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Provisional agenda

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DAY I. MIGRATION DATA AND POLICY NEEDS

	REGISTRATION AND OPENING
08:30 - 09:00	Registration
09:00 - 09:10	Opening and presentation of the workshop, **Paolo Valente**, UNECE Statistical Division
09:10 - 09:20	Opening remarks by:
09:20 - 09:30	**- Gulnara Kadyrkulova**, UNFPA Regional Office,
09:30 - 09:40	- **Ibrahim Cagan Kaya**, TurkSTAT, Turkish Statistical Institute
09:40 - 09:50	- Ice-breaking exercise – self-introduction of participants
	- Presentation of the Practical Guide for Countries of Eastern Europe and Central Asia, **Olga Chudinovskikh**, UNECE Consultant
SESSION I	**Migration Data and Policy Needs**
	Moderator: Paolo Valente
09:50 - 10:05	**Pablo Lattes -** Population Division/UN DESA - *The global migration debate: What data do we need to close the evidence-gap?*
10:05 - 10:20	**Marina Manke,** IOM Vienna - *OSCE/IOM Project - Outcome of the Harmonised Data Collection as a Sound Basis for Policy-Making Project*
10:20 - 10:40	**Discussion**
10:40 - 11:00	**Coffee and tea break**
SESSION I	**Migration Data and Policy Needs (continued)**
	Moderator: Paolo Valente
11:00 - 11:15	**Valentina Ungureanu**, Migration Department, Ministry of Labour and Social Protection – *Migration Profiles: Implementation by the Republic of Moldova*
11:15 - 11:30	**Marina Manke,** IOM Vienna – *(Extended) Migration Profiles Global Approach – complementary to the presentation by Valentina Ungureanu*
11:30 - 11:45	**Dr. Banu Akadlı Ergöçmen**, Hacettepe University Institute of Population Studies, Turkey – *Review of Migration Policy Responses in EECA*
11:45 - 12:10	**Discussion**
12:10 - 13:50	**Lunch break**

SESSION II	**Harmonizing Data Collection**
	Moderator: Pablo Lattes
13:50 - 14:05	**Mairambek Beshimov**, Department for Regulation of Migration Processes, Ministry of Labour, Employment and Migration of the Kyrgyz Republic – *Regulation on Data Collection and Exchange in Kyrgyzstan*
14:05 - 14:15	**Olga Chudinovskikh**, UNECE Consultant - *Current Situation in the Russian Federation.*
14:15 - 14:25	**Kiril Levshin,** Information Management, Federal Migration Service, Russian Federation - *Reflection of migration flows in the Russian Federation within information-analytical geo-model, developed by the FMS.*
14:25 - 14:35	**Natalia Kiseleva,** Department of Statistics Population and Health, State Statistics Service (Rosstat) – *Trends in statistical records and development of migration statistics in the Russian Federation*.
14:35 - 14:50	**Natalia Chubinizde**, Civil Registry Agency of Georgia - *Reforming System of registration and service delivery, changes in migration management*
14:50 - 15:10	**Discussion**
15:10 - 15:30	**Coffee and tea break**
SESSION III	**Methods and Approaches of Data Collection**
	Moderator: Gulnara Kadyrkulova
15:30 - 15:45	**Elkhan Valiyev,** State Migration Service of Republic of Azerbaijan – *Unified System of Migrant Recording*
15:45 - 16:00	**Dina Pimakhova,** Department on Passport and Citizenship, State Migration Services of Ukraine – *Administrative Data Sources of State Migration Service*
16:00 - 16:20	**Discussion**
16:20 - 16:35	**Gulnara Djalobaeva**, Labour and Employment Statistics Department, National Statistical Committee of the Kyrgyz Republic – *Comparative analysis of the results of the existing surveys on Labour Migration in the Kyrgyz Republic.*
16:35 - 16:50	**Aleksei Yarkovets,** Department of Demographic Statistics, National Statistical Committee of the Republic of Belarus – *Development of Migration Module in the 2010 Round of Population Census.*
16:50 - 17:00	**Discussion**
17:40 - 18:40	**Welcoming cocktail**

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DAY II - DATA COLLECTION AND EXCHANGE

SESSION IV	**UNECE Clearinghouse on Migration Statistics**
09:30 – 09:40	Introduction by **Olga Chudinovskikh**, UNECE Consultant
09:40 - 09:50	**Paolo Valente**, UNECE Statistical Division - *Presentation of Clearinghouse Project and Demonstration of Database*
9:50 - 10:00	**Ayima Okeeva**, UNECE Statistical Division - *Summary of the Results of the Data Collection Exercise*
10:00 - 10:15	**Olga Chudinovskikh**, UNECE Consultant - *Data Comparability: User Perspective*
10:15 - 10:40	Group exercise on the UNECE Clearinghouse
10:40 - 11:00	**Reporting and discussion**
11:00 – 11:20	**Coffee and tea break**
SESSION V	**Data Collection Initiatives by International Organizations**
	Moderator: Marina Manke
11:20 - 11:35	**Pablo Lattes**, Population Division/UN DESA - *Migration data collection in the Region.*
11:35 - 11:50	**Natalia Kulikovskaya**, Department of Social Sphere and Trade Statistics of Interstate Statistical Committee of the CIS – *CISSTAT Approach to Data Collection.*
11:50 - 12:05	**Erwin Tiongson,** World Bank – *Improving Migration and Remittance Statistics in ECA and CIS region under MIRPAL and the broader Migration program of the World Bank.*
12:05 - 12:20	**Yelda Devlet,** IOM Istanbul - *Information Basis, Methodology of Data Collection and Development for the Research on Youth Migration.*
12:20 - 12:40	**Discussion**
12:40 – 14:10	**Lunch break**
SESSION V	**Data Collection Initiatives by International Organizations (continued)**
	Moderator: Olga Chudinovskikh
14:10 - 15:10	Group exercise on data collection initiatives
15:10 - 15:30	Reporting and Discussion
15:30 – 15:50	**Coffee and tea break**
SESSION VI	**Wrap-up and Closing**
15:50 – 16:10	Wrap-up: summary of main items discussed at the workshop and closing remarks, **- Olga Chudinovskikh,** UNECE Consultant **- Paolo Valente**, UNECE; **- Gulnara Kadyrkulova**, UNFPA.