CNSTAT Public Seminar

Transparency in Statistical Information for Federal Statistical Agencies

December 17, 2021
Agenda

Friday, December 17, 2021

1:00pm EST — **Welcome and introductions**
- Brian Harris-Kojetin, *Committee on National Statistics*

1:05 — **Main themes of the report**
- Sarah Nusser, *Iowa State University*

1:15 — **The value of archiving data used in the development of official statistics and the statistics themselves**
- Margaret Levenstein, *University of Michigan*

1:25pm — **Software tools useful for documenting methods used in production federal statistics**
- Lars Vilhuber, *Cornell University*

1:35pm — **Benefits of the adoption of metadata standards and tools in the production of official statistics**
- Dan Gillman, *Bureau of Labor Statistics*
- David Barraclough, *OECD*

1:45 — **Reactions to the repot** (10 minutes each)
- Emilda Rivers, *National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics*
- Pascal Heus, *Metadata Technology North America*
- Nancy Potok, *formerly, Office of Management and Budget*

2:15 — **Q&A**

2:30pm EST — **Adjournment**

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