

WORKSHOP ON SURVEY SAMPLING IN HONOUR OF JEAN-CLAUDE DEVILLE

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The themes of this conference are methods of sampling and estimation under finite populations. We take this opportunity to pay a tribute to Jean-Claude Deville for his major contributions to the field of survey methods. Jean-Claude has notably worked on calibration methods and generalized calibration; he has also proposed new sampling methods for both equal and unequal probabilities and balanced sampling, new methods for the treatment of non-response, for variance estimation and for resampling.

Jean-Claude Deville has consistently combined statistical innovation with a deep pragmatism, anticipating the implications of new statistical methods applied to the domain of survey methods. Most of his methods are currently used in several national bureaus of statistics and take a central part in their statistical methodology.

This conference is an occasion to unite both theoretical and practical aspects of research in survey methods that have been influenced by Jean-Claude. We hope that it will also provide an opportunity for the exchange and enrichment of new ideas

Invited speakers

Pascal **Ardilly**, Admsitrateur de l'Insee
Jimmy **Armoogum**, Inrets
Yves **Berger**, University of Southampton
Philippe **Brion**, Insee
Nathalie **Caron**, Insee
Ray **Chambers**, University of Wollongong
Guillaume **Chauvet**, Insee
Jean Claude **Deville**, Ensai
Wayne **Fuller**, Iowa State University
Camelia **Goga**, Université de Bourgogne
Monique **Graf**, Ofs
David **Haziza**, Université de Montréal
Mike **Hidiroglou**, Statistique Canada

Beat **Hulliger**, Fachhochschule Nordwestschweiz Hochschule für
Wirtschaft, Suisse
Pierre **Lavallée**, Statistique Canada
Risto **Lehtonen**, University of Helsinki
Gad **Nathan**, Université Hébraïque de Jerusalem
Jon **Rao**, Carleton University, Ottawa
Ruilin **Ren**, Macro International Inc., Washington
Carl-Erik **Särndal**, Université de Montréal
Oliver **Sautory**, Insee
Chris **Skinner**, University of Southampton
Mohamed **Tirari**, Ecole Nationale de la Statistique et de l'Analyse de
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