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	Day 1: Wednesday 27 June 2007 [Morning]
9:00-10:30	Parallel workshops
Marmara	<p>What People Know about Progress</p> <p><i>The session will discuss the results of the first co-ordinated international survey on what people know about key statistical indicators produced by official statistics.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Josef Olenski, President, Central Statistical Office, Poland</p> <p>Speaker: Marco Malgarini, Senior Economist at the Institute for Studies and Economic Analyses (ISAE), Italy PPT Paper</p> <p>Speaker: Antonis Papacostas, Head of Unit "Public Opinion and Media Monitoring", DG Communication, European Commission PPT Paper</p> <p>Discussant: Richard T. Curtin, Professor and Director, Surveys of Consumers, University of Michigan, USA PPT</p> <p>Discussant: Theodore Porter, Professor, Department of History, UCLA, USA</p>
Haliç	<p>Roundtable: Entrepreneurship</p> <p><i>The session will discuss the results of the OECD project on measuring entrepreneurship, as well as national experiences.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Karen Dunnell, Chief Executive, Office for National Statistics, UK (tbc)</p> <p>Introductory Speaker: Tim Davis, Head, Entrepreneurship Indicators Project, OECD PPT</p> <p>Panelist: Luigi Biggeri, President, ISTAT, Italy</p> <p>Panelist: Antonio Fanelli, Deputy Head - Investment Compact for South East Europe, OECD PPT</p> <p>Panelist: Anders Hoffman, Creative Director, FORA, Denmark PPT</p> <p>Panelist: Turgay Maleri, CEO, GATE Elektronik A.S., Turkey PPT</p>
Topkapi B	<p>Adult Skills and Working Opportunities</p> <p><i>The session will present plans for the OECD survey on Adults Competencies and its relationships with labour market policy analyses.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Paolo Sestito, Director, Research Department, Bank of Italy</p> <p>Speaker: Andreas Schleicher, Head of Indicators and Analysis Division, Education Directorate, OECD PPT</p> <p>Speaker: Randall Eberts, Executive Director, W.E. Upjohn Institute, USA Paper</p> <p>Discussant: Irina Krizman, Director General, Statistical Office of the Republic of Slovenia</p>
Dolmabahçe C	<p>Roundtable: Sustainable Development</p> <p><i>The session will discuss the results of the OECD/Eurostat/UNECE working group on sustainable development indicators.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: David Stanners, Program Manager, Strategic Knowledge and Innovation, European Environment Agency</p> <p>Introductory Speaker: Robert Smith, Director of Environment Accounts and Statistics Division, Statistics Canada PPT</p> <p>Panelist: Roefie Hueting, formerly with Statistics Netherlands PPT Paper</p> <p>Panelist: Christoph Müller, Director, Federal Chancellery, Austria PPT Paper</p> <p>Panelist: Louis Munyakazi, Director General, National Statistical Institute of Rwanda</p>
Topkapi A	<p>Pensions</p> <p><i>The session will discuss global pension indicators - measuring funded pensions wealth with an international perspective.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Fabio Scacciavillani, Acting Director, Economic Analysis and Industrial Research Department, Gulf Organisation for Industrial Consulting, Qatar</p> <p>Speaker: Len Cook, Research Associate, Waikato University and Former Director of the ONS, UK and Statistics New Zealand PPT Paper</p> <p>Speaker: José Pavao Nunes, Head of Statistics, Portuguese Insurance Institute PPT Paper</p> <p>Discussant: Jean-Michel Charpin, Director General, INSEE, France</p> <p>Discussant: Jean-Marc Salou, Administrator, Pensions and Insurance Statistics, OECD PPT</p>
Dolmabahçe B	<p>The Construction and Use of Indicator Sets: Lessons to Build Modern Democracies</p> <p><i>The session will discuss the ways in which indicator sets can best be both constructed and used to strengthen the democratic processes in our societies.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Luay Shabaneh, President, Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics</p> <p>Speaker: Daniel Macadar, Social Watch, Uruguay PPT</p> <p>Speaker: Romulo Virola, Secretary-General, National Statistical Coordination Board, Philippines PPT Paper</p> <p>Discussant: Jon Hall, OECD World Forum Project Leader, OECD PPT</p>
10:30-11:00	Coffee Break
11:00-12:00	<p>Opening Session and Keynote Speech</p> <p>Opening remarks: Ahmet Tıktık, Undersecretary, State Planning Organization, Turkey</p> <p>Opening remarks: Angel Gurría, Secretary-General, OECD</p> <p>Opening remarks: Abdullah Şener, Deputy Prime Minister, Turkey</p> <p>Keynote speech: Recep Tayyip Erdoğan, Prime Minister, Turkey</p>
12:15-13:30	<p>Measuring Progress: Does it Make a Difference for Policy Making and Democracy?</p> <p>Chairperson: Ekrem Pakdemirli, Former Deputy Prime Minister of Turkey</p> <p>Speaker: Angel Gurría, Secretary-General, OECD</p> <p>Speaker: David M. Walker, Comptroller-General, USA</p>
13:30-14:30	Lunch
Rumeli Hall	Visit the first OECD Exhibition on "Innovative Tools to Transform Information into Knowledge" and presentations at the OECD stand

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14:30-16:00	Parallel sessions		
Topkapi A	Skills on the Move: How Migration Affects National Progress <p><i>The session will consider who might win and lose in the competition for skilled migrants (between developed countries, between developed and developing countries, and between developing countries). How would better measures of change help people react to - and plan for - the future?</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Emmanuel Kontopirakis, Secretary General, National Statistical Service, Greece Speaker: John Martin, Director, Employment, Labour and Social Affairs, OECD Paper Speaker: Jan Rath, Professor of Urban Sociology, University of Amsterdam, the Netherlands Speaker: Mamphela Ramphele, Co-chair, Global Commission on International Migration Discussant: Paul Hofheinz, President, Lisbon Council</p>		
	Roundtable: Measuring Happiness and Making Policy Background Paper <p><i>The session will consider whether we can meaningfully measure happiness. If so, what impact could these measures have on policy making?</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Joan Boer, Ambassador, Permanent Delegation of the Netherlands to the OECD Introductory Speaker: Ruut Veenhoven, Professor of Social Conditions for Human Happiness, Erasmus University Rotterdam PPT Paper Panelist: Paul Dolan, Professor of Economics, Imperial College, London, UK PPT Panelist: Dae You Kim, Commissioner, Korean National Statistical Office, Korea PPT Panelist: Gert Wagner, Professor, German Institute for Economic Research (DIW), Germany Panelist: Yasuto Yoshizoe, President, Statistics Council, Japan Paper</p>		
Dolmabahçe C	Indicators of our Future: the World's Children <p><i>The session will explore what we know about the state of the world's children and what we need to know to make sure that the future for them is a bright one.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Ann-Kristin Boström, Director of Education, Swedish National Agency for School Improvement Speaker: Frank Farrow, Director of Community Change Initiatives, Casey Foundation, USA PPT Speaker: Sylvester Young, Director, ILO Bureau of Statistics Speaker: Nicolas Pron, DEVInfo Global Administrator, Senior Programme Officer, UNICEF on behalf of UNDG Discussant: Sean Healy, Director, CORI Justice, Ireland</p>		
	Surfing the Future: New Technology for the Next Generation <p><i>The session will consider how new technology, and the Internet in particular, might change the way in which we measure and foster progress.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Nick Bray, Acting Director, Public Affairs and Communications Directorate, OECD Speaker: Sara E. Wood, Chief Data Officer, Swivel, USA Speaker: Paul Meyer, Chairman and President, VOXIVA, USA Speaker: Michael Arrington, TechCrunch, USA Discussant: Alix Peterson Zwane, Evaluation Manager, google.org</p>		
Topkapi B	Roundtable: Statistical Offices: Information Brokers or Knowledge Builders? Background Paper <p><i>The session will discuss what role official statistics and official statisticians should best play in the 21st Century.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Ömer Demir, President, Turkstat, Turkey Panelist: Hing Wang Fung, Commissioner for Census and Statistics, Hong Kong PPT Panelist: Enrico Giovannini, Chief Statistician, OECD Panelist: Pali Lehohla, Statistician General, Statistics South Africa Panelist: Maria Bohata, Deputy Director General, Eurostat, European Commission</p>		
	Power to the People: Indicators for Accountability <p><i>The session will explore the ways in which indicators and information can empower the public to hold their policy makers to account.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Cathryn Ashley-Jones, Deputy Government Statistician, Social and Population Statistics, Statistics New Zealand PPT Paper Speaker: Shailaja Chandra, Executive Director, National Population Stabilisation Fund, India Speaker: Dong Dasheng, Deputy Auditor General, National Audit Office of China Speaker: Bronwen Manby, Senior Programme Adviser, AfriMAP, Open Society Institute, UK Paper Discussant: Alexander Piskunov, Member of the board, Accounts Chamber of the Russian Federation</p>		
Marmara			
Anadolu Auditorium			
16:00-16:30	Coffee Break Coffee is available in the main lobby or in the Rumeli Exhibition Center		
16:30-18:30	Roundtable: What is Progress? Background Paper <p><i>The session will debate what progress means in different countries of the world and among different communities of interest. Which aspects of progress are universal and which vary between different groups? This is a crucial part of the conference: we need to try to understand what progress is if we are to talk about how to measure it.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Jonathan Charles, former foreign correspondent for the BBC Panelist: Kemal Derviş, Administrator, UNDP Panelist: Richard Layard, Director, Well-being Programme, Center for Economic Performance at the London School of Economics, UK Panelist: Steve Killelea, Founder Global Peace Index, global businessman and philanthropist Panelist: Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala, Distinguished Fellow, the Brookings Institute Panelist: Lyonpo Jigmi Y Thinley, Minister of Home and Cultural Affairs, Bhutan Panelist: Ann M. Veneman, Executive Director, UNICEF</p>		
19:15-21:00	Welcome Reception on the lawn of the Conference Center		

	Day 2: Thursday 28 June 2007 [Morning]
9:00-10:30	Parallel sessions
Dolmabahçe C	<p>Growing Old, Growing Young: Demographic Challenges Background Paper</p> <p><i>The session will consider aging populations, low birth-rates and changing household formation patterns. New statistics are needed to capture these key concerns and plan for the future. What are the major challenges foreseen for the 21st century and what new statistics are required to improve decision making?</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Arland Thornton, Professor, University of Michigan, USA</p> <p>Speakers: Fiona Stanley, Founding Director & Steven Zubrick, Head of Population Science, Telethon Institute for Child Health Research, Australia PPT Paper</p> <p>Speaker: Rainer Münz, Head of Research and Development, Erste Bank, Austria</p> <p>Discussant: Hussein Sayed, Professor and Consultant, The Egyptian Cabinet Information and Decision Support Center & Cairo University</p>
Marmara	<p>Citizens with Vision: The Impact of Social Entrepreneurship</p> <p><i>The session will consider how can we better understand and measure the impact that social entrepreneurship has - or could have - on progress?</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Francisco Lopez Bermudez, Director, Andean Democratic Audit</p> <p>Speaker: Roger Allen, Chairman, Allen and Buckridge, Australia PPT</p> <p>Speaker: Bill Drayton, Founder, ASHOKA, USA</p> <p>Discussant: Empar Martínez, General Director, University Teaching Cooperative "Florida", Spain</p>
Haliç	<p>The Use and Abuse of Indicators</p> <p><i>The session will explore the ways in which statistical indicators can be used – either accidentally or deliberately – to mislead, and the role that different sectors of society have in guarding against this.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Orhan Güvenen, Director of World Systems, Economies and Strategic Research Institute, Bilkent University, Turkey</p> <p>Speaker: Alessandra Galloni, Chief, The Wall Street Journal, Paris</p> <p>Speaker: Noha El-Mikawy and Joachim Nahem, UNDP Governance Centre</p> <p>Speaker: Androulla Kaminara, Director, EuropeAid, European Commission</p> <p>Discussant: Ken Prewitt, Carnegie Professor of Public Affairs, Columbia University, USA Paper</p>
Anadolu Auditorium	<p>Progress in Democracy and Human Rights Background Paper</p> <p>Chairperson: Emilio Álvarez Icaza, Chairman, Commission for Human Rights of Mexico City, Mexico</p> <p>Speaker: Jean-Robert Suesser, Director ADETEF, France and Raul Suarez de Miguel, General Coordinator of the Metagora Project, OECD</p> <p>Speaker: Michel Tubiana, Member of the Executive Committee of the Euro-Mediterranean Human Rights Network</p> <p>Speaker: Andreas Siegel, Director for Strategic Planning, the Council of Europe PPT Paper</p> <p>Speaker: Mike Salvaris, Adj Professor, School of Global Studies, Social Science and Planning, RMIT University, Australia</p>
Topkapi B	<p>The Gender Gap: Discrimination or Difference</p> <p><i>The session will explore recent OECD work and discuss new approaches to understanding why women and men fare differently in a range of socio-</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Nina Gardner, Director, Strategy International, Italy</p> <p>Speaker: Francesca Coullare, UN Statistics Division, United Nations</p> <p>Speaker: Louka Katseli, Director, Development Center, OECD PPT</p> <p>Speaker: Meltem Kurtisan, Head of the Women Entrepreneurs Association (KAGİDER), Turkey PPT</p>
Topkapi A	<p>Global Statistical Infrastructure: How To Build Consistency in Global Measurement</p> <p><i>The session will examine how the global statistical system ensures the compilation of internationally comparable indicators and statistics. Full</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Paul Cheung, Chief Statistician, United Nations</p> <p>Speaker: Asad Elahi, Secretary, Statistics Division, Government of Pakistan</p> <p>Speaker: Dennis Trewin, former Australian Chief Statistician PPT Paper</p> <p>Speaker: Katherine Wallman, Chief Statistician, United States Office of Management and Budget Paper</p> <p>Discussant: Pieter Everaers, Director, Eurostat, European Commission</p>
10:30:11:00	<p>Coffee Break</p> <p>Coffee is available in the main lobby or in the Rumeli Exhibition Center</p>
11:00-12:30	<p>Climate Change</p> <p><i>The session will consider what we know, what we don't know and what we need to know to tackle this pressing issue.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Matthew Winkler, Editor-in-Chief, Bloomberg News, USA</p> <p>Speaker: Fatih Birol, Chief Economist, International Energy Agency</p> <p>Speaker: Ólafur Ragnar Grímsson, President of Iceland</p> <p>Speaker: Dennis Trewin, former Australian Chief Statistician PPT Paper</p> <p>Speaker: Peter Bosch, Deputy Head of the IPCC WG3, Technical Support Unit</p>
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14:00-15:15	Parallel sessions
Marmara	<p>Developing and Emerging Countries: Better Statistics, Better Policy</p> <p><i>The session will consider how developing countries can develop better statistical indicators, and will focus on some successful innovations.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Shaïda Badiée, Director of Development Data Group, World Bank Speaker: Savaş Alpay, Director General, Statistical Economic and Social Research and Training Centre for Islamic Countries, OIC Speaker: Ahmed Lahimi Alami, Minister, High Commissioner of Planning, Morocco Paper Speaker: Sally Stansfield, Health Metrics Network Executive Secretary, World Health Organisation Discussant: Siobhan Carey, Chief Statistician, Department for International Development, UK</p>
Dolmabahçe C	<p>Roundtable: Tackling Global Problems: The Role of Foundations</p> <p><i>The session will debate the role that major foundations play in fostering progress, and how their contributions could be better measured?</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Amir Dossal, Executive Director, UN Office for Partnerships Introductory Remarks: Darren Walker, Vice President, Rockefeller Foundation, USA Panelist: Paul Brest, President, William & Flora Hewlett Foundation, USA Panelist: Gordon R. Hein, Vice President for Programs, The Asia Foundation, USA Panelist: Steve Killelea, Founder Global Peace Index, global businessman and philanthropist</p>
Topkapi A	<p>Social Outcomes of Learning</p> <p><i>The session will discuss how we can better understand the contribution that education makes to overall economic and social progress.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Jussi Simpura, Director of Division, Welfare, Stakes (National Research and Development Centre for Welfare and Health), Finland Speaker: Alberto Pfeifer, Executive Director, Latin American Business Council (CEAL) Speaker: Tom Schuller, Head of Centre for Educational Research and Innovation, OECD PPT Paper Speaker: Vamik Volkan, Emeritus Professor of Psychiatry, University of Virginia, USA PPT Paper</p>
Topkapi B	<p>Water: Safety and Sufficiency</p> <p><i>The session will explore what evidence is needed to enable the world to make progress in delivering safe drinking water.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Lorents Lorentsen, Director, Environment Directorate, OECD Speaker: Alan Hall, Coordinator, Global Initiatives, Global Water Partnership Speaker: Lucia Wegner, Development Centre, OECD</p>
Anadolu Auditorium	<p>Global Cities</p> <p><i>The session will consider those cities that are increasingly global and the hubs of globalisation. Their progress often depends on global economic and social changes while mayors are seen as accountable for the quality of citizens' lives. How can the progress of a city be measured? How can local and global policies complement each others? How can the accountability of local policies be strengthened using progress indicators?</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Fabrizio Barca, Director General, Ministry of Economy and Finance, Italy Speaker: Charlotte Kahn, Director, Boston Indicators Project, The Boston Foundation, USA Paper part I part II Speaker: Alberto Ruiz-Gallardón, Mayor of Madrid, Spain Speaker: Kadir Topbaş, Mayor of Istanbul, Turkey Discussant: Mario Pezzini, Deputy Director, Public Governance and Territorial Development, OECD</p>
Haliç	<p>How to Build a Knowledge Economy and How to Know When You Have One</p> <p><i>The session will explore what information is key for both policy makers and entrepreneurs in order to grow, manage and work within a knowledge economy.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: John Dryden, Deputy Director, Science, Technology and Industry, OECD Paper Speaker: John Gage, Chief Researcher and Vice President, Sun Microsystems, Inc., USA Speaker: Luc Soete, Joint Director of the United Nations University Institute for New Technologies (UNU-INTECH) and the Maastricht Economic Research Institute on Innovation and Technology (MERIT) Discussant: Wonki Min, Director General, National Information Society Agency, Korea</p>
15:15-15:45	<p>Coffee Break</p> <p>Coffee is available in the main lobby or in the Rumeli Exhibition Center</p>
15:45-17:15	Parallel Sessions
Anadolu Auditorium	<p>Evidence-Based Policy Making: Just a Myth or a Must?</p> <p><i>The session will consider the reality of decision-making. Decisions are usually taken on more than just the basis of evidence. Political and economic factors affect them. How do leaders take decisions?</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Veronique Ingram, Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Australia to the OECD, OECD Speaker: Francisco Santos Calderón, Vice President, Colombia Speaker: Cynthia A. Glassman, Under Secretary for Economic Affairs, U.S. Department of Commerce Speaker: Geoff Mulgan, Director, The Young Foundation, UK</p>
Dolmabahçe C	<p>Financial Security and Stability</p> <p><i>The session will focus on what better measures are needed to ensure fiscal security and stability in developed and developing countries.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Alessandro Profumo, CEO, Unicredit Group Speaker: Robert Edwards, Director, Statistics Department, IMF PPT Paper Speaker: José Manuel González-Páramo, Executive Board Member, European Central Bank Speaker: Durmus Yılmaz, Governor, Central Bank of Turkey Paper</p>
Marmara	<p>Measuring and Improving Government Performance</p> <p><i>The session will discuss how we can better assess and measure governments' impact on progress. How can we design outcome-oriented public policies?</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Odile Sallard, Director, Public Governance and Territorial Development, OECD Speaker: Ömer Dinçer, Former Undersecretary of the Prime Minister's Office, Turkey Speaker: Arturo González de Aragón, Auditor General, Superior Audit Office of Mexico PPT Paper Speaker: Joe Grice, Executive Director, Social and Public Services Analysis and Reporting, Office for National Statistics, UK Paper</p>
17:30-18:45	<p>People's Perceptions Vs. Reality: What Impacts on Policies and Democracy?</p> <p><i>The session will look at what effects a poorly-informed public and poorly-informed policy-makers can have on policy-making.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Ali Babacan, Minister of State in Charge of the Economy and Chief Negotiator for European Union Affairs, Turkey Speaker: Joaquín Almunia, Commissioner for Economic and Monetary Affairs, European Commission Speaker: Alan Krueger, Bendheim Professor of Economics and Public Affairs, Princeton University, USA Speaker: Robert Manchin, Chairperson and Managing Director, the Gallup Organisation, Europe</p>
20:00-22:30	Dinner for Speakers, hosted by IBM
Marmara Esma Sultan	Keynote speaker: Nick Donofrio , Executive Vice-President, Innovation and Technology, IBM

	Day 3: Friday 29 June 2007 [Morning]
9:00-10:30	Parallel sessions
Topkapi A	<p>Culture and Creativity</p> <p><i>The session will ask whether culture and creativity is an integral part of progress. How does progress in this area affect other parts of life?</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Fernando Ballester, Ambassador, Permanent Delegation of Spain to the OECD Speaker: İlber Ortaylı, Director, Topkapi Sarayı, Turkey Speaker: Hendrik van der Pol, Director, UNESCO Institute of Statistics Paper Speaker: Edi Rama, Mayor, Tirana, Albania Discussant: Paul Schnabel, Director Social and Cultural Planning Office, The Netherlands</p>
Haliç	<p>Roundtable: Good Public Governance for Whom? Background Paper</p> <p><i>The session will debate the use of measures of "good governance" - measures that influence a country's credit rating and whether donors give aid. But how accurate are those measures? And do they necessarily reflect governance that is good for everyone?</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Noha El-Mikawy, International Adviser on Poverty and Governance, UNDP, Oslo Governance Centre Panelist: Nicolas Meunier, Senior Economist, Crédit Agricole S.A., France Panelist: Frank Wiebe, Managing Director, Economic Analysis, Millennium Challenge Corporation, US Panelist: Alexandra Mitsotaki, ActionAid International Panelist: Stephen Knack, Lead Economist, Development Research/Public Sector Governance, The World Bank Panelist: Charles Oman, Senior Economist, Development Center, OECD</p>
Marmara	<p>Comprehensive Indicator Systems</p> <p><i>The session will showcase some innovative sets of comprehensive indicators.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Simon Briscoe, Statistics Editor, Financial Times, UK Speaker: Chris Hoenig, Vice-President of Strategy, IBM Speaker: Alton Hollett, Director of Statistics, Government of Newfoundland and Labrador, Canada & Douglas Mav, Professor of Economics, Memorial University, Newfoundland Paper Speaker: Laszlo Pinter, Director, Measurement and Assessment, International Institute for Sustainable Development, Canada & Henning Hansen, Coordinator, International Federation of Environmental Health Discussant: Ronette Engela, Executive Policy Analyst, Office of the President, South Africa</p>
Dolmabahçe C	<p>Competitiveness, Innovation and Economic Growth</p> <p><i>The session will explore what evidence is needed to understand the links between these three areas, both now and in the future.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Tae-Shin Kwon, Ambassador, Permanent Delegation of Korea to the OECD Speaker: Jean-Philippe Cotis, Chief Economist, OECD PPT Speaker: P. Letio Iapadre, Associate Research Fellow, Comparative Regional Integration Studies, UN University Paper Speaker: Ron Palmeri, Managing Director, Minor Ventures, USA</p>
Topkapi B	<p>Biodiversity Background Paper</p> <p><i>The session will discuss how we can better assess changes in biodiversity at the global level. What does biodiversity loss mean for progress?</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Bedrich Moldan, Director, Charles University, Czech Republic Speaker: Odeh Rashed Al Jayyousi, Regional Director of the West/Central Asia and North Africa, IUCN Speaker: Jonathan Loh, Research Associate, WWF International and Institute of Zoology PPT Speaker: João Paulo Ribeiro Capobianco, Executive Secretary, Brazilian Ministry of Environment PPT Paper</p>
Anadolu Auditorium	<p>Building Statistical Capacity to Monitor the Progress of Societies</p> <p>Chairperson: Ali Gamatie, Vice Governor, Central Bank of Western African States (BCEAO) Speaker: Luiz Awazu Pereira da Silva, Chief Economist of the Ministry of Planning, Budget and Management, Brazil Speaker: Sally Stansfield, Health Metrics Network Executive Secretary, World Health Organisation Discussant: Romulo Virola, Secretary-General, National Statistical Coordination Board, Philippines</p>
10:30-11:00	<p>Coffee Break</p> <p>Coffee is available in the main lobby or in the Rumeli Exhibition Center</p>
11:00-13:00	<p>Meeting the World's Health Challenges</p> <p><i>The session will discuss how to develop the right balance of public and private spending, and of primary, secondary and tertiary health care?</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Harvey Fineberg, President, Institute of Medicine, USA Speaker: Margaret Chan, Director General, World Health Organization Speaker: Julio Frenk, Senior Fellow, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation Speaker: Denise Lievesley, Chief Executive, the Information Center and President-elect, ISI & Michael Wolfson, Assistant Chief Statistician, Analysis and Development, Statistics Canada</p>
13:00-14:30	Lunch Break
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Topkapi B	<p>National Progress and the Effectiveness of International Aid</p> <p><i>The session will discuss measuring the effectiveness of aid. Attaining the Millennium Development Goals requires countries to decide on strategies for their development and monitor the results achieved in the short, medium and long term. How are countries managing for results? What indicators of outputs and outcomes are they using? Are donors prepared to use the same indicators to account for the results of their aid? How do development actors measure if aid is being used effectively?</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Richard Manning, Chair of the OECD Development Assistance Committee Speaker: Ridha Ferchiou, President, National Council on Statistics, Tunisia Speaker: Maarten Brouwer, Effectiveness and Quality Director, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Netherlands Speaker: Brian Hammond, Acting Deputy Director, Development Cooperation Directorate, OECD Discussant: Hakan Fidan, President, Turkish International Co-operation and Development Agency (TIKA)</p>
Topkapi A	<p>Human Capital: the Largest Share of a Nation's Wealth</p> <p><i>The session will explore what evidence societies need in order to optimise their investment in - and the return from - their human capital.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Anthony Courakis, Ambassador, Permanent Delegation of Greece to the OECD Speaker: Ali Dođramaci, Rector, Bilkent University, Turkey Speaker: Peter Ester, Professor, OSA Institute for Labour Studies, the Netherlands Discussant: Marie-Louise Kearney, Secretary, UNESCO Forum on Higher Education, Research and Knowledge</p> <p>PPT Paper</p>
Dolmabahçe C	<p>Poverty and Social Exclusion</p> <p><i>The session will discuss this important area - an easy concept to understand, but a very difficult one to measure.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Ahmed Aboutaleb, State Secretary for Social Affairs, Ministry of Social Affairs and Employment, the Netherlands Speaker: Garv Banks, Chairman, Productivity Commission, Australia Speaker: Luca Barbone, Director, Poverty Reduction Group, World Bank Speaker: Judith Randel & Tony German, Co-founders, Development Initiatives, UK Discussant: Jerôme Vignon, Director for Social Protection and Integration, DG Employment, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities, EC</p> <p>PPT Paper</p>
Anadolu Auditorium	<p>Corporate Social Responsibility</p> <p><i>The session will focus on the role of the private sector in fostering progress.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Donald J. Johnston, Lawyer, professor, Chair of IRGC, and former Secretary -General of the OECD Speaker: Charles Leyeka Lufumpa, Director, African Development Bank Speaker: Nicole Notat, President, Vigéo, France Speaker: Thierry Raes, Partner, Global Leadership Team, PricewaterhouseCoopers Speaker: Kadri Ozen, Coca-Cola Eurasia, Public Affairs and Communications Manager</p> <p>Paper</p>
Marmara	<p>Fostering Progress: The Role of Non-profit Organisations</p> <p><i>The session will focus on the non-profit and household sectors and their contributions to global progress.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Michel Vanden Abeele, Ambassador, Permanent Delegation of the European Commission to the OECD Speaker: Kumi Naidoo, Secretary General and CEO, CIVICUS, South Africa Speaker: Andrea Saltelli, Unit Head, Econometrics and Statistics, Joint Research Centre, EC & Marcel Canoy, Bureau of European Policy Advisers, EC Speaker: Lester Salamon, Director, Johns Hopkins Center for Civil Society Studies, USA Discussant: Stephen Bubb, Chief Executive, Association of Chief Executives of Voluntary Organisations (ACEVO). UK</p> <p>Paper Paper</p>
Haliç	<p>The Development of Indicators for Local Communities</p> <p><i>The session will explore the work being done to produce sets of progress indicators for local communities and discuss the impact they have had to improve the health, quality of life and sustainability of communities.</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Carmen Alcaide Guindo, President, National Statistical Institute of Spain Speaker: Susan Brutschy, President, Applied Survey Research, USA Speaker: Clayton Cosgrove, Minister of Statistics, New Zealand Speaker: Alex Michalos, Chancellor, Director of the Institute for Social Research and Evaluation, and Professor Emeritus, Political Science, University of Northern British Columbia, Canada Discussant: John Wiseman, Director, The McCaughey Centre, VicHealth Centre for the Promotion of Mental Health and Community Wellbeing,</p> <p>PPT Paper Paper Paper</p>
16:00-16:30	<p>Coffee Break</p> <p>Coffee is available in the main lobby or in the Rumeli Exhibition Center</p>
16:30-18:30	<p>Roundtable: Measuring Progress: Making Progress</p> <p><i>The session will evaluate the usefulness of international indicator sets to monitor progress. The MDG indicators will continue to play a major role for developing countries until 2015. How might improved measures of societal progress help inform setting and monitoring broader goals beyond 2015?</i></p> <p>Chairperson: Richard Manning, Chair of the OECD Development Assistance Committee Panelist: François Bourguignon, Sr. Vice President of Development Economics & Chief Economist, World Bank Panelist: Jeremy Hobbs, Executive Director, OXFAM International Panelist: Ali Akbar Salehi, Assistant Secretary General, Organisation of the Islamic Conference Panelist: José Antonio Ocampo, Under-Secretary-General of DESA, United Nations</p>
20:00-22:30	Gala Dinner at the Dolmabahçe Palace

	Day 4: Saturday 30 June 2007 [Morning]
9:00-10:00	<p>Turning Statistics Into Knowledge</p> <p><i>The session will examine new ways to successfully communicate statistical evidence on societal progress to a broad audience and how this can foster global progress.</i></p> <p>Anadolu Auditorium</p> <p>Chairperson: Walter Radermacher, President, Federal Statistical Office, Germany Speaker: Hans Rosling, Co-founder, Gapminder Foundation, Sweden Award for the best initiative to turn information into knowledge presented by Ed Spar, Executive Director, Council of Professional Associations on Federal</p>
10:00-10:30	Coffee Break
10:30-12:30	<p>Making It Happen: The Way Forward</p> <p><i>The closing session will discuss the main conclusions of the Forum and proposals for the future work, including the content of the Global Project proposed by the OECD. Participants will have the opportunity to express their views and commitments to contribute to the Project.</i></p> <p>Anadolu Auditorium</p> <p>Chairperson: Ahmet Tıktık, Undersecretary, State Planning Organization, Turkey Speaker: Angel Gurría, Secretary-General, OECD Keynote Speaker: Roy J. Romanow, Former Premier of Saskatchewan and Founding Chair, Canadian Index of Wellbeing Network Paper Speaker: Enrico Giovannini, Chief Statistician, OECD</p> <p>There will be an opportunity for participants to make statements of support for the OECD's Global Project from the floor. The first statement will come from Ana Isabel Leiva Díez, Spanish Secretary of State of Territorial Co-operation, Ministry of Public Administrations.</p>
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<p>Other Background Papers</p> <p>These papers have been submitted by conference delegates and will be of interest to all those attending the conference</p> <p>Pavle Siceri, Professor, SICENTER and University of Ljubljana - Indicator Presentation - The Time Distance</p> <p>Mariella Volpe - Measuring for Knowledge and for Decision Making</p> <p>Measuring and Fostering Progress in the Arab Societies Towards an Integration of Arab Region in the Global Initiative of Measuring Progress</p> <p>Arab Institute for Training and Research in Statistics</p> <p>Lars Osberg, Dalhousie University; Andrew Sharpe, Centre for the Study of Living Standards, Canada - New Estimates of the Index of Economic Well-Being for selected OECD Countries</p> <p>The Annie E. Casey Foundation - New Child Health and Safety Report Finds that Canada, United States and Mexico Share Critical Health Problems</p> <p>Walter Lichem - People's Movement for Human Rights Learning - Social Development Report on the Brainstorming of 19 July 2006</p> <p>Developping Indicators for Local Communities : The New Zealand Experience</p> <p>UNESCO - The UNESCO Forum on Higher Education, Research and Knowledge</p> <p>Richard Eckersley, Director, Building a Better Future - Measuring Progress : Beyond Wealth and Beyond Happiness</p>	