



OECD
Better Life
Initiative

Towards better measures of income inequality: the OECD Better Life Initiative Perspective

Romina Boarini, OECD

**Asia-Pacific Conference on Measuring Well-Being and Fostering the Progress of Societies
Tokyo, 5-6 Dec 2011**

Outline of the presentation

- Income inequality and the crisis
- Why measuring income inequality is important to assess well-being
- Measurement challenges and ongoing OECD work