Do statistical ethics apply equally to NSOs and to other official statistics producers, whether regional/international or other national statistical authorities?  Andreas Georgiou (Amherst College) [remote]		
10:25	Q&A		
	Session 1: Ethics in institutional contexts Chair: Fabrizio Rotundi (Istat, Italy)		
10:30	Introduction to Session Session Chair		
10:35	Democracy dies in darkness without Official Data Luca Di Gennaro Splendore (University of Malta)		
10:55	Structure of ethical issues in new data ecosystems Marianne Johnson, Timo Koskimäki, Markus Sovala (Statistics Finland)		
11:10	Q&A		
11:20	Break		
11:40	Revision of the Swiss Official Statistics Charter: opportunities and risks Marcus Baumann (Federal Statistical Office, Switzerland) and Peter Laube (Swiss Council for Official Statistics)		
12:00	UK Statistic Authority's Centre for Applied Data Ethics (CADE) – the first three years Nicola Shearman (Office of National Statistics, UK)		
12:15	Investigating Ethical Practices in NSOs - Surveys Results Katia Ambrosino (Istat, Italy)		





12:30	Q&A		
12:45	Group photo and lunch		
	Continuation of Session 1: Ethics boot camp Chair: Angela Leonetti (Istat, Italy)		
14:00	Introduction to the interactive session		
14:20	Group work		
15:50	Break		
16:10	Reporting back from the groups		
	Session 2: Ethics in daily work life Chair: Nicola Shearman (Office for National Statistics, UK)		
16:40	Introduction to Session Session Chair		
16:45	Rules of Professional Ethics in the State Statistics Bodies of the Republic of Belarus Volha Pazharytskaya (National Statistical Committee of the Republic of Belarus)		
17:00	Proposals to Promote Change from Compliance to Ethical Commitment in Istat Angela Leonetti (Istat, Italy)		
17:15	Incorporating ethics in statistical organizations through GSBPM and GAMSO InKyung Choi (UNECE)		
17:25	Q&A		
17:40	Closing of Day 1		
19:00	Social Dinner (Mr. Pickwick, Rue de Lausanne 80, 1202 Genève)		

## DAY 2 – Wednesday 27 March

9:30	Opening and recap of Day 1 Elsa Dhuli (Instat, Albania)		
	Continuation of Session 2: Ethics in daily work life Chair: Nicola Shearman (Office for National Statistics, UK)		
9:40	French official statistician and ethics: from law to practice Mylène Chaleix and Olivier Lefebvre (Insee, France)		
9:55	Ethics in staff and user satisfaction survey (Case of Albania) Vjollca Lasku (Instat, Albania)		
10:10	Q&A		





	Session 3: Ethics for new data sources and technology Chair: Martin Beaulieu (Statistics Canada)		
10:20	Introduction to Session Session Chair		
10:25	Reimagining how we deliver quality data and statistics: Stats NZ Journey Emma MacDonald (Statistics New Zealand) [remote]		
10:40	The Role of Data Ethics to Maintain and Improve Public Trust: The Statistics Canada Experience Martin Beaulieu (Statistics Canada)		
10:55	Q&A		
11:05	Break		
11:25	Towards a data ethics program for the Australian Bureau of Statistics: Considering privacy, ethics and trust for our innovative data uses Joanne Hillermann (Australian Bureau of Statistics)		
11:40	Statistics Netherlands ethics committee – purpose, composition and methods Esther de Heij (Statistics Netherlands)		
11:55	Q&A		
12:05	Ethics of Technology Milana Karaganis (Statistics Canada) [remote]		
12:20	The role of geo-information in ethics within modern statistical institutions Mirela Deva (Instat, Albania)		
12:35	Q&A		
12:45	Lunch		
	Session 4: Ethics and proactive communication Chair: Lukasz Augustyniak (Eurostat)		
14:00	Introduction to Session Session Chair		
14:05	An ethical approach to the development of social acceptance and its application John Byrne (Central Statistics Office, Ireland)		
14:20	An assessment of ethics and proactive communication practices in The Nigerian Statistical System Kumafan Dzaan (Central Bank of Nigeria)		
14:35	Q&A		
14:45	Ethics and proactive communication: the Istat case Giulia Peci and Michela Troia (Istat, Italy)		





15:00	Building trust culture in the office – examples of ethics-driven proactive internal communication at Statistics Poland Anna Borowska and Olga Świerkot-Strużewska (Statistics Poland)
15:15	Q&A
15:25	Break
15:45	Future work priorities
16:40	Summary of the workshop
17:00	End of day 2

## DAY 3 – Thursday 28 March

Open discussion for the Reference Book on Ethics Chair: Fabrizio Rotundi (Istat, Italy)		
9:30	Opening and introduction Fabrizio Rotundi (Istat, Italy), Chair of the HLG-MOS Task Team on Ethics	
9:40	Introducing the reference book – Istat, Italy	
10:00	Adjusting the proposed content based on the workshop findings	
10:40	Break	
11:00	Discussion (continuation)	
11:50	Summary by the Chair	
12:00	Closing of the workshop	

