

Training course on “Statistical Metadata –Introductory Course” held in Budapest, the Republic of Hungary



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ICON-INSTITUT Public Sector GmbH, one of the main providers of technical assistance to the European Union in the fields of Harmonization of the European national statistical system was supported Eurostat in the organization of Training course.

The topics covered by the course concerned various aspects of statistics, including strengthening the capacity of the NSIs. The training course also gave the participants the opportunity to meet informally with their peers and to discuss areas of common interest and best practices.

Representatives of the course were experts of statistical services of Azerbaijan, Georgia, Moldova, Ukraine, Belarus, Armenia, Uzbekistan, Tajikistan, Kirgizstan, and Mongolia and representatives of ICON and ADETEF Organizations as observers.

During the training course discussion were carried on the topics of the role of statistical metadata system, functions (planning, design, implement, assessment, documentation of data collection, to increase the quality of statistical data and transparency of methodology and etc.), also metadata users and their functionality inside of statistical organizations, also other external users and principles of assessment of statistical metadata system.

The course was ended with the distribution of certificates to the course participants.