

## Call for Expressions of Interest from National Statistics and Census Offices to Host the **ANCSDAAP 33rd Population Census Conference**

The Association of National Census and Statistics Directors of America, Asia, and the Pacific (ANCSDAAP) invites national statistics offices and census offices in the region to submit expressions of interest to host the **33rd Population Census Conference in 2027**, under the theme “Innovations and Directions for Improvement of the Next Round of Censuses for Informed Decision-making”.

ANCSDAAP regularly organizes the Population Census Conference every 1.5 to 2 years in collaboration with a host national statistics office or census office. The Conference provides a platform for communication, cooperation, and the exchange of knowledge and experience relating to population censuses across the region.

Recent Population Census Conferences include:

21 <sup>st</sup> Conference	Kyoto, Japan (2003)	27 <sup>th</sup> Conference	Tokyo, Japan (2014)
22 <sup>nd</sup> Conference	Seattle, United States (2005)	28 <sup>th</sup> Conference	Minneapolis, United States (2016)
23 <sup>rd</sup> Conference	New Zealand (2007)	29 <sup>th</sup> Conference	Da Nang, Viet Nam (2018)
24 <sup>th</sup> Conference	Hong Kong, China (2009)	30 <sup>th</sup> Conference	Virtual (2020)
25 <sup>th</sup> Conference	Seoul, Republic of Korea (2011)	31 <sup>st</sup> Conference	Tokyo, Japan (2022)
26 <sup>th</sup> Conference	Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia (2013)	32 <sup>nd</sup> Conference	Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia (2024)

The Conference will be hosted by a national statistics office or census office. Where appropriate, the selected host office may collaborate with other relevant institutions on local arrangements for the Conference.

Organizations interested in hosting the Conference in 2027 are invited to submit a brief proposal to the ANCSDAAP Secretariat at [secretariat@ancsdaap.org](mailto:secretariat@ancsdaap.org) by **May 20, 2026**. The proposal should include the proposed dates and venue, together with brief information on the host office and the designated focal point.

For countries considering hosting the Population Census Conference for the first time, the ANCSDAAP Secretariat is currently preparing guidelines on the overall planning and organization of the Conference, which may serve as a useful reference for the host office. In addition, hosting the Population Census Conference may provide the host national statistics office or census office with an opportunity to become eligible to serve on the ANCSDAAP Board, in accordance with the Association’s bylaws.

The ANCSDAAP Secretariat and Board members will review the proposals and select the host for the 33rd Population Census Conference. The Secretariat will notify applicants individually by email. Information on the selected Conference will be formally announced on the Association’s website. Further information about ANCSDAAP and the Population Census Conference is available at <https://ancsdaap.org/main/main.php>.



ANCSDAAP looks forward to receiving expressions of interest from eligible national statistics and census offices in the region.

Sincerely,

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