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Agenda

IUSSP Expert Meeting on Demography and the Post-2015 Data Revolution

9-10 October 2014

Location: Institut National d'Etudes Démographiques
Salle Alfred Sauvy, 1st floor, 133 Blvd. Davout, 75020 Paris, France

Objectives and meeting structure

The objective of the meeting is to involve demographers and population scientists in ongoing discussions on the data revolution and the Post-2015 Development Agenda in order to ensure that their expertise and insights are better represented in those discussions. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation has provided support to the IUSSP to mobilize the global community of demographers and population scientists on this issue. This first meeting is organized in collaboration with the Population Association of America (PAA).

During the meeting, participants are asked to apply their expertise and knowledge to consider the role that demographers and population scientists might play and the contributions the discipline can make to the data revolution. The workshop will take place over two days, to allow sufficient time for discussion of the various themes. It will use a mixture of presentations, plenary sessions and group work to encourage the cross-fertilisation of ideas.

Day 1 – Thursday 9 October 2014, Salle Alfred Sauvy (1st Floor, INED)

- 9:00 **Registration and Coffee**
- 9.30 **Welcome and introduction to the workshop**
Thomas LeGrand, IUSSP Vice President
Mary Ellen Zuppan, IUSSP Executive Director
Louise Shaxson, Overseas Development Institute, Meeting Facilitator
- 9:45 **Presentations: The why, what, who and when of the data revolution**
- Why do we need a data revolution now?**
Patrick Gerland (United Nations Population Division)
Alex Ezeh (African Population and Health Research Center)
- What, who, and when: background on the data revolution and the Post-2015 Development Agenda.**
Emma Samman (ODI) – The background to the data revolution: what tools are available to monitor and foster progress?
Sabrina Juran (UNFPA) – The data revolution and the Post-2015 Development Agenda
- 11:15-11:30 *Break*

- 11:30 **Identifying the main issues for discussion**
Plenary Session
- 12:00 **Identifying desired outcomes**
Group work – Breakout rooms : Salle Sauvy, 42 RDJ, 324, 550
- 13:00 -14:00 *Lunch – (INED cafeteria)*
- 14:00 **Discussing and critiquing the outcomes**
Plenary Session
- 14:45 **Ensuring complete coverage**
Plenary Session
- 15:15 *Break*
- 15:30 **Backcasting: developing a possible timeline for action**
Group work leading to a “market place” – Breakout rooms: Salle Sauvy, 42 RDJ, 433, 550
- 17:30 *Close of day 1 followed by a Cocktail reception in Salle Sauvy*

19:30 Dinner at Café le Papillon 144 rue de Bagnolet 75020 Paris, tel. 0143733855

Day 2 – Friday 10 October 2015, Salle Alfred Sauvy (1st Floor, INED)

- 9:00 *Coffee*
- 9:30 **Reflections on the previous day** *Tom Moultrie, Tom LeGrand, & Louise Shaxson*
Plenary session
- 10:00 **Identifying risks to an emerging agenda**
Group work leading to a Market Place- Breakout rooms in Salle Sauvy, 42 RDJ, 210, & 550
- 11:15-11:30 *Break*
- 11:30 **The role of demography and demographers in the data revolution** *Tom Moultrie/Tom LeGrand*
Plenary session
- 13:00-14:00 *Lunch (INED Cafeteria)*
- 14:00 **Developing a strategy to bring about a data revolution**
Plenary Session
- 15:30-16:00 **Wrap up, next steps, thanks and closure** *Tom Moultrie*

List of participants (alphabetical order)

Francesco Billari	Professor of Sociology and Demography, Fellow of Nuffield College, University of Oxford
Suzana Cavenaghi	Researcher-Professor, National School of Statistical Science at the Brazilian Institute of Geography and Statistics - ENCE/IBGE
Samuel Clark	Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Washington
Geraldine Duthé	Researcher, Institut National d'Etudes Démographiques (INED)
Alex Ezeh	Executive Director, African Population and Health Research Center, Kenya
Patrick Gerland	Senior Analyst, United Nations Population Division (Population Estimates and Projections Section), New York
Stephane Helleringer	Assistant Professor of Demography, Columbia University, New York
Sabrina Juran	Technical Specialist, Data and Research, UNFPA, New York
Sunita Kishor	Technical Director, Demographic and Health Survey Program, ICCF, Washington, D.C.
Sanjay Kumar	National Programme Officer for Monitoring and Evaluation, UNFPA, India
Tom LeGrand	Professor of Demography, Université de Montréal, Canada
Emmanuel Letouzé	Co-Founder and Director, Data-Pop Alliance
Vane Lumumba	Deputy Director, Research and Policy, National Council for Population and Development, Kenya
Gora Mboup	Founder, Global Observatory linking Research Action (GORA)
Bob McCaa	IPUMS-International, Minnesota Population Center
France Meslé	Research Director, Institut National d'Etudes Démographiques (INED)
Tom Moultrie	Associate Professor of Demography, Centre For Actuarial Research (CARE), University of Cape Town, South Africa
Magued Osman	Director, Baseera Centre, Egypt
Rachel Quint	William and Flora Hewlett Foundation
Emma Samman	Research Fellow, Overseas Development Institute, United Kingdom
Louise Shaxson	Research Fellow, Overseas Development Institute, United Kingdom
John A. Strauss	Professor of Economics, University of Southern California
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