

Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) Countries Training Workshop on the Revised UNESCO 2009 Framework for Cultural Statistics

29 to 30 June 2009, Doha, Qatar

Draft Agenda

Main Objectives:

- (a) To introduce GCC Country Statisticians to the revised 2009 UNESCO Framework for Cultural Statistics (FCS)
- (b) To apply the FCS to the context of the GCC Countries
- (c) To learn about the status of Cultural Statistics in the GCC Countries

Time	Item	Presenter/Moderator
Day 1: Monday 29th June 2009		
08:30 – 08:45	Objectives and Agenda	José Pessoa / Ahmad Hussein
08:45 – 10:00	UNESCO Framework for Cultural Statistics 2009: Concepts and Definitions	José Pessoa
10:00 – 10:30	Break	
10:30 – 11:30	Discussion	Ahmad Hussein (Moderator)
11:30 – 12:30	Roundtable on Cultural Statistics in the GCC	Yousef Ismail (Moderator)
		Bahrain (20 min)
		Kuwait (20 min)
		Oman (20 min)
12:30 – 13:00	Break	
13:00 – 14:00	Roundtable on Cultural Statistics in the GCC	Yousef Ismail (Moderator)
		Saudi Arabia (20 min)
		Qatar (20 min)
		UAE (20 min)
Day 2: Tuesday 30th June 2009		
08:30 – 09:30	Applying the FCS in the GCC Countries	José Pessoa / Alfonso C. Ribot
09:30 – 10:00	Breakout Group Session	
10:00 – 10:30	Break	
10:30 – 11:00	Breakout Group Session	
11:00 – 12:00	Discussion	Yousef Ismail (Moderator)
12:00 – 12:30	Developing a National FCS – Suggestions for a Process	Alfonso C. Ribot
12:30 – 13:00	Break	
13:00 – 13:45	Cultural Management Information System (CMIS)	Alfonso C. Ribot
13:45 – 14:00	Conclusions and Closing	José Pessoa