



## Preliminary Agenda Webinar

### “THE SOCIO-ECONOMIC BENEFITS OF GEOSPATIAL INFORMATION”

Side event under the framework of the Eighth Session of UN-GGIM: Americas

NOVEMBER 9, 2021 (09:00 A.M. Mexico UTC-6, 10:00 EST)

#### Moderators:

- Rosario Casanova – President, UN-GGIM: Americas Academic Network
- Joep Crompvoets - President of the UN-GGIM: Europe Academic Network - Associate Professor at KU Leuven, Belgium

#### 09:00 – 09:10 Welcome remarks

- Paloma Merodio Gómez – President, UN-GGIM: Americas

#### 09:10 – 10:00 Presentations “What are the main socio-economic benefits of Geospatial Information?”

- Alvaro Monett – Regional Advisor on Geospatial Information Management, Statistics Division, ECLAC
- Sandra Moreno – Technical Director of Geostatistics, DANE Colombia
- Gregorio Rosario Michel – Professor at the Autonomous University of Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
- Andrew Coote - CEO of ConsultingWhere
- Valrie Grant – President, Private Sector Network Americas

#### 10:00 – 10:25 Panel discussion

#### 10:25 – 10:30 Closing remarks