







WORK PROGRAMME

WEBINAR SERIES ON UTILIZATION OF REGISTERS AND ADMINISTRATIVE DATA IN CENSUS PROGRAMMES OF PACIFIC ISLAND COUNTRIES

Theme: 2020+ the era of Administrative data; looking into the role of registers and administrative data in Census programmes of Pacific Island countries

DATE	TITLE OF SESSION	AREAS TO BE COVERED	SPEAKERS
29 th Jul.	Webinar 1: International developments in Census methods in recent years: A review of the 2010 round and future prospects.	Introduction to the scope, aims and format of the project. Outline of the programme.	SPC
		Background to census approaches (UN), developments in traditional censuses in recent years, summary of countries using different methods.	
		The 2020 World Population and Housing Census Programme: the UN methodological Framework and the mid-decade assessment of census approaches.	UNSD
		Use of administrative data for Covid-19 – opportunities to build relationships & data supplies.	UNECE
12 th Aug.	Webinar 2: What role can registers play in meeting the data requirements sought by a Population and Housing census?	The Netherlands register-based census: Rationale, approaches, pros and cons and key experiences and lessons learnt.	Statistics Netherlands
		A synthesis of key insights and lessons learnt from the adoption of register or administrative data for census statistics in different parts of the world.	SPC
		National Strategies for the development of Statistics (NSDSs); a critical requirement in strengthening use of administrative data/registers for official statistics.	Paris 21
26 th Aug.	Webinar 3: Understanding the key requirements for the utilisation of registers for census statistics.	The pre-requisites, advantages, and disadvantages of Register Based Censuses (implementation of fully register and combined census methods). Legal issues and public acceptance etc.	SPC
		Civil registration systems and their critical role in the development of functional Population registers for register-based vital statistics	
		Lessons from Indonesia: the journey towards application of combined methods for the 2020 census.	Statistics Indonesia

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9 th Sept.	Webinar 4: Register based statistics: Where a population register, and unique identification system is in place.	The Swedish register-based census: Rationale, approaches, pros and cons and key experiences and lessons learnt.	Statistics Sweden (TBC)
		Register-based censuses in the Nordic countries (i.e. Denmark, Sweden, Finland, Norway) – summary of approaches, timelines, lessons etc.	SPC
		Lessons from Austria; journey to Register based census in ten years Plus linking Identifiable records.	
16 th Sept.	Webinar 5: Register based statistics: In the absence of a population register or a unique identification system.	Administrative Data Census for England and Wales – Progress, challenges and lessons learned.	UK statistics office
		Combined censuses - Spain (2011), Italy, Germany.	SPC
		Key lessons on the use of registers/ administrative data in addressing gaps in the 2018 New Zealand Census.	Statistics New Zealand
30 th Sept.	Webinar 6: Pacific Island examples of approaches to census taking and experiences on access and use of registers/administrative of in the census. Looking into what admin data might potentially be available and useful — any barriers (e.g. capacity, le issues etc.). Next steps: guidance on approach to phase 2 of the project	Pacific Countries	
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