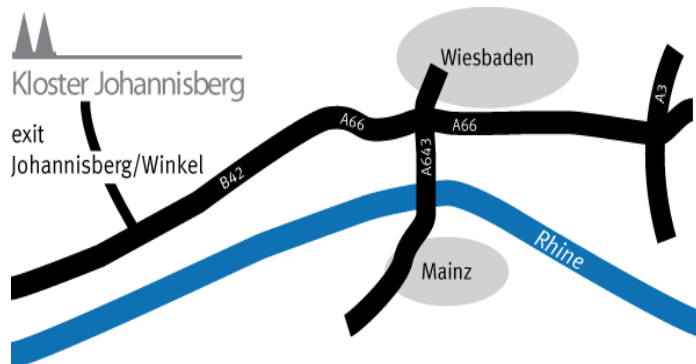


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TO EUROPEAN MICRODATA

Workshop
June, 17th – 18th 2010
Kloster Johannisberg



Ways of Decentralised Access to EU-Microdata

The demand for data of scientific researchers is tending towards confidential microdata with light anonymisation procedures. The only way to access EU comparable detailed micro data is to visit the Eurostat's Safe-Centre in Luxembourg. Besides, the full remote access solution still has to be implemented, a practical alternative is to allow so-called "guest researchers" to visit a National Statistical Institute's Research Data Centre or Safe-Centre which would deposit EU microdata.

The ESSnet project "DECENTRALISED ACCESS TO EU MICRODATA SETS" has studied and assessed different possibilities to widen the access with a practical focus on the practical alternative.

The goal of this workshop is to share with Member States the results of this study, to discuss possible implementation (piloting) of the results, the remaining barriers (legal, IT, cultural) and to develop both a short term action plan and a longer term vision of an EU infrastructure to access confidential data of official statistics. It should allow an exchange of view between NSIs and the researchers' community.

Program 1st day

- 11⁰⁰ Welcome and Introduction**
Eckart Hohmann (RatSWD)
- Harmonisation and Improvements in European Data Access**
Sibylle von Oppeln-Bronikowski (Destatis)
- Status and Perspectives of Official Statistics, European Microdata Access and Legal Framework**
Rainer Muthmann (Eurostat)
- Future Developments at European Level**
Wolf Reuter (Eurostat)
- 13⁰⁰ Lunch**
- 14⁰⁰ Decentralised Access to EU-Microdatasets**
Chair: Luisa Franconi (ISTAT)
- Results and Recommendations**
Maurice Brandt (RDC of Destatis)
- Long Term Aims**
Richard Welpton (ONS)
- 15³⁰ Coffee Break**
- 16⁰⁰ Standardisation**
Chair: Jean-Marc Museux (EUROSTAT)
- Safe Data and Results : Output Checking & Tools**
Anco Hundepool (CBS)
- The need for a RDC network and for sharing data in an RDC approach, Stefan Bender (RDC of the BA at the IAB)**
- 17³⁰ End of First Day**
- 18³⁰ Dinner at "Weingut Ankermühle"**

Program 2nd day

- 9⁰⁰ Researchers Needs and Ongoing Projects**
Chair: Denis Huschka (RatSWD)
- Access to European Microdata from Official Statistics: A Researcher's Perspective**
Christof Wolf (GESIS)
- Requirements for European Tax Micro Data from a Scientific Perspective** *Ralf Maiterth (University of Hanover)*
- Building together a European Access to Confidential Microdata : Main Issues and Recent Initiatives,** *Roxane Silberman (Réseau Quetelet and CESSDA)*
- 10³⁰ Coffee Break**
- 11⁰⁰ Round Table: Development of the Long Term Vision**
Chair: Sibylle von Oppeln-Bronikowski (Destatis)
- Luisa Franconi (ISTAT)*
Jean-Marc Museux (Eurostat)
Paul Jackson (ONS)
Markus Zwick (RDC of Destatis)
Roxane Silberman (CESSDA)
- 13⁰⁰ End of Workshop**