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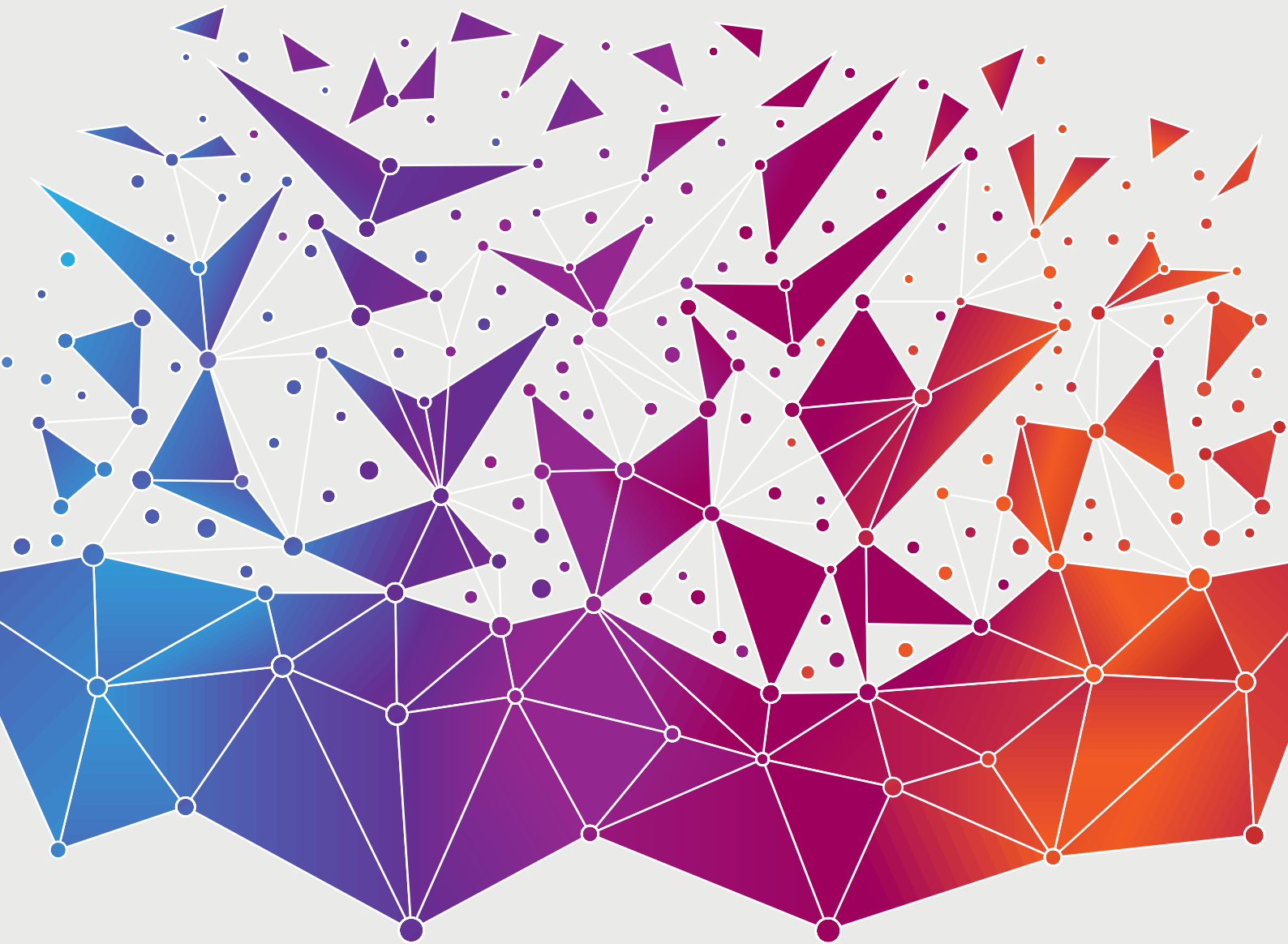
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**APEC Labour Mobility Statistics Forum
Viña del Mar, Chile
2-3 May 2019**



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APEC Labour Mobility Statistics Forum Programme

Improving APEC data collection capacity.

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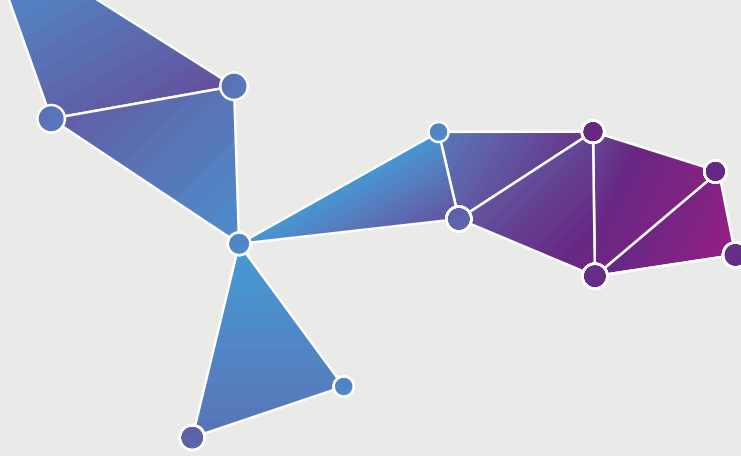
Wednesday, 1 May 2019, Pre-Forum events

Time	Session	
10:00 – 16:00	Registration Delegates are encouraged to collect registration passes a day before the Forum.	
12.30 – 15.00	Speakers/facilitators seminar A mid-afternoon seminar will be held with speakers and facilitators at the Hotel Sheraton Miramar in final preparation for the Forum.	Dr Jabulane Matsebula Political Sociologist, Australia



Thursday, 2 May 2019

Time	Session	
09:00 – 10:40	Opening session	Dr Jabulane Matsebula Political Sociologist, Australia
	Opening remarks	APEC 2019 SOM Chair
	Welcoming remarks (15 minutes)	Professor Park HRDWG Lead Shepherd
	Introduction and programme	Dr Jabulane Matsebula Political Sociologist, Australia
	Keynote address 1 (20 minutes)	Mr Guillermo Alfonso Pattillo Head of National Institute of Statistics, Chile
	Keynote address 2 (20 minutes)	Mr Bjorn Jarvis Head of Labour Force Survey Australia
	Dialogue with guest speakers (20 minutes) The case for improving labour mobility data collection, integration and sharing.	Dr Marina Manke Head of Labour Mobility and Human Development, IOM
10:40	Group Photo	
10:40 – 11:00	Morning Tea/Coffee Break	



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<p>11:00 – 12:00</p>	<p>SESSION 1 Setting the scene: Labour market and labour mobility dynamics in the APEC region</p> <p>FACILITATOR – Mr Nick Mowbray Economist, Australia</p> <p>The purpose of this session is to provide an overview of labour market conditions, demographic change and labour mobility trends in the region. Speakers will also focus their attention to the challenges of monitoring labour market conditions in a fluid global market place, including growing demand for reliable and real time data. This session will set the scene for the Forum and the urgency for improving the quality and availability of labour mobility statistics and labour market information.</p>				
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	<p>Q&A and panel discussion (20 minutes) To what extent is demographic change reshaping labour market supply and demand?</p> <p>Dr Sara Wong Director of the Center for Asian Pacific Studies at ESPOL, Ecuador</p> <p>Professor Alberto Posso Professor of Economics Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology University</p> <p>Associate Professor Anna Boucher Global Migration Expert University of Sydney</p> <p>Mr Nilim Baruah Senior Migration Specialist Decent Work Team, Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific, ILO</p>				



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12:00 – 12:30	SESSION 2 Changing scenes: Future data options in a technology-driven world FACILITATOR – Associate Professor Anna Boucher Global Migration Expert, University of Sydney It is widely acknowledged that traditional methods of statistical production and labour market information systems have not kept pace with structural shift in skills demand, new forms of work, globalisation and new technologies. Evidence on emerging demand for labour and skills is critical to our understanding of the jobs market and the governance of labour mobility. This session will discuss innovative approaches to the challenges and opportunities for adapting statistical production and skills forecasting tools to emerging labour market developments and user needs. It will include discussion of non-traditional data sources and collection methods.	
12:00 – 12:30	TOPIC	New technologies for monitoring labour market needs in a rapidly changing and complex global economy. (20 minutes) Mr Matt Sigelman Chief Executive Officer Burning Glass
Q&A (10 minutes)		
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch and networking	
14:00 – 15:30	SESSION 2 continues	
	TOPICS	Overview of labour market information in APEC and its role in facilitating regional economic integration and mobility of labour. (20 minutes) Mr Emmanuel San Andres Economist APEC Policy Support Unit
		Adapting statistical production to structural shift in skills demand, new forms of work and emerging trends in labour mobility. (20 minutes) Dr Marina Manke Head of Labour Mobility and Human Development, IOM
		Dialogue with speakers and panel discussion (50 minutes) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Can Big Data and traditional statistical methods exist in unity to improve the production and accessibility of data on global skills demand and labour supply? – How can Big Data fill the gaps in knowledge about the transfer of skills, recognition of qualification and skills mismatch in international labour mobility flows.
		Mr Matt Sigelman Chief Executive Officer Burning Glass Mr Emmanuel San Andres APEC Policy Support Unit Dr. Pi-Chi HAN Senior Advisor, Chinese Taipei Dr Marina Manke Head of Labour Mobility and Human Development, IOM Ms Noraliza Mohamad Ali Malaysia
15:30 – 15:50	Afternoon coffee break	



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15:50 – 17:50

SESSION 3
State of labour mobility statistics in APEC: findings of the Baseline Study

FACILITATOR – Professor Alberto Posso
 Professor of Economics
 Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology University

In this session, the International Labour Organization (ILO) will discuss the scope, findings and recommendations of the Baseline Study, with a primary focus on labour mobility statistics. The Baseline Study set out to investigate labour mobility and labour market data collection practices, gaps and future prospects for improving data harmonisation and sharing. After the presentation, delegates will have the opportunity to participate in a panel discussion and discuss the key findings of the Baseline Study report. The key objectives of this session is to provide a platform for APEC economies to reflect on the strength and limitations of labour mobility statistics in the region, and explore options for improving the quality, accessibility and comparability of mobility statistics.

TOPICS

Findings and recommendations of the Baseline Study. (45 minutes)	Mr Nilim Baruah Senior Migration Specialist Decent Work Team, Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific, ILO Dr Andrea Salvini, ILO Ms Marina Cruz de Andrade ILO
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<p>Panel discussion and open dialogue with the ILO (1 hour: 15 minutes)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Strengths and limitations of labour mobility statistics in APEC – methods, quality, scope, reporting and usage. – Opportunities for improving labour mobility statistics at domestic and regional levels. 	<p>Mr Nilim Baruah Senior Migration Specialist Decent Work Team, Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific, ILO Canada Chile Malaysia Indonesia Viet Nam Mr Emmanuel San Andres Economist APEC Policy Support Unit</p>
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17:50 – 18:00

Conclusions from Day 1

Dr Jabulane Matsebula
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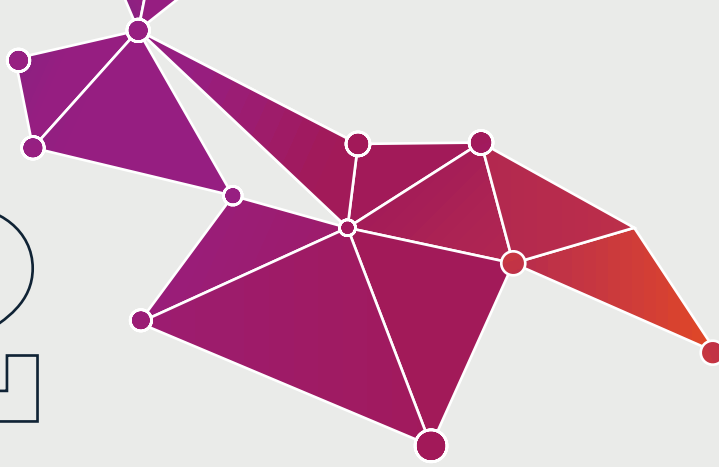
18:00 – 20:00	Welcome Reception and Networking
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Friday, 3 May 2019

Time	Session							
09:00 – 09:15	Recapping Day 1 and overview of Day 2 programme	Dr Jabulane Matsebula Political Sociologist Australia						
09:15 – 10:15	<p>SESSION 4 Panel discussion: Labour mobility statistics in five APEC economies FACILITATOR – Dr Andrea Salvini, ILO</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td> <p>Canada Mr Vincent Dale Statistics Canada</p> </td> <td> <p>Indonesia Ms Rizky Dwi Yuniarvi BPS Statistics Indonesia</p> </td> </tr> <tr> <td> <p>Chile</p> </td> <td> <p>Philippines Ms Wilma Guillen Philippine Statistics Authority</p> </td> </tr> <tr> <td> <p>Mexico Mr Fernando Ali Urbina Avendaño Director of Migration Planning and Promotion</p> </td> <td></td> </tr> </table>		<p>Canada Mr Vincent Dale Statistics Canada</p>	<p>Indonesia Ms Rizky Dwi Yuniarvi BPS Statistics Indonesia</p>	<p>Chile</p>	<p>Philippines Ms Wilma Guillen Philippine Statistics Authority</p>	<p>Mexico Mr Fernando Ali Urbina Avendaño Director of Migration Planning and Promotion</p>	
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Q&A and dialogue with panellists								
10:15 – 10:35	Morning Tea/Coffee Break							
10:35 – 12:00	<p>SESSION 5 Harmonisation of labour mobility statistics in APEC FACILITATOR – Mr Bjorn Jarvis Head of Labour Force Survey Australia</p> <p>Building on the findings of the Baseline study, the purpose of this session is to explore ways and means of achieving labour mobility data harmonisation in the region. The session will discuss the application of common statistical concepts, definitions, methods and sources to achieve data harmonisation. It will draw upon initiatives in other regions and the <i>Guidelines concerning Statistics on International Labour Migration</i> adopted by the 20th International Conference of Labour Statisticians in 2018. Delegates will share experiences and thoughts about the type of actions APEC economies should consider in reducing barriers to data harmonisation, integration and sharing. In a dialogue with speakers, delegates will also share experiences of cross-agency and cross-border cooperation in collecting and sharing labour mobility data.</p>							
TOPICS	<p>Harmonisation and sharing of labour mobility statistics: global and regional initiatives</p>	<p>Ms Marcela Cabezas Regional Labour Statistician, ILO</p> <p>Dr Jean-Christophe Dumont Head of International Migration Division, OECD</p> <p>Ms Marina Cruz de Andrade ILO</p>						

DAY 02



Time	Session
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Q&A and dialogue with speakers (25 minutes)

Data harmonisation:

- What is the goal?
- Where to start and how to proceed?
- What are the supporting pillars – concepts, definitions, sources, methods, cross-agency coordination, regional cooperation...?
- What level of harmonisation is achievable?

12:00 – 13:00

SESSION 6 Gender mainstreaming in labour mobility statistics; Why gender disaggregated data is essential?

FACILITATOR – Ms Caroline Stefoni
University of Chile

Gender disaggregated data is critical to our understanding of the contribution of female and male workers to economic growth and development. However, gender disaggregated data in international mobility flows is scarce and underdeveloped. This session will discuss these issues, particularly the need for increasing investment in disaggregating international labour mobility data by gender to improve the visibility of both women and men in international mobility flows.

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Assessing gender effects in international labour mobility (20 minutes)

Associate Professor
Anna Boucher
Global Migration Expert
University of Sydney, Australia

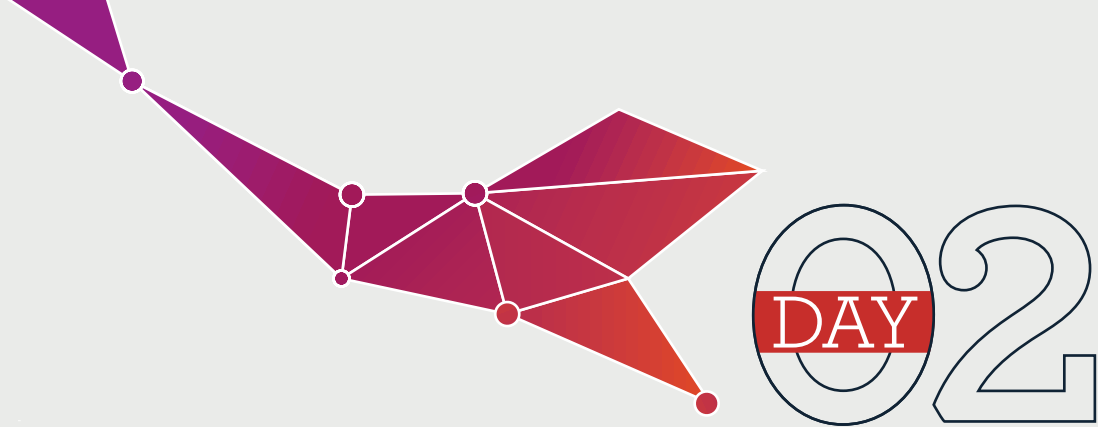
The gender dimension of labour mobility: improving data on the integration of women in the economy (20 minutes)

Ms María José
Head of Ministry of Women and Gender Equality Study Department, Chile

Q&A and dialogue with speakers (20 minutes)

13:00 – 14:30

Lunch and networking



Time	Session	
14:30 – 16:00	<p>SESSION 7 Building institutional connectivity and capacity</p> <p>FACILITATOR – Mr Jean-Christophe Dumont Head of International Migration Division, OECD</p> <p>Session 7 is about building institutional connectivity and data collection capacity in APEC economies, based on domestic circumstances and needs. The session will also discuss opportunities for supporting APEC economies in addressing behind-the-border barriers in sharing and reporting data. The International Organization for Migration will present a mapping analysis of capacity building needs and a proposal for the development of an APEC capacity building strategy to address these needs. This analysis complements the Baseline Study conducted by the International Labour Organization. Delegates will also learn about successful bilateral and multilateral capacity building initiatives in the region.</p>	
TOPICS	<p>Development of an APEC Capacity Building Strategy (40 minutes)</p>	<p>Dr Marina Manke Head of Labour Mobility and Human Development, IOM, supported by MR Vassiliy Yuzhanin, IOM</p>
	<p>Panel discussion and dialoge with audience</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Building institutional capacities to collect and share labour mobility statistics: Approaches, benefits, limitations and sustainability of institutional capacity building – Case studies of successful institutional capacity building initiatives 	<p>Dr Marina Manke Head of Labour Mobility and Human Development, IOM OECD Malaysia Indonesia Dr Andrea Salvini ILO</p>
<p>16:00 – 16:20 Afternoon coffee break</p>		



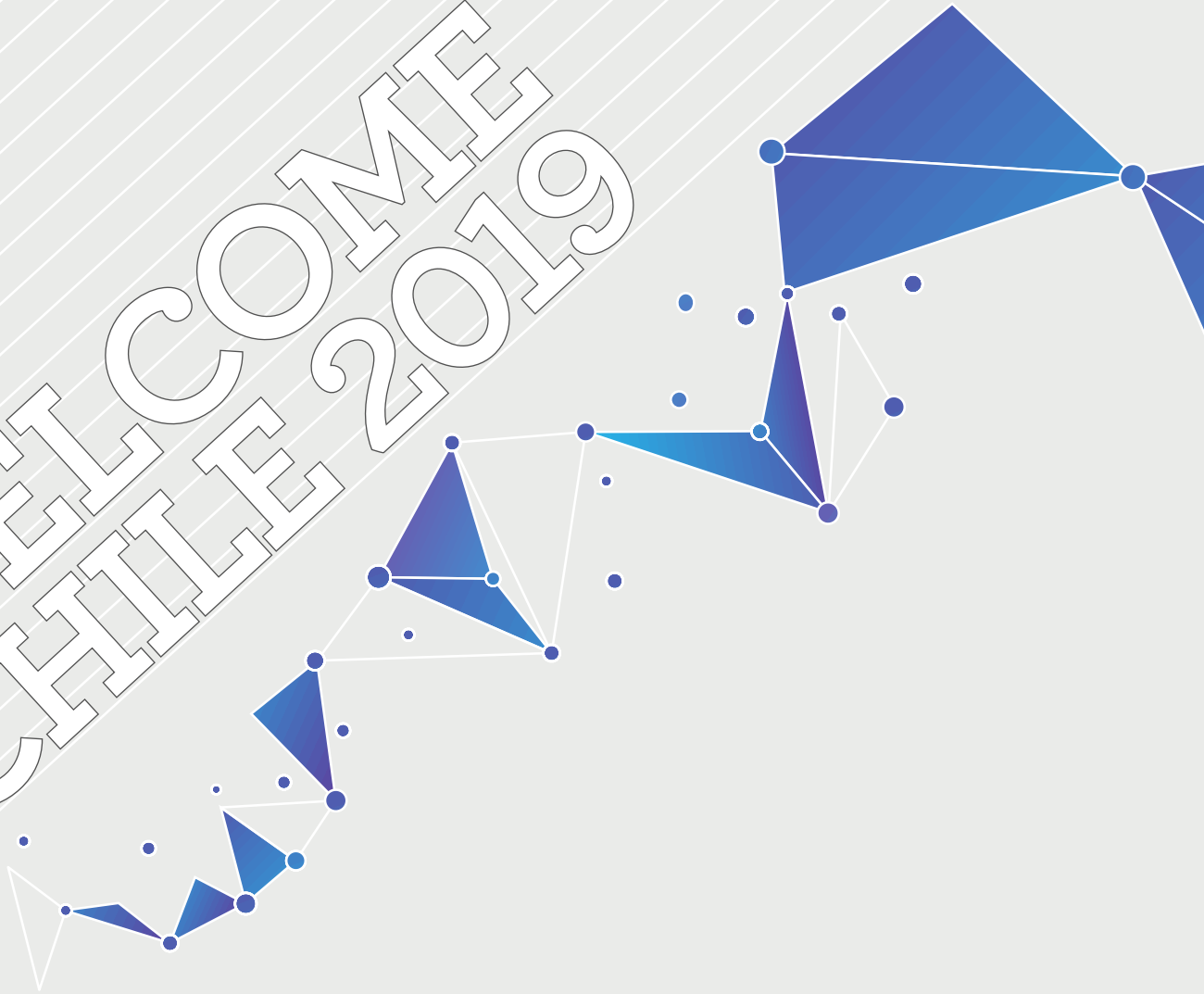
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16:20 – 17:20	<p>SESSION 8 Recommendations and conclusion</p> <p>The purpose of this session is to synthesise the views shared by delegates and speakers into recommendations on a way forward for improving the availability of labour mobility statistics and labour market information in the Asia-Pacific region.</p> <p>It will include panel and open discussion on the following issues:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i) harmonisation of labour mobility statistics, ii) labour market information sharing; and iii) capacity building. <p>Panel discussion on recommendations on the wayward</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Labour mobility statistics – Labour market information – Capacity building 	
17:20 – 17:40	Conclusion	<p>ILO IOM PSU Five APEC economies</p> <p>Mr Bjorn Jarvis Head of Labour Force Survey Australia</p>
17:40 – 18:00	Closing remarks	<p>Labour and Social Protection Network Coordinator, Malaysia</p> <p>Dr Jabulane Matsebula Political Sociologist Australia</p>

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