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The Twenty-second General Conference of the International Association for Research in Income and Wealth will be held in Flims, Switzerland, on August 30-September 5, 1992. There will be five plenary sessions and six concurrent sessions of the conference. The topics and organizers of individual sessions are given below. Anyone interested in submitting a paper to be considered for any of these sessions should write directly to the appropriate session organizer, enclosing an outline or abstract for the proposed paper.

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2. Market and Nonmarket Use of Time
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3. Use of the SNA in CPE Countries
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4. Development and Dissemination of Data Products: Producers' and Users' Views
Organizer: Michael C. Wolfson, Statistics Canada, 24-A R.H. Coats Bldg., Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0T6, Canada.
5. Misuse and Use of National Accounts for Measuring Welfare
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1. (A) The Measurement of Capital for Production and the Role of Intangibles
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(B) Use of Equivalence Scales in Welfare Comparisons
Organizer: Patricia Ruggles, Urban Institute, 2100 M St., NW, Washington, DC 20037, U.S.A.
2. (A) Comparability of Historical National Accounting Data: Across Countries and Across Time
Organizer: Angus Maddison, Chevincourt 60150, France.
(B) Choice of Time Period in Income Distribution Comparisons
Organizer: Lars Osberg, Dalhousie University, Halifax, NS, Canada B3H 3J5.

3. (A) History of National Accounts and the Development of National Accounting Concepts

Organizer: Zoltan Kenessey, Federal Reserve Board, Washington, D.C. 20551, U.S.A.

(B) Contributed Papers

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