

SIAP Information

Fourteenth session of Governing Council of the Statistical Institute for Asia and the Pacific [26 - 27 November 2018 | Incheon, Republic of Korea]

The fourteenth session of its Governing Council was held from 26 to 27 November in Incheon, Republic of Korea. Six members of the Governing Council: China, Japan, Pakistan, Philippines, Republic of Korea and Russian Federation and eight observers participated in the session. During the session the Governing Council reviewed activities and status in 2018, work programme, implementation plan and financial plan for 2019, and programme of work to formulate the 2020—2024 strategic plan of SIAP.



Training Programme on Theory and Practices in Official Statistics for Monitoring Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

[27 August - 7 December 2018 | Chiba, Japan | in collaboration with JICA]

As a part of the curriculum of the training programme a field trip to Okayama Prefecture and Gifu Prefecture, Japan, was held from 24 to 26 October 2018.

The participants visited the Prefectural Government Offices. They also visited the survey location of the Family Income and Expenditure Survey and observed the collecting data for the surveys by an enumerator.

All 23 participants completed this course on 7 December 2018.

This year Bowman prize winner of the course is Ms. Carla Irene Castillo from Department of Studies and Analysis, National Office of Statistics and Censuses, Ecuador.

Events Highlights

Fifth Regional Training Course on the National Strategy for the Development of Statistics (NSDS) and Advanced Data Planning Tool (ADAPT) [6—9 November 2018 | Chiba, Japan | in collaboration with PARIS21]

Eighteen officers from ten countries participated in the course.

This workshop on the Advanced Data Planning Tool (ADAPT), an innovative web-based planning tool for National Statistical Offices, national planning agencies, and other data producers to document data demands and supply and identify the data gaps in policy, planning and monitoring frameworks.



Workshop on Gender Statistics for SDG Indicators

[12—16 November 2018 | Chiba, Japan | in collaboration with UNSD, Japan, UNECE and UN Women]

Fourteen statistical officers from National Statistical Offices from fourteen countries participated in the course.

This workshop provided an opportunity to participants to learn the basic concepts, compilation and analysis related to gender statistics through hands-on sessions, with the overall aim of enhancing the capacity to produce a set of gender related indicators, to track and monitor Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

Regional Course on SDG Indicators: Measuring decent work in the context of the SDGs [19—22 November 2018 | Chiba, Japan | in collaboration with ILO]

Thirty two officers from fifteen countries and two international organizations participated in the course.

This regional course aims to better equip national and international stakeholders in the new SDGs statistical monitoring system. It is designed to enhance institutional capacity to identify, collect, analyse and disseminate labour market information and other indicators related to decent work.

Regional Course on SDG Indicators under FAO Custodianship

[26—30 November 2018 | Chiba, Japan | in collaboration with FAO]

Twenty two statistical officers from sixteen countries and FAO participated in the course.

The course aimed at strengthening the technical capacity of national statistical offices to compile the SDG indicators under FAO custodianship and report them at national and international levels.



Regional Workshop on Gender Statistics and SDG Indicators 5.a.1 and 5.a.2 [10—13 December 2018 | Bangkok Thailand | in collaboration with FAO]

Twenty five officers from eleven countries participated in the course.

The regional workshop aims to raise awareness and build technical capacity of national experts in Asia and the Pacific region in terms of the importance and use of sex-disaggregated statistics in agriculture, and for compilation, use and reporting of SDG indicators 5.a.1 and 5.a.2.

Coming up Events

- ⇒ Training Programme on Innovations in Use of New Data Sources and Methodologies for SDG Statistics. [28 January—8 March 2019 | Chiba, Japan | in collaboration with JICA]