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**Workshop “Integrating Global Census Microdata”  
to be held with the 56<sup>th</sup> Session of the ISI <http://www.isi2007.com.pt/isi2007/>**

**August 25: [Instituto Nacional de Estatística de Portugal \(INE\)](http://www.ine.pt/) , Salão Nobre  
Av. António José de Almeida (Location: <http://www.ine.pt/> )**

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### Goals:

1. Assemble microdata and documentation for each census and country
2. Report on the census microdata available to the project and briefly discuss major harmonization issues for each country, census-by-census, question-by-question, concept-by-concept, code-by-code. For an example please see:  
[http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-europe/austria/austria\\_workshop\\_report.pdf](http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-europe/austria/austria_workshop_report.pdf)
3. Present 3 tables (forms to be provided to each statistical office—see example for Austria)
  - a. Table 1 is to be used to as a shipping record of microdata and documentation entrusted to the project.
  - b. Table 2 describes, for each country, the censuses to be harmonized and the corresponding microdata entrusted to the project.
  - c. Table 3 lists the variables available in each census.
4. Discuss methodologies and procedures of the IPUMS project
5. Address questions and concerns regarding any aspects of the project

### Agenda: *(preliminary)*

**Friday, Aug 24. STCPM 15 (IASS): Disseminating Population Census Microdata: Issues and Methods.**

**Saturday, August 25, 09:00-18:00. INE-Portugal, Av. António José de Almeida, Salão Nobre**

**9:00**

- **Welcome: Mr. Fernando Casimiro and Mrs. Alda Carvalho, INE-Portugal**
- **IPUMS-International update and challenges: Robert McCaa, MPC.**
- **Host Country report and Launch of Integrated Census Microdata of Portugal**

**10:00 Country reports, Americas: Colombia, Saint Lucia, CELADE**

**11:00 coffee break**

**11:30 Country reports, Africa: Ghana, South Africa, Sudan**

**12:30 tour of INE-Portugal facilities**

**13:00 lunch, hosted by INE-Portugal**

**15:00 Country reports, Asia: Indonesia, Thailand**

**16:30 Coffee break**

**17:00 Country reports, Europe: Germany, Turkey**

**20:00 Dinner**

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## Web Sites

### *Getting started:*

- Memorandum of understanding:  
[http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/IPUMSI/understanding\\_ipums-international.pdf](http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/IPUMSI/understanding_ipums-international.pdf)
- Census documentation needed: [http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global/documentation\\_needs\\_ipums-global.pdf](http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global/documentation_needs_ipums-global.pdf)
- Microdata Specs:  
[http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global/microdata\\_specs\\_ipums-global.pdf](http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global/microdata_specs_ipums-global.pdf)

### *Workshop Guidelines for reports:*

- Country reports:  
[http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global/country\\_report\\_guidelines.pdf](http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global/country_report_guidelines.pdf)
- Table 1: Inventory of census documentation available for microdata harmonization (questionnaires, instructions, codebooks, etc.)  
[http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global/table1\\_docs.xls](http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global/table1_docs.xls)
- Table 2: Summary description of each census and microdata sample  
[http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global/table2\\_data.xls](http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global/table2_data.xls)
- Table 3: Variable availability by census year  
[http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global/table3\\_vars.xls](http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global/table3_vars.xls)

### *IPUMS-Global Project documents:*

- IPUMS-Global: the project (proposal, calendar, guidelines, tables):  
[www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global](http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global)
- Overview: [http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global/overview\\_ipumsi.pdf](http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global/overview_ipumsi.pdf)
- Confidentiality and Data Privacy:
  - [http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/statistical\\_confidentiality\\_unece\\_ipums\\_iec\\_m-europe.pdf](http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/statistical_confidentiality_unece_ipums_iec_m-europe.pdf)
  - [http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums\\_psd2006\\_0824.pdf](http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums_psd2006_0824.pdf)
- Challenges and methods:  
[http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global/methods\\_ipumsi.pdf](http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/ipums-global/methods_ipumsi.pdf)
- “The microdata revolution: a brief history”:  
[www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/census\\_microdata\\_revolution.doc](http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/census_microdata_revolution.doc)

### *Production Sites:*

- Integrated Microdata Dissemination: <https://www.ipums.org/international>
- or <http://www.hist.umn.edu/~rmccaa/> (click IPUMS-Europe, IPUMSLA, etc.)

## **Lodging Information**

*Although delegates may stay at any hotel, per-diem, including lodging, is limited to US\$264 (including food, lodging, ground transportation, and incidentals; please see the invitation for details).* Unless instructed otherwise, the project will arrange bookings for the delegates at:

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