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DAY ONE	WEDNESDAY 24 March		
8:00am	Registration, Tea and coffee – Main foyer, Te Papa		
8:45am - 9:00am	Mihi whakatau , followed by a welcoming address from the Minister of Statistics, the Hon Maurice Williamson		
9:00am - 9:40am	Opening Address (ST) Geoff Bascand, Government Statistician , Statistics New Zealand		
9:40am - 10:20am	Keynote Address (ST) Gary Banks AO, Chairman of the Australian Productivity Commission Statistics, Productivity and Structural Reform		
10:20am - 10:50am	Morning Tea (OR)		
10:50am - 12:00pm	Panel (ST) Making the most of Official Statistics in challenging times Dennis Trewin AO, former Australian Statistician and an Associate Commissioner at the Australian Productivity Commission (Chair and panellist) David Smol, Chief Executive, Ministry of Economic Development Sir Peter Gluckman, Chief Science Advisor to the Prime Minister Alan Bollard, Governor, Reserve Bank of New Zealand		
12:00pm - 1:00pm	Lunch (OR)		
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Session 1 1:00pm - 1:40pm	Measuring New Zealand's Progress Using a Sustainable Development Approach: 2008 Rachael Milichich Statistics New Zealand Stream 3 - Real life	Applicability of European and OECD environment-related concepts and indicators for New Zealand's agriculture and forestry Susanne von Muenchhausen Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry Stream 1 - Where to next?	Digital Continuity Action Plan – Collaborative Long-term Information and Data Management across the New Zealand Public Sector Euan Cochrane Archives New Zealand Stream 2 - Working smarter
Session 2 1:40pm - 2:20pm	Getting more out of a survey – case of the Adult Literacy and Life Skills (ALL) survey David Earle, Paul Satherley Ministry of Education Stream 3 - Real life	New developments in geospatial data visualisation and analysis at Statistics New Zealand Rosemary Goodyear Statistics New Zealand The new dataset in town: the New Zealand General Social Survey Conal Smith, Statistics New Zealand Stream 1 - Where to next?	The Industry Skills Toolkit: Using data to better match industry demand with tertiary education and training supply - a practical tool Jenny Connor Industry Training Federation Stream 2 - Working smarter
Session 3 2:20pm - 3:00pm	The New Zealand Knowledge Economy Simon Brown Department of Labour Stream 2 - Working smarter	Improving Securities Statistics – how the development of a security-by-security database can help improve the quality of New Zealand's macroeconomic statistics Rochelle Barrow Reserve Bank of New Zealand Stream 1 - Where to next?	Informing the Debate on Population Ageing in New Zealand Mansoor Khawaja and Bill Boddington Statistics New Zealand Stream 3 - Real life
3:00pm – 3:30pm	Afternoon Tea (OR)		

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Session 4 3:30pm – 4:10pm	Making the OSS work for you including a case study from the Ministry of Tourism Stream 1 - Where to next? Bruce Bassett Ministry of Tourism Clare Ward Statistics New Zealand	Reuse, reinterpretation and representation of government data: the Environment Ministry experience Todd Kriebel Ministry for the Environment Stream 2 - Working smarter	The Invisible made Visible: Application of the Non-profit Institutions Satellite Account: 2004 by the non-profit sector, government and business James King Office of the Community and Voluntary Sector With Dennis Trewin, former Australian Statistician and an Associate Commissioner at the Australian Productivity Commission Stream 3 - Real life
4.10pm – 5.20pm	Panel (ST) Microdata access in national statistical offices Chair: Arthur Grimes - Motu Economic and Public Policy Research Felix Ritchie - Senior Microeconomist and Head of Microdata Analysis and User Support, UK Office for National Statistics Philip Stevens - Chief Advisor, Economic Strategy, Ministry of Economic Development Gary Dunnet - Manager, Business Performance and Agriculture, Statistics New Zealand		

5:30pm - 7:30pm Networking Function (OR) – sponsored by



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DAY TWO		THURSDAY 25 March		
8:00am - 9:00am	Tea and coffee (OR)			
9:00am - 10:00pm	Panel (ST) Ethnicity in official statistics Chair: Cathryn Ashley-Jones, Deputy Government Statistician, Social and Population Statistics Tahu Kukutai - Senior Research Fellow, Population Studies Centre, University of Waikato Colin James - Political Journalist & Analyst Paul Brown - Principal Statistician, Statistics New Zealand			
10:00am - 10:20am	Keynote Address (ST) Hon Bill English, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance The importance of official statistics and open government to New Zealand's progress			
10:20am - 10:40am	Morning Tea (OR)			
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Session 5 10:40am - 11:20am	Easier Access to Statistical Data - Collaborating for a Common Approach Michael Beahan Australian Bureau of Statistics Stream 1 - Where to next?	Exploring the potential for new family statistics and new family transitions research drawing on the Household Labour Force Survey Moira Wilson Ministry of Social Development/Statistics New Zealand Stream 2 - Working smarter	Geo-visualisation and policy: exploring the links Philip S. Morrison Victoria University of Wellington An Official Statistics Research project Stream 3 - Real life	
Session 6 11:20am - 12:20pm	Building Statistical Capability in NSW Government - A Case Study Chris Libreri Australian Bureau of Statistics The Australian Health Survey - facing new challenges Trevor Sutton Australian Bureau of Statistics Stream 2 - Working smarter	Employment Outcomes of Tertiary Education (EOTE) Part 1: What do students earn after their tertiary education? David Scott Ministry of Education Part 2: Does workplace-based industry training improve earnings? Sarah Crichton Department of Labour Stream 1 - Where to next?	Why Census Matters Key users of census data discuss its use with Carol Slappendel, General Manager of the 2011 Census Ron Lovell Ministry of Social Development Balt Gregorius New Zealand Transport Agency Stream 3 - Real life	
12:20pm - 1:10pm	Lunch (OR)			
1:10pm - 2.10pm	Panel (ST) Looking beyond GDP Chair: Hon David Caygill, Chair of the Advisory Committee on Official Statistics Len Cook - Former New Zealand and UK Government Statistician Brian Pink - Australian Statistician, Australian Bureau of Statistics Peter Bushnell - consultant and member of the Advisory Committee on Official Statistics			

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Session 7 2:10pm – 2:50pm	Official statistics and economic policy Perspectives on Savings Grant Scobie, The Treasury Perspectives on Productivity Bryce Wilkinson, Capital Economics Ltd Stream 3 - Real life	Publishing of Tax Statistics – Filling the Gap Michael Slyuzberg Inland Revenue The whole is greater than the sum of the parts: Cross agency collaboration in evaluating large scale policy initiatives Valmai Copeland Inland Revenue Stream 2 - Working smarter	Does the current New Zealand case definition of serious non-fatal injuries miss a material number of serious injury cases? Colin Cryer Injury Prevention Research Unit, Dunedin School of Medicine, Otago University Stream 1 - Where to next?
Session 8 2:50pm - 3:30pm	Costs of raising children in New Zealand Iris Claus, Inland Revenue Stream 1 - Where to next?	Using islands of data for town and country planning Kelvin Norgrove, Tony Batistich Strateg.Ease Ltd Stream 2 - Working smarter	The use of the official statistics in health workforce modelling Nikolai Minko District Health Board New Zealand Stream 3 - Real life
3:30pm - 3:50pm	Afternoon Tea (OR)		
3:50pm - 4:50pm	Panel (ST) Where to next – a panel discusses key themes and areas of future work identified during the preceding two days Chair: Dallas Welch, Deputy Government Statistician, Macro-Economic and Environment Statistics, Statistics New Zealand Paul Reynolds, Chief Executive and Secretary for the Environment, Ministry for the Environment Leith Comer, Chief Executive, Te Puni Kokiri Karen Sewell, Chief Executive and Secretary for Education, Ministry of Education Hon David Caygill, Chair of the Advisory Committee on Official Statistics		
4:50pm	Thanks, acknowledgments and farewell Geoff Bascand, Statistics New Zealand		