Program IBUC 2000

Wednesday, 10 May

8-30 - 9-30 Registration

9-30 - 10-30 Introduction

Donal Murphy: Director General, Central Statistics Office

Tony Manners: IBUC Co-ordinator – ONS Gerrit de Bolster: Blaise at Statistics Netherlands

Gaetan St-Louis: Statistics Canada

10-30 - 11-00 Break

11-00 - 13-00 Case Management and CATI

* Using Blaise to Automate the Clerical edit and Telephone follow-up component of the American Community Survey Barbara Diskin, US Census Bureau

* Central and Local survey administration through communicating data systems Thomas Hoei, Statistics Norway

 Survey Management for the United Enterprise Statistics Program at Statistics Canada Armin Braslins, Statistics Canada

Monitoring CATI Enumerators
 Asa Manning, Leonard Hart, NASS

13-00 - 14-00 Lunch

14-00 - 15-40 Surveys using Blaise

* Use of CAPI instrument in a blind test of the UK 2001 Census form Lucy Haselden, ONS

 Developing a Blaise instrument for the Spanish Bladder Cancer Survey Richard Frey, Westat

 * Using Blaise in a nationwide Food Consumption Survey Lois Steinfeldt, US Department of Agriculture

 * Challenges in developing a longitudinal survey on income dynamics Brett Martin, Statistics New Zealand

 Data Collection in Two Phase and multi centre Health Survey Vesa Kuusela, Statistics Finland

15-40 - 16-00 Break

16-00 - 17-30 Blaise and the Internet

* Internet assisted coding Sylvia von Wrisberg, Bavarian State Bureau

* Blaise Internet Services put to the test: Websurfing the Construction Industry Hans Wings and Marko Roos, CBS

* The use XML in a Blaise environment Jelke Bethlehem, Lon Hofman, CBS

* The Internet, Blaise and a representative sample Dirk Sikkel, Adriaan Hoogendoorn, Bas Weerman

Thursday, 11 May

8-30 - 10-10 Special Applications in Blaise

* Audit Trails or How to Display Arabic Text in Blaise Leif Bochis, Statistics Denmark

* Blaise generator for High speed data entry applications Pavle Kozjek, Statistics Slovenia

* ManiTabs: Making tabulations in Ms-EXCEL with Manipula Tieerd Jellema

* Blaise and API, Steve Anderson, ONS

10-10 - 10-30 Break

10-30 - 12-30 Blaise Team Presents

12-30 - 13-30 Lunch

13-30 - 14-45 How Survey Organisations use Blaise

 * Around Blaise Surveys at Statistics Netherlands Marien Lina, CBS

* Blaise in European Community Household Panel of Statistics Italy Alessandra Sorrentino, ISTA

* The process of Making a new CAI operation in Statistics Norway Hilde Degerdal, Statistics Norway

 Five years experience with CAI and Blaise Fred Wensing, ABS

FRIDAY, 12 May

9-30 - 11-10 Design issues in using Blaise

*Configuration Management and Advanced testing methods for large, complex Blaise instruments

Steven Newman & Peter Steghuis, Westat

* Whatever Happened to our data model? Sven Sjodin, National Centre for Social Research

* What users want from a tool for Analysing and documenting electronic Questionnaires: The user requirements for the TADEQ Project Maureen Kelly, ONS

 * Converting Blaise 2.5 toBlaise4Windows John O'Connor, Jacqueline Hunt, CSO

* NASS Conversion to Blaise4Windows with a Visual Basic Interface Tony Dorn, Roger Schou

11-10-11-30 Break

11-30 - 12-50 Authoring and metadata in Blaise

* Helping non-programmers to specify a Blaise Questionnaire
Mark Pierzchala, Graham Farrant, National Centre for Social Research & Westat

* Development and evaluation of screen design standards for Blaise for Windows

Mick Couper,

* From DOS to Windows
Diane Bushnell, ONS

* The TADEQ Project, state of affairs Jelke Bethlehem, CBS

12-50 - 14-00 Lunch

14-00 15-00 IBUG Meeting, Including review of conference

15-00 - 17-00 BClub meeting