



TWO YEARS AFTER THE STIGLITZ-SEN-FITOUSSI REPORT: WHAT WELL-BEING AND SUSTAINABILITY MEASURES?

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9:00-10:00 **Introductory Session**

- Nathalie Kosciusko-Morizet, Minister for Ecology, Sustainable development, Transport and Housing
- Angel Gurría, OECD Secretary-General: “New Measures Towards Better Policies for Better Lives”
- Joseph E. Stiglitz, Professor, Columbia University: “Our Recommendations are More Relevant than Ever”

10:15-12:15 **Towards New Well-Being and Sustainability Measures**

This session will focus on making an inventory of the initiatives taken by National Statistical Offices of main economies and International Organisations in response to the Stiglitz-Sen-Fitoussi Commission’s report.

Chair: Jean-Paul Fitoussi, Emeritus Professor, IEP Paris

- Presentation of the OECD’s “*How’s Life*” report on well-being indicators for OECD countries and some emerging countries (Martine Durand, Chief Statistician, OECD)
- Presentation of the report of the Sponsorship group on measuring progress, well-being and sustainable development (Jean Philippe Cotis, Director General, INSEE)
- Presentation of national initiatives by:
 - Eduardo Pereira Nunes, former President of Brazilian Institute of Geography and Statistics and Professor at PUC-Rio University
 - Ki-Jong Woo, Commissioner, Statistics Korea

12:30-14:00 Lunch

14:00-15:30 New Measures and Public Policies

This session will focus on the role of new measures in designing public policies.

Chair: Angus Deaton, Professor, Princeton University

- David Halpern, Head, Behavioural Insight Team, Prime Minister's Office, United Kingdom
- Shuzo Nishimura, Director General, National Institute for Population and Social Security Research, Japan
- Christoph M. Schmidt, Member of the German Council of Economic Experts
- Ben Gleisner, Head, Living Standards Project Team, The Treasury, New Zealand

15:30-16:00 Coffee break

16:00-17:15 Measuring Well-Being in Developing Countries

This session will focus on well-being measures in developing countries.

Chair: François Bourguignon, Director of Paris School of Economics

- Paul Cheung, Director, United Nations Statistical Division
- Ahmed Lahlimi Alami, High Commissioner, Moroccan High Planning Commission
- Hernando José Gómez, Director, National Planning Department, Colombia
- Sabina Alkire, Director, Oxford Poverty and Human Development Initiative and Scientific Counsellor, Centre of Bhutan studies
- Carlos Alvarez, Deputy Director, OECD Development Centre

**17:15-17:30 Address by François Baroin, Minister for the Economy, Finance and Industry:
"Anchoring New Well-Being and Sustainability Measures"**

17:30-18:15 Conclusions: Roundtable

Chair: Enrico Giovannini, President, Italian National Institute of Statistics

- Joseph E. Stiglitz, Professor, Columbia University
- Jean-Paul Fitoussi, Emeritus Professor, IEP, Paris
- Pier Carlo Padoan, Deputy Secretary-General and Chief Economist, OECD
- Walter Radermacher, Director General, Eurostat

18:15 Cocktail

