

Outcomes of in-depth reviews carried out by the CES Bureau

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Emerging issues in statistical communication

STATISTICS



- Reviewed in October 2017
- Paper by Ireland
- Strong support to consider communications from strategic viewpoint
- HLG-MOS selected strategic communication for its project in 2018, work launched in February 2018 with a sprint session
- CES seminar on strategies for statistical communication on 19 June 2018 – decisions for future work

Gaps in gender statistics

STATISTICS



- Reviewed in February 2018
- Paper by Mexico and UNECE
- Support for the main priorities identified in the paper (time-use surveys, unpaid work, violence against women, and use of new data sources and new technologies)
- CAs undertaking methodological work on indicators
- Most notable outstanding area is communication of gender statistics (challenging due to often emotive political and public debates on gender issues)
- Bureau decided on the following future work:
 - Establishment of TF on communication of gender statistics
 - In-depth review of measuring gender identity in February 2019

Measuring social exclusion

STATISTICS



- Reviewed in February 2018
- Paper by Canada and Mexico
- Definitions should be clarified (social exclusion, social cohesion, distinct from poverty and material deprivation)
- High demand for data
- Communication challenging
- Needed to develop a general framework for measuring social exclusion, defining concepts for statistical measurement, collecting case studies, and developing guidance on how to communicate
- Bureau set up a Task Force on social exclusion on Monday- countries interested to participate, please contact Andres.Vikat@un.org