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## National Bureau of Statistics

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World Trade Organization  
(WTO)



ESCWA-United Nations  
Statistics Division (UNSD)

Organize the UAE National Workshop on:

# "International Trade In Services Statistics"

29 January 2015  
United Arab Emirates - Abu Dhabi  
Statistical Training Center



## UAE National Seminar on Trade in Services Statistics

Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates  
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Time	Topic	Presenter
8:30-9:00	Registration	-
9:00-9:15	Welcome address and opening	UAE authorities and WTO
9:15-9:45	Importance of Statistics on International Trade in Services, GATS and Main Concepts: MSITS 2010-Conceptual framework	WTO
9:45-10:00	Importance of trade in services statistics for trade negotiations	UAE negotiator
10:00-11:00	Resident-non-resident trade in services statistics: main concepts and follow-up on discussions of Regional Workshop	Central Bank and Statistics Office + all
11:00-11:30	COFFEE BREAK	
11:30-12:00	Resident-non-resident trade in services statistics: How to move forward, role of Abu Dhabi and Dubai Statistics agencies	Central Bank and Statistics Office + all
12:00-13:00	Travel and tourism: main concepts and follow-up on discussions of Regional Workshop	Central Bank and Statistics Office + Simon Humphries + all
13:00-14:00	LUNCH BREAK	
14:00-15:00	Foreign Affiliates Statistics: main concepts and follow-up on discussions of Regional Workshop	Central Bank and Statistics Office + WTO+ All
15:00-15:15	Other data aspects	All
15:15-15:45	And what now: Future steps and needs for technical assistance and capacity building	All
15:30-16:00	Conclusion of the national seminar	