



## SIDE EVENT

## "DATA AND STATISTICS: A KEY INSTRUMENT TO GUIDE DECISION MAKING"

## **4<sup>TH</sup> International Conference on Financing for Development (FFD4)**

The Fourth International Conference on Financing for Development (FfD4) represents a major opportunity for the international community to galvanise the mobilisation of all policies and resources for the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals and the acceleration of the implementation of the 2030 Agenda at the global level, and will take place only five years after the finalisation of the 2030 Agenda. Developing countries consider this Conference as one of the critical milestones in the development agenda.

FfD4 aims to adopt a new development financing paradigm that will contribute to the effective implementation of the 2030 Agenda and the SDGs.

## https://financing.desa.un.org/ffd4

Within the FfD4, INE has taken on the organisation of a face-to-face side event entitled 'Data and statistics: a key instrument to guide decision-making', which will take place on Wednesday 2 July at 10:30.

The objective of this event is to highlight the relevance of data and statistics for better decision making, assessing the value of the production of official statistics. In addition, the implementation of the Medellin Framework for Action and the Seville Platform for Action will be promoted.

This event will be attended by international experts such as Elsa Dhuli (DG of the Albanian Statistical Institute), Miosotis Rivas (Head of ECLAC Subregional Headquarters), Clara van der Pol (Director of Statistics of UN Tourism) and Benjamin Rothen (Head of International and National Affairs of the Swiss Federal Statistical Office), in addition to the President of INE.

SIDE EVENT CONCEPT NOTE