

Abstract

Challenges for a National Statistical Office: The Australian perspective

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This presentation will overview of a selection of the key issues and challenges facing the Australian Bureau of Statistics over the coming years. In particular, we will discuss a) the ABS' information management and business process transformation program, and b) the increasing importance and potential value of data integration. This presentation will draw on several statistical projects, including the 2016 Population Census, as key examples to illustrate both the challenges and the opportunities which the ABS will tackle within an Australian context.