



# Workshop on Statistical Data Dissemination and Communication

25-27 June 2018, Cork, Ireland

25 April 2018

# Information Notice No. 2

### I. DATE AND VENUE OF THE MEETING

1. The 2018 Workshop on Statistical Data Dissemination and Communication will be hosted by CSO Ireland from 25 to 27 June 2018. The meeting will commence at 9:00 local time on Monday and is planned to finish on Wednesday at 12:30.

2. The workshop will take place at:

Clayton Hotel Cork City Lapps Quay Cork, Ireland T12 RD6E https://www.claytonhotelcorkcity.com/

Signposts will be in place to guide you to the conference room.

3. Only delegates who have registered prior to the meeting will be able to enter the meeting venue. You will need to present a photographic ID at registration on the first day.

## II. WEBSITE AND DOCUMENTATION

4. The working language of the workshop is English. All documents will be provided in English only. Presentations and papers for the workshop will be made available on the meeting web site at: <u>https://statswiki.unece.org/x/RQGSCQ</u>

5. Documents posted on the website before the workshop will not be distributed in the conference room. You are encouraged to save paper by reading documents on your electronic device where feasible. A wireless Internet connection will be available in the meeting room.

## III. ACCOMODATION AND TRANSPORT

6. Participants are requested to make their own travel arrangements and hotel reservations, and are reminded that they are responsible for covering all related costs.

7. It is possible to stay at the conference hotel, but there are also many other hotels located within walking distance to the meeting venue. In the annex to this note, you will find a list of recommended hotels and how to get to and from the venue.

8. Cork is located in the south of Ireland, about 250 kilometres south-west of Dublin. Cork has an airport, which is located 6.5 kilometres south of the city. More information about how to travel to Cork can be found in the annex.

### IV. SOCIAL EVENTS

9. The following social events are planned during the meeting:

- (i) Sunday 24 June: Ice-breaker drinks
- (ii) Monday 25 June: Walking tour of Cork
- (iii) Tuesday 26 June: Subscription dinner

More detailed information about the events, including registration, will be sent closer to the workshop.

#### V. FURTHER INFORMATION

10. For further information, please contact:

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#### ANNEX: ACCOMMODATION AND TRAVEL INFORMATION

Hotels within walking distance of conference venue:

Jurys Inn Cork Anderson's Quay, Cork, T12 DCR9 Tel: +353 21 494 3000 Email: jurysinncork@jurysinns.com https://www.jurysinns.com/hotels/cork Overlooking the River Lee. 5-minute walk from Kent Train Station. New Ambassador Hotel & Health Club Military Hill St. Luke's Cork City Tel: +353 (0)21 4539000 Fax: +353 (0)21 4551997 Reservations Manager: Rhona Heggtveit - rhona@ambassadorhotel.ie Website: www.ambassadorhotelcork.ie Cork centre is a 15-minute walk away. Cork Airport is just 7 km away. Montenotte Hotel Middle Glanmire Road, Cork, Ireland Tel.: +353 (0)21 453 0050 Email: reservations@themontenottehotel.com https://www.themontenottehotel.com/ One kilometre from Cork city centre. In a tranquil location, it offers spacious modern rooms, a pool and free parking. \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ Metropole Hotel **MacCurtain Street** Cork City **T23 EEC3** T: +353 (21) 464 3700 Email: reservations@themetropolehotel.ie https://www.themetropolehotel.ie/ \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ Imperial Hotel 76 South Mall Cork, IrelandT12 A2YT Tel: +353 21 4274040 Email: reservations@imperialhotelcork.ie https://www.flynnhotels.com/Imperial\_Hotel\_Cork/ Located in the very heart of Cork city, The Imperial Hotel is less than a minute's walk from Cork's main shopping district. It boasts spacious rooms and the luxurious Escape Spa. Kent Train Station is a 10-minute walk from the hotel. \_\_\_\_\_ Hotel Isaacs 48 Mac Curtain Street

48 Mac Curtain Street Cork Ireland T23 F6EK E-mail: info@hotelisaacscork.com Tel: +353 21 4500011

https://www.hotelisaacscork.com/

This boutique hotel is just a 5-minute walk from the city centre. It offers spacious rooms, the Greene's Restaurant and a courtyard with a floodlit waterfall. Kent railway Station and Cork Bus station, with buses to Cork Airport, are only a 10-minute walk away.

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Maldron Hotel Shandon John Redmond Street, Shandon, Cork City Ireland +353 21 452 9200 info.cork@maldronhotels.com https://www.maldronhotelshandoncorkcity.com/

Newly refurbished, the 4-star Maldron Hotel Shandon Cork is located in Cork's city centre, just a few minutes' walk from St. Patrick's Street and Opera Lane. It features a leisure centre. Cork Kent Station is 1.2km from our hotel, approximately 10-15 minutes' walk or €5 by taxi (depending on traffic).

Ashley Hotel Coburg Street, Cork City Phone: 00 353 (0)21 4501518 Fax: 00 353 (0)21 4501178 Email: info@ashleyhotel.com https://www.ashleyhotel.com/index.html This 3-star hotel has a prime city-centre location near shops theatres, galleries, vibrant bars and restaurants. The hotel is an 8km journey from the airport, and a 10-minute walk from the train and bus stations.

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#### Cork city hotels where you would require bus or taxi to conference venue:

River Lee Hotel Western Road Cork Phone: +353 21 425 2700 Email: RIVERLEE@DOYLECOLLECTION.COM https://www.doylecollection.com/hotels/the-river-lee-hotel 5-minute walk from central Cork. It has air-conditioned rooms, bistro, and free parking.

Kingsley Hotel Victoria Cross Cork T12 P680 Tel: +353 21 480 0500 Email: info@thekingsley.ie http://www.thekingsley.ie The Kingsley Hotel is just 280 m away from the historic University College Cork and 15 minutes' walk from Cork's city centre. Cork Kent Railway Station is just 4 km away. Clayton Hotel Silver Springs Tivoli Cork T23 E244 Tel:+353 21 4507533 Email: info.silversprings@claytonhotels.com https://www.claytonhotelsilversprings.com 3km from the city centre and 11km from Cork Airport. Health & Fitness Centre including 25m pool.

#### Travel information

Cork Airport is the second largest of the three principal international airports in the Republic of Ireland, after Dublin and ahead of Shannon. It is located 6.5 km south of Cork city. Cork airport services over 50 cities through Europe and the UK and 100s more via:

- o London Heathrow
- o Amsterdam (main hubs)
- o London Stanstead
- o Paris (Charles de Gaulle)
- o Manchester.

More information is available at <a href="http://www.corkairport.com/">http://www.corkairport.com/</a>

Shannon Airport is on the west coast of Ireland 24 kilometres north of Limerick city, 22 kilometres south of Ennis town and 90 kilometres south of Galway and 142 km from Cork. Participants flying from Boston or JFK can Shannon or Dublin. There is a bus service from Shannon Airport to Cork. Bus Éireann run the highest frequency direct services to and from Shannon Airport. All services on the Cork corridor pass through the Airport. More information can be found at: <a href="https://www.flyshannon.ie/">https://www.flyshannon.ie/</a>. For information about busses, please visit: <a href="https://www.buseireann.ie">www.buseireann.ie</a>

The main airport in Ireland is Dublin airport, which can be reached through most cities in Europe and North America. Both bus and train services are available from Dublin to Cork. It is recommended that participants coming into Dublin Airport use the Aircoach Bus Service as it operates directly from the airport to Cork city and takes about 2hrs 45 mins. Bus Eireann operates direct daily coach services to and from Dublin Airport nationwide. In order to access the train service to Cork participants will have to go into Dublin city centre and at peak traffic times this would add a considerable amount of time to your journey. More information can be found at: https://www.dublinairport.com