



## Preliminary agenda

Monday 14th of September

Timetable	Subject
08:45 - 09:45	<b>Registration, Refreshments</b>
09:45 - 10:00	<b>Welcome remarks</b>  Statistics Norway
10:00 - 10:45	<b>Opening</b>  Opening Remarks & Meeting Agenda Overview - Louis Marc Ducharme, Statistics Canada Country Progress Reports - Mark Wallace, United States Census Bureau
10:45 - 11:00	<b>Coffee Break</b>
11:00 - 12:00	<b>Session leader: Mark Wallace, United States Census Bureau</b> Wired, Wireless, Satellite and other telecommunication activities - Presentation, Discussion, and Adoption of the Sector Paper - Benjamin Camus, INSEE, France The Revised Glossary - Presentation and Discussion - John Murphy, United States Census Bureau Update on the General Methodology Paper and the Voorburg Web Site - Mark Wallace, United States Census Bureau
12:00 - 12:30	<b>Group Photo</b>
12:30 - 14:00	<b>Lunch Break</b>

	Warm and Cold Buffet
14:00 - 16:00	<p><b>Effect of Globalization on Services Producer Price Index Change in the IT Industry: Case Studies for Selected Multinational Companies</b></p> <p><b>Session leader: Denis Gac, INSEE-France</b></p> <p>Presentations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Roslyn Swick, United States Bureau of Labor Statistics</li> <li>- Vera Norrman, Statistics Sweden</li> <li>- Richard McMahon, Central Statistics Office - Ireland</li> <li>- Denis Gac , INSEE - France</li> <li>- Denis Gac</li> </ul>
16:00 - 16:20	<b>Coffee Break</b>
16:20 - 18:00	<p><b>Banking and Credit (Summary of the Papers to Be Provided by the Session Leader)</b></p> <p><b>Session leader: Louis Marc Ducharme, Statistics Canada</b></p> <p>Preparatory Mini-presentations on Turnover/Output</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Statistics Canada (Louis Marc Ducharme)</li> <li>- United States Census Bureau (Mark Wallace)</li> <li>- INEGI-Mexico (Ramon Bravo)</li> <li>- Statistics Norway (Tore Halvorsen)</li> </ul> <p>Preparatory Mini-presentations on PPI</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Statistics Canada (Fred Barzyk)</li> <li>- Office of National Statistics, United Kingdom (Matt Berger)</li> <li>- United States Bureau of Labor Statistics (Roslyn Swick)</li> </ul>
18:30 - 20:30	<b>Welcome reception at "Gamle logen"</b>

Tuesday 15th of September

<b>Timetable</b>	<b>Subject</b>
08:30-10:00	<p><b>Rail Transportation</b></p> <p><b>Session leader: Matt Berger, Office of National Statistics, United Kingdom</b></p> <p>Matt Berger - session leader</p> <p>Mini-presentations on Turnover/Output</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Statistics Sweden (Kerstin Forssén)</li> <li>- Statistics Canada (Fred Barzyk)</li> <li>- Eurostat (Sven Kaumanns)</li> <li>- Japan Bureau of Statistics (Hiroaki Nagafuji)</li> </ul>
10:00-10:15	<b>Coffee Break</b>
10:15-11:45	<b>Rail Transportation continues</b>

	<p><b>Session leader: Matt Berger, Office of National Statistics, United Kingdom</b>  Mini-presentations on PPI  - Statistics Finland (Elina Paakko)  - Federal Statistical Office of Germany (Bernhard Goldhammer)  - Statistics Canada (Fred Barzyk)</p>
11:45-12:30	<p><b>Water Transportation</b>  <b>Session leader: Matt Berger, Office of National Statistics, United Kingdom</b>  Matt Berger - session leader  Mini-presentations on Turnover/Output - Part 1  - Statistics Sweden (Jonas Färnstrand)  - Spain (Raquel del Rio)  - Statistics Poland (Agnieszka Matulska-Bachura)</p>
12:30-13:45	<p><b>Lunch Break</b>   Warm and Cold Buffet</p>
13:45-14:30	<p><b>Water Transportation continues</b>  <b>Session leader: Matt Berger, Office of National Statistics, United Kingdom</b>  Mini-presentations on Turnover/Output - Part 2</p>
14:30-14:45	<p><b>Coffee Break</b></p>
14:45-16:15	<p><b>Water Transportation cont.</b>  <b>Session leader: Matt Berger, Office of National Statistics, United Kingdom</b>  Mini-presentations on PPI  - Statistics Sweden (Thomas Olsson)  - Federal Statistical Office of Germany (Peter Roemer)  - Australian Bureau of Statistics (Christine McLaughlin)</p>
16:15-16:30	<p><b>Coffee Break</b></p>
16:30-18:00	<p><b>Rail Transportation and Water Transportation</b>  <b>Session leader: Matt Berger, Office of National Statistics, United Kingdom</b>  Presentation of Discussant's Remarks on the mini-presentations  - Roslyn Swick, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics  Facilitated Group Discussion   Development of Key Points to be Included in the Sector Papers to be Presented at VG 2010  - Matt Berger, Office of National Statistics, United Kingdom</p>

Wednesday 16th of September

<b>Timetable</b>	<b>Subject</b>
09:30-10:30	<b>Host Country Day</b> Research in Statistics Norway: The Norwegian Economy - Torbjørn Eika (Statistics Norway)
10:30-10:45	<b>Coffee Break</b>
10:45-11:30	<b>Host Country Day continues</b> ISEE - Integrated System for Editing and Estimation - Ole Bredesen-Vestby and Fitwi Wolday (Statistics Norway)
12:00-13:30	<b>Lunch Break</b> - at The Opera House
13:30-17:30	<b>Field Trip</b>
19:00-21:00	<b>Dinner</b> - at The Ekeberg Restaurant

Thursday 17th of September

<b>Timetable</b>	<b>Subject</b>
09:00-10:30	<b>Presentation of Revisited Sector Papers</b> <b>Session leader: Louis Marc Ducharme, Statistics Canada</b> Revisited papers Louis Marc Ducharme - Statistics Canada Air Transportation - Statistics Austria (Christian Puchter) Rental and Leasing Services - Statistics Canada (Jean-Pierre Simard and Fred Barzyk) Employment Services - Statistics Poland (Agnieszka Matulska-Bachura)
10:30-10:45	<b>Coffee Break</b>
10:45-12:30	<b>Presentation of Revisited Sector Papers continues</b> <b>Session leader: Louis Marc Ducharme, Statistics Canada</b> Investigation and Security Services - Federal Statistical Office of Germany (Susanne Lorenz) - Statistics Israel (Ruth Vizner) Advertising and Market Research Services and Public Opinion Polling - Office of National Statistics, United Kingdom (Kat Pegler)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Czech Republic (Jiri Sulc)</li> <li>Real Estate, Excluding Imputed Rents</li> <li>- Statistics Finland (Sanna Nieminen)</li> <li>- United States Census Bureau (John Murphy)</li> </ul>
12:30-14:00	<p><b>Lunch</b></p> <p>Warm and Cold Buffet</p>
14:00-15:30	<p><b>Wholesale Trade</b></p> <p><b>Session leader: Vera Norrman, Statistics Sweden</b></p> <p>Introduction</p> <p>Vera Normann - session leader</p> <p>Draft to Sector Paper - Part 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Statistics Canada (Mary Beth Garneau)</li> </ul> <p>Trade margins in the National Accounts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Statistics Norway (Steinar Todsen)</li> </ul> <p>Draft to sector paper - Part 2</p> <p>Statistics Canada - (Mary Beth Garneau)</p> <p>Discussion - measurement suitable and applicable</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Statistics Sweden (Vera Norrman), Statistics Canada (Mary Beth Garneau)</li> </ul> <p>Conclusions</p> <p>Vera Normann (Statistics Sweden)</p>
15:30-16:00	<p><b>Coffee Break</b></p>
16:00-17:30	<p><b>Assessment of Revised Format for the Sector Papers and Revisited Sector Papers Incorporating Recommendations from VG 2008 Task Force 4</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Statistics Canada (Jean-Pierre Simard)</li> </ul>

Friday 18th of September

<b>Timetable</b>	<b>Subject</b>
09:00-10:30	<p><b>Session leader: Louis Marc Ducharme, Statistics Canada</b></p> <p>Future Agenda (and Discussion of Cross Cutting Issues and VG Priorities)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Mark Wallace, United States Census Bureau</li> </ul> <p>Assignment of the Sector Paper for Rail Transportation and Water Transportation</p> <p>Designation of Industries and Assignments for VG 2010 Mini-presentations – Part 1</p>

	(Turnover/output and SPPI: Banking and Credit, Insurance, Retail Trade, Cleaning and Facilities Support)
10:30-10:50	<b>Coffee Break</b>
10:50-12:30	<b>Session leader: Louis Marc Ducharme, Statistics Canada</b> Designation of Industries and Assignments for VG 2010 Mini-presentations – Part 2  Closing Remarks and Meeting Arrangements for Next Year - Louis Marc Ducharme, Statistics Canada