THE USE OF MICRODATA BY RESEARCHERS

REFLECTION SESSION

ORGANIZATION **STATISTICAL COUNCIL**

DATE **OCTOBER 29 | 14H00 – 17H30**

LOCAL **Salão Nobre | Statistics Portugal | Av. António José de Almeida, Lisbon**

GOAL The researchers present special needs for official statistical information, namely for the development of research works, but also for the preparation of doctoral theses and master's theses. In the recent past significant steps have been taken by Statistical Authorities regarding accessibility to official statistical data by the academic community. However, some constraints, including legal ones, exist and persist in the use of microdata. How to overcome them?

Understand how Statistical Authorities should position themselves in the face of the needs of researchers, how they perceive what can be done, what difficulties in accessing official statistical information, and what national and European solutions are available to overcome these constraints, are some of the goals to be achieved with this reflection session.

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14H00 | RECEPTION OF PARTICIPANTS

14H30 | OPENING

• **Francisco Lima** – **President of Statistics Portugal , Vice-Chairperson of the Statistical Council**

14H50 | Opportunities for research and public policies created by administrative data
• **Francesco Franco** – **Member of Statistical Council, Vice-Chairperson of the Standing Section of Economic Statistics, Professor at Nova SBE**

15H10 | 16H50

Moderators | Pedro Telhado Pereira – **Member of CRUP at Statistical Council, Chairperson of the Standing Section of Economic Statistics, Professor at Universidade da Madeira and Francesco Franco**

• **Access to official statistical information for scientific research purposes**
  Pinto Martins – **Director of the Diffusion Service of Statistics Portugal**

• **BPLIM – The recent experience of Banco de Portugal's research microdata laboratory**
  Paulo Guimarães – **Deputy Head, Economics and Research Department, Banco de Portugal Director of Microdata Laboratory of Banco de Portugal**

16H00 | Coffee break

• **Fiscal micro-data and public policy design**
  Susana Peralta – **Professor at Nova SBE**

• **Establishing partnerships in the labour market information system**
  Pedro Martins – **Professor at Queen Mary, University of London**

17H00 | DISCUSSION

17H30 | CLOSING

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