



**International Workshop  
Integrating Geospatial and Statistical Information  
9 – 12 June 2014, Beijing, China**

**Program Agenda – 11 June 2014**

**MONDAY, 9 JUNE – Morning Session**

8:00am – 9:00am **Registration of Participants** – NASG Conference Venue

9:00am – 9:30am **Opening Ceremony**

Chair: Dr. Li Pengde, Deputy Director General, NASG of China

Speakers: Mr. Greg Scott, UN-GGIM Secretariat, United Nations Statistics Division  
Ms. Gemma Van Halderen, Co-Chair, UN Expert Group on the Integration of Statistical and Geospatial Information  
Mr. Kurexi Maihesuti, Vice Minister, Ministry of Land and Resources and Director General, NASG of China

9:30am – 10:00am **National Keynote Address**

Chair: Mr. Greg Scott, UN-GGIM Secretariat, UN Statistics Division

**Development and Integration of Geospatial Information in China**  
Dr. Li Pengde, Deputy Director General, NASG of China, **China**

Discussion: Facilitated by Chair

10:00am – 10:30 am *Break*

10:30am – 12:30pm **International Keynote Address**

Chair: Mr. Greg Scott, UN-GGIM Secretariat, UN Statistics Division

**Global Integration Challenges**  
Prof. Paul Cheung, Professor of Social Policy and Analytics, National University of Singapore, **Singapore**

**Integration: Geospatial Perspectives**  
Mr. Rolando Ocampo, Vice-President, INEGI, **Mexico**

**Integration: Statistical Perspectives**

Ms. Gemma Van Halderen, First Assistant Statistician, Australian Bureau of Statistics, **Australia**

Discussion: Facilitated by Chair

**MONDAY, 9 JUNE – Afternoon Session**

**Session 1: Country experiences in integrating statistical and geospatial information using geography**

Chair: Ms. Marie Haldorson, Statistics Sweden, **Sweden**

- 2:00pm – 3:30pm    Speaker:    Mr. Md. Nojibur Rahman, Secretary, Statistics and Information Division, Ministry of Planning, **Bangladesh**
- Speaker:    Mr. Sameh Al-Araimi, National Centre for Statistics and Information, **Sultanate of Oman**
- Speaker:    Ms. Marie-Therese Gopal, Director of GIS, National Bureau of Statistics, **Seychelles**
- Speaker:    Lt. Col. Eng. Mehmet Sabri Sehsuvaroglu, General Command of Mapping, **Turkey**
- Speaker:    Prof. Chen Jun, Chief Scientist of National Geomatics Center of China, **China**

Discussion: Facilitated by Chair

3:30pm – 4:00pm    *Break*

- 4:00pm – 5:30pm    Speaker:    Ms. Veniana Wainiqolo, Ministry of Lands and Mineral Resources, **Fiji**
- Speaker:    Mr. Adham Ali Makky, National Bureau of Statistics, **UAE**
- Speaker:    Ms. S. Enkhtuya, Chief of Spatial Data Infrastructure Department, Administration of Land Affairs, Geodesy and Cartography, **Mongolia**
- Speaker:    Ms. Rosalind Quartey, Ghana Statistical Service, **Ghana**

Discussion: Facilitated by Chair

**TUESDAY, 10 JUNE – Morning Session**

**Session 2: Approaches to determine and represent geographical units, including geocoding, for statistics**

Chair: Mr. Tim Trainor, US Census Bureau, **USA**

- 9:00am – 10:30am    Keynote:    Mr. Martin Brady, Australian Bureau of Statistics, **Australia**
- Speaker:    Mr. Janusz Dygaszewicz, Central Statistical Office, **Poland**

Speaker: Mr. Abdullah M. Alhamlan, Central Department of Statistics, **Saudi Arabia**

Discussion: Facilitated by Chair

*10:30am – 11:00am Break*

11:00am – 12:30pm Speaker: Mr Rachid Zoubir, High Commission for Planning, **Morocco**

Speaker: Mr. Elpidio Nogales Jr, Statistics Authority, **Philippines**

Speaker: Mr. Peter Nwilo, Surveyor General, **Nigeria**

Speaker: Mr. Sisira Tennakoon, Sri Lanka Survey Department, **Sri Lanka**

Discussion: Facilitated by Chair

## **TUESDAY, 10 JUNE – Afternoon Session**

### **Session 3: Comparison of grid-based versus administrative approaches to the collection, compilation and dissemination of statistics**

Chair: Ms. Gemma Van Halderen, Australian Bureau of Statistics, **Australia**

2:00pm – 3:30pm Keynote: Mr. Vincent Loonis, National Statistics Office, **France**

Speaker: Mr. Rolando Ocampo, INEGI, **Mexico**

Speaker: Ms. Isra Natalisa Ginting, BPS-Statistics Indonesia, **Indonesia**

Discussion: Facilitated by Chair

*3:30pm – 4:00pm Break*

4:00pm – 5:30pm Speaker: Mr. Tim Trainor, US Census Bureau, **USA**

Speaker: Prof. Zhang Jixian, President, Chinese Academy of Surveying and Mapping, **China**

Speaker: Ms. Emma Odhiambo, National Bureau of Statistics, **Kenya**

Discussion: Facilitated by Chair

## **WEDNESDAY, 11 JUNE – Morning Session**

### **Session 4: Statistical analysis of geospatial (environmental, social, etc.) information, and relevance of SDI's and international standards**

Chair: Mr. Rolando Ocampo, INEGI, **Mexico**

9:00am – 10:30am Keynote: Mr. Claudio Stenner, IBGE, **Brazil**

Speaker: Ms. Linda Peters, Business Geographer, ESRI, **USA**

Speakers: Mr. Ng Siau Yong and Mr. Jonathan Goh, Singapore Land Authority, **Singapore**

Discussion: Facilitated by Chair

*10:30am – 11:00am Break*

11:00am – 12:30pm Speaker: Mr. Krishna Raj, Ministry of Land Reform and Management, **Nepal**

Speaker: Ms. MennatAllah Anwar Ahmed Mohamed Hashim, CAPMAS, **Egypt**

Speaker: Mr. Martin Brady, Australian Bureau of Statistics, **Australia**

Discussion: Facilitated by Chair

### **WEDNESDAY, 11 JUNE – Afternoon Session**

**Session 5: Positioning for the future. Trends in technology, big data, 2020 Round of Censuses, and the post-2015 development agenda**

Chair: Prof. Paul Cheung, Professor of Social Policy and Analytics, National University of Singapore, **Singapore**

2:00pm – 3:30pm Keynote: Mr. Tim Trainor, US Census Bureau, **USA**

Speaker: Ms. Marie Haldorson, Statistics Sweden, **Sweden**

Speaker: Dr. Jiang Jie, Division Director, National Geomatics Center of **China**

Discussion: Facilitated by Chair

*3:30pm – 4:00pm Break*

4:00pm – 4:45pm Speaker: Ms. Gemma Van Halderen, Australian Bureau of Statistics, **Australia**

Speaker: Mr. Tarak Chandra Patra, Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation, **India**

Discussion: Facilitated by Chair

4:45pm – 5:30pm Summary: Co-Chairs, UN Expert Group on the Integration of Statistical and Geospatial Information

### **THURSDAY, 12 JUNE**

8:00am – 6:00pm **Technical Visits**