



## CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

### Official Statistics 2030

Official statistics have also been greatly challenged by the COVID-19 pandemic. Information not only had to be available quickly but also at local level and in detail. New data sources were tapped into, existing processes were adapted to new partners and innovative ways of analysing and publishing were developed more quickly. The pandemic has added momentum to ongoing developments in official statistics.

What lessons have we learned from the past couple of years? What are the limits of official statistics? Expectations of the quality of statistical results are justifiably high. Where can we legitimately lower our sights while satisfying this increased demand for information, maintaining trust and nevertheless respecting the Code of Practice? How can these needs be met with existing resources and what priorities need to be set? What role do data ethics issues play here and what do these developments mean for the organisation of official statistics and cooperation with current or future new partners?

The COVID-19 pandemic has clearly shown that there are numerous challenges for official statistics. They concern the entire "value chain" and exist independently of the pandemic, which has merely served to highlight the need for the ongoing development of official statistics. We wish to benefit from this new dynamic to further strengthen our role and activities.

How can you address these challenges? Take us with you on your way to strong official statistics in 2030!

### Suggestions for thematic contributions:

#### ***Data sources and collection methods***

- New and (as yet) unused data sources
- Efficient data collection and data management tools
- Potential of data linkages
- Interoperability (management, technical, legal and ethical aspects)

#### ***Production and analysis***

- Modern methods (AI, machine-learning, swarm intelligence, etc.)
- Forward-looking analysis and visualisation software
- Key figures, dashboards and (normative) monitoring
- Automation potential in production

#### ***Publication and communication***

- Print media as a complement to digital forms of publication
- Social media in official statistics
- Linked Open Data and machine readability
- Storytelling and other modern forms of publication
- Data and statistical literacy as a task of official statistics

#### ***Cooperation, organisation and strategy***

- New tasks for statistical offices: OGD, data governance, data science services et. al.
- New partnerships, cooperation with academia and privately held data
- Development of statistics as a profession, challenges in personnel recruitment and development
- Current data ethics issues and data protection challenges
- Quality management and quality assurance in official statistics



The Swiss Statistics Meeting will take place from **26 to 27 October 2022**, at the **Swiss Museum of Transport** in Lucerne. The banquet will be held on 26 October at the Hotel Schweizerhof.

Please book the desired room in time via the booking platform:  
[https://regis.buchertravel.ch/event/Schweizer\\_Statistiktage\\_2022](https://regis.buchertravel.ch/event/Schweizer_Statistiktage_2022)

### Details

Presentations may be made in French, German, Italian or English. The language of the title reflects the language of the presentation. Papers on scientific and academic research are welcome.

Content can be presented in three different ways.

- 20-minute presentation on one of the above topics (maximum of 15 minutes for the presentation and 5 minutes for questions).
- Poster
- Plenary lightning talk (**free choice of topic**)  
A lightning talk is a five-minute presentation accompanied by slides that **automatically** change every 20 seconds (15 slides in total).

Please send us the title and a summary of your project (maximum of one A4 page) using the form below. Please specify the presentation format (presentation, poster or lightning talk). For workshops, please specify the presentation format as well as the name of the speaker.

Deadline for submitting abstracts: **16.05.2022**

Please use the following Word template

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and then upload it via the following link: <https://statistiktage.ch/fileupload/>

The organisation committee will notify you by the end of June 2022 if your project has been selected.

### Preliminary information:

Deadline for submitting lightning talks: **03.10.2022**

Deadline for submitting presentations: **10.10.2022**

Note: Please bring the poster with you on first day of the conference