

**Latin America and Caribbean Region Consultative Workshop
on the Revised UNESCO 2009 Framework for Cultural Statistics
21st to 23rd January 2009, San Jose, Costa Rica**

Agenda

Main Objectives:

- (a) Endorsement of the new Draft Framework for Culture Statistics, with the substantive comments and suggestions from the Latin American and Caribbean, NSOs, Cultural statistics experts
- (b) to identify priority topics in the cultural statistics for the region
- (c) to review and analyse challenges faced by Latin American and Caribbean countries in collecting cultural statistics

Timeframe	Agenda item	Speakers
DAY 1: Wednesday 21st January 2009		
9:00 - 9:30	Participant registration	
9:30 - 9:45	Official opening	UIS/UNESCO SJO
9:45 - 10:00	Purpose of the Workshop. Adoption of the agenda	José Pessoa (UIS)
SESSION 1: UNESCO/UIS 2009 Framework for Culture Statistics		
10:00 - 10:30	UIS strategy and programme of work in cultural statistics	José Pessoa (UIS)
10:30 - 11:00	<i>Coffee break</i>	
11:00 - 12:00	The Framework of Cultural Statistics 2009: Concepts and definitions	Lydia Deloumeaux (UIS)
12:00 - 13:00	General discussion	
13:00 - 14:30	<i>Lunch</i>	
14:30 - 15:00	The Framework of Cultural Statistics 2009: Measures	Lydia Deloumeaux (UIS)
15:00 - 16:00	General discussion	
16:00 - 16:30	<i>Coffee break</i>	
16:30 - 17:00	Cultural statistics in Latin America	OAS
19:00	Welcome Dinner	

DAY 2: Thursday 22nd January 2009		
SESSION 2: Cultural Statistics in Latin America and the Caribbean		
9.00 - 9:30	Presentation of country experience in cultural statistics	Barbados
9:30 - 10:00	Presentation of country experience in cultural statistics	Brazil
10:00 - 10:30	Presentation of country experience in cultural statistics	Costa Rica
10:30 - 11:00	<i>Coffee break</i>	
11:00 - 11:30	Presentation of country experience in cultural statistics	Cuba
11:30 - 12:00	Presentation of country experience in cultural statistics	Guatemala
12:00 - 12:30	Presentation of country experience in cultural statistics	Honduras
12:30 - 13:00	Presentation of country experience in cultural statistics	Peru
13:00 - 14:30	Lunch	
SESSION 3: Cultural Statistics: International and Regional Projects		
14:30 - 15:00	Proposal for a System of cultural statistics in Central America	UNESCO San José
15:00 - 15:30	Cultural statistics in Latin America key projects	CARICOM
15:30 - 16:00	Special Focus: Books	CERLALC
16:00 - 16:30	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
16:30 - 17:00	Cultural statistics in Latin America key projects	UNDP El Salvador
17:00 - 17:30	Cultural statistics in Latin America key projects	IADB
DAY 3: Friday 23rd January 2009		
SESSION 4: Working Group Sessions		
9:00 - 10:30	Working Group Sessions: Recommendations of the Group for the improvement of the UNESCO/UIS Draft 2009 Framework	
10:30 - 11:00	<i>Coffee break</i>	
11:00 - 12:00	Working Group Sessions	
12:00 - 12:30	Working Group 1: Rapporteur	
12:30 - 13:00	Working Group 2: Rapporteur	
13:00 - 14:30	Lunch	
SESSION 5: Conclusion		
14:30 - 15:00	Summary of Recommendations	
15:00	Next Steps and Closing	