

Social Statistics

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11th meeting of the Siena Group hosted by Statistics Finland*PROGRAMME***Venue:**

Helsinki, Finland
Statistics Finland, Main Office
Conference Room at the 10th floor
Street address: Työpajankatu 13

February 9 – 11, 2005

9.00 – 9.30 am

Registration

Statistics Finland, Entrance Hall

Coffee

Lobby at the Conference Room, 10th floor

9.30 – 10.30

Opening addresses:

Conference Room, 10th floor

Welcoming address

Jussi Simpura, Director, Social Statistics, Statistics Finland

Opening addresses

Paul van der Laan, Siena Group

Michel Glaude, Eurostat

Practical information

Local organising committee

Coffee break

Wednesday 9 February 2005

THEME A: Concept and measurement of crime, justice and safety

11.00 – 12.30

Session A1 – Objectives and policy relevance

Chair: **Kauko Aromaa**, HEUNI, Finland

Why it is important to have crime statistics - and other information on crime?

Kauko Aromaa, HEUNI, Finland

What kind of crime statistics exist: standard production and service principles of a developed central statistical office

Risto Lättilä, Statistics Finland

12.30 – 14.00	Lunch
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14.00 – 15.00	<p>Session A4 Measurement of fear of crime Chair: Kauko Aromaa, HEUNI, Finland</p> <p>The fear of crime: how to measure, why, what implications? Professor Stephen Farrall, Keele University, UK</p> <p><i>Coffee break</i></p>
15.30 – 16.00	<p>Session A3 – Combining data from different sources Chair & speaker: Frits Huls, Statistics Netherlands</p> <p><i>Break</i></p>
16.15 – 17.45	<p>Session A2 – Data quality and international comparability crime Chair: Linda Laura Sabbadini, ISTAT, Italy</p> <p>The National Crime Victimization Survey; 32 years of measuring crime in the U.S. Michael Rand, U.S. Bureau of Justice Statistics, USA</p> <p>The British Crime Survey - the UK experience of measuring victimisation Alison Walker, Home Office, UK</p> <p>National surveys in the international context Angela Me</p> <p>Methodological problems of a victimization survey: an overview of a continuous working progress in Italy Maria Giuseppina Muratore, ISTAT, Italy</p>
18.00 – 20.00	<p>Conference dinner hosted by Statistics Finland</p>

Thursday 10 February 2005

Morning coffee

9.00 – 10.45 am	<p>Session B – Statistics on international migration Chair: Lars Østby, Statistics Norway</p> <p>Presentation of the ECE/Eurostat report on the 2010 Census Recommendations for International Migration Enrico Bisogno, UNECE</p> <p>Reactions to the report from a new EU member State Lucyna Nowak, Central Statistical Office in Poland</p> <p>Reactions from a Southern European Country</p>
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Maria Pia Sorvillo, ISTAT, Italy

Open discussion

Concluding remarks: **Doug Norris**, Canada

Break

11.00 – 12.30

Session C – Record-linking techniques

Chair: **Kirsten Wismer**, Statistics Denmark

Record Linking as a Shared Service – Methods and Organization at Statistics Netherlands

Paul van der Laan, Statistics Netherlands

Record linking of base registers and other administrative data systems – problems and methods

Svein Gåsemyr, Statistics Norway

Micro data for research and analyzes – possibilities and problems

Flemming Petersson, Jørn Korsbø Petersen and Ole Schnor, Statistics Denmark

(to be continued at 15.30)

Discussion after introduction by Statistics Denmark

12.30 - 14.00

Lunch

14.00 – 15.00

N.B: Auditorium, Statistics Finland, 2nd floor

Session D – Measuring Social Capital: the Siena Group Manual

Chair: **Penny Babb**, ONS, UK

Penny Babb and Trish McOrmond, ONS, UK: Introducing the Manual and its Chapter I

Aku Alanen and Jussi Simpura, Statistics Finland: Chapter II

Doug Norris, Statistics Canada: Chapter III

Coffee break

15.30 – 16.45

Session C – Record-linking techniques (continued)

Combining enterprise data to employment data in register-based employment statistics

Kaija Ruotsalainen, Statistics Finland

Administrative Sources in the Spanish Statistics System

Miguel Angel De Castro, National Statistics Institute INE, Spain

Opportunities for Statistical Data Linkage in the UK
Ben Humberstone, Office for National Statistics, UK

Discussion after introduction by **Tomaž Smrekar**, Slovenian Statistical Office

17.00 Transport downtown to The European Institute for Crime Prevention and Control, affiliated with the United Nations (HEUNI) & National Research Institute of Legal Policy (NRILP).

17.15 – Ancillary Mini Seminarium

Welcoming

Tapio Lappi-Seppälä, Director,
Introducing NRILP

Kauko Aromaa, Director, HEUNI
Introducing HEUNI

The Use of Official Statistics in Criminology: Some Remarks on Availability and Validity

Jukka Savolainen, NRILP

– 20.00 Reception

Friday 11 February 2005

Morning coffee

9.00 – 10.30 am **Session E – International statistical cooperation**
Chair: **Pierre Verdier**, INSEE, France

An example of main issues in international statistical cooperation in demographic and social statistics at a NSI: the case of INSEE, France

Pierre Verdier, INSEE, France

Results on international cooperation on measurement of poverty
Anna Szukielojć - Bieńkuńska, Central Statistical Office in Poland

Discussion after introduction by **Hilkka Vihavainen**, Statistics Finland

Coffee break

11.00 – 12.30 **Session F – Business meeting of Siena Group**
Chairs: **Jil Matheson**, ONS, UK and **Paul van der Laan**, Statistics Netherlands

12.30

CLOSING THE MEETING