

Workshop on the use of National Transfer Accounts to address population and development challenges

What's the best recipe for the *Report on the Generational Economy*?

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Suggested Times:

Workshop A: 10am (Santiago), 2pm (Senegal), 4pm (Vienna), 9pm (Bangkok), 4am (Honolulu)
Workshop B: 11am (Bangkok), 6pm (Honolulu), 12 midnight (Santiago), 4am (Senegal), 6am (Vienna)

Objective: In general, how can National Transfer Accounts be used to address population and development challenges? In particular, what would be the key contents of a “*Report on the Generational Economy, 2021-2061*” that uses NTA data to inform policymakers and the general public on the economic and fiscal impacts of demographic change?

Why? The NTA network is an important player in the global conversation about the economic and fiscal impacts of demographic change. A key strength of the NTA network is the production of a standardized set of estimates of the Generational Economy for over 60 countries. Could a similar standardized approach be used in producing forecasts of the future Generational Economy?

How? A global, digital conversation among NTA researchers to discuss the best “recipe” for the report. Since we are spread around the world in different time zones, we’ll be looking for ways to avoid having this conversation at 3am in the morning. A few weeks before the conference, we can begin the conversation using a digital visual workspace – basically a big canvas with post-it notes. Then, during the conference we’ll continue the discussion in a one-hour workshop with breakout sessions for small groups. The workshops will be offered at two different times – to accommodate differences in time zones.

Output: The outcome of the workshop will be an assessment of the key development issues to be addressed, the comparative advantages of the NTA network, and the next steps for the pilot project among 5 countries in 2021 on “*Report on the Generational Economy, 2021-2061.*”