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Welcome

- You are welcome to the new world order and Official Statistics in Africa
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Introduction

- In this new world order of Globalization of ICT revolution, Big Data evolution and COVID-19 Era
- There is an unprecedented need for data to not only enable decision makers to inform policies and planning but to also minimize the risk for all especially the vulnerable population groups in Africa.
- Data is an important driver to all round development, Data is needed to bring about development in Africa to change her world.
- What are the roles of the National Statistical Offices (NSOs)
- Is the present NSOs in Africa able to meet Data need that could drive all round growth SDGs by 2030?
- How do we revolutionized official statistics in Africa?
- What are the opportunities for obtaining Official Statistics in Africa?
- Should Official Statistics go into competition with new data evolution?
- How do we build robust collaboration between the users and the producers of official statistics in Africa?
- From the point of view of the global data community, are we ready for such a huge challenge in Africa?

Introduction of the Panelist...

- Four speakers drawn from the Academic who will speak on various topics
- **First speaker:** Dr. Iyabo .F. Oyenuga-Lecturer, Mathematic and Statistics Department, The Polytechnic, Ibadan Oyo State, Nigeria/IAOS Member.
- Second Speaker: Prof. O. E. Olubusoye-Coordinator, University of Ibadan Laboratory for Interdisciplinary Statistical Analysis [UI-LISA] and Professor of Statistics, University of Ibadan, Oyo state, Nigeria
- Third Speaker: Professor D. A. Agunbiade-Professor of Statistics,
 Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ago Iwoye. Ogun State, Nigeria.
- Forth Speaker: Dr. Pieter Everaers- Chief Editor, Statistical Journal of International Association for Official Statistics

Introduction....

- Please feel free to send in question(s) using the question tab window
- I hand YOU over to the First Speaker, Dr.
 Oyenuga who will speak on the topic
 'Importance of Data in National Development'
- Thank you

Learning Objectives

- Technology
- Procedure
- Policies
- Benefits



