



Seminar on National Accounts of Latin America and the Caribbean: The Future of Economic Statistics

Virtual meeting, 14 - 16 October 2020

Chile time, UTC-4

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Wednesday, October 14

Session 1 *Opening*

11:00-11:25 Welcome remarks

Rolando Ocampo, Director Statistics Division, ECLAC

Ivo Havinga, UNSD, Economic Statistics

11:25-11:30 Approval of the meeting agenda

Session 2 *The future of economic statistics (UNSD)*

11:30-13:00 Future of economic statistics (Ivo Havinga, UNSD, Economic statistics)

Integrated update of the 2008 SNA and other macroeconomic manuals (Herman Smith, UNSD, National Accounts)

Revision of ISIC rev 4 and impact on product-related classifications (Ilaria Di Matteo, DENU, Business Statistics)

Global Value Chain Accounting (Nancy Snyder, UNSD, Business Statistics)

Participant interventions

13:00 - 14:00 *Break*

Session 3 *Integrated economic statistics*

Moderator: *(ECLAC)*

14:00 - 14:20 Economic Information Updating Cycle (Arturo Blancas, INEGI, México)

14:20 - 14:40 Statistical integration and nomenclators (Alejandra Hernández Calero, INEC, Costa Rica)

14:40 - 15:00 Integrated economic statistics: The experience of Peru (José Luis Robles, INEI, Perú)

15:00 - 15:20 Integrated economic accounts (Josué De Jesus Rodriguez, Banco Central de Republica Dominicana)

15:20 - 15:40 Integrated economic accounts (To be defined, Banco Central de Honduras)

15:40 - 16:00 Participant interventions

Thursday, October 15

Session 4 *Impact of COVID-19 quarantine on economic statistics*

Moderator: *(ECLAC)*

- 11:00-11:20 Response to COVID-19 pandemic (Rebeca Palis, IBGE, Brazil)
- 11:20-11:40 Response to COVID-19 pandemic (Terah Newbold, Department of Statistics, Bahamas)
- 11:40-12:00 Participant interventions

Session 5 *Globalization*

Moderator: *(ECLAC)*

- 12:00 - 12:20 Globalization and the System of National Accounts (Rodolfo Ostolaza, OECD)
- 12:20 - 12:40 Extended Supply and Use Tables (Francisco Guillén, INEGI, México)
- 12:40 - 13:00 Using the average exchange rate in the Supply and Use Table (Luis Suárez, INDEC, Argentina)
- 13:00 - 13:30 Participant interventions
- 13:30-14:30 *Break*

Session 6 *Economic well-being and sustainability: the household account and final household consumption expenditure*

Moderator: *(ECLAC)*

- 14:30 - 14:50 Classification of Individual Consumption According to Purpose, 2018 (To be defined)
- 14:50 -15:10 Costa Rica's distributional exercise (José Pablo Valdés, World Bank)
- 15:10 - 15:30 The household account in Chile (Francisco Ruiz, Banco Central, Chile)
- 15:30 - 15:50 Circular Economy in the Framework of the Environmental and Economic Accounting System of Colombia (To be defined, DANE, Colombia)
- 15:50 - 16:10 Social Accounting Matrix for Ecuador, under a distributive approach (Salomé Velasco Struve, Banco Central del Ecuador)
- 16:10 - 16:30 Progress in the Satellite Account of the Care Economy in Colombia (To be defined, DANE, Colombia)
- 16:30 – 17:00 Participant interventions

Friday, October 16

Session 7 *SCA Working Group: Prices and volume in services*

Moderator: *(ECLAC)*

11:00 - 11:20 Performed activities (Juan Pablo Cardoso, DANE, Colombia)

11:20 - 11:40 Participant interventions

Session 8 *ICP Activities*

Moderator: *(ECLAC)*

11:40 - 12:00 Activities of the International Comparison Program and uses of the Purchasing Power Parities (William Vigil Oliver, World Bank)

12:00 - 12:20 International Comparison Program, main results for the 2017 Cycle for the Latin-American and the Caribbean (Claudia de Camino, ECLAC)

12:20 - 12:40 Participant interventions

12:40 - 13:00 Conclusions and closing words (ECLAC)