

*Interregional workshop on*  
**Collecting and using migration-related data for development:  
 Cooperation and exchange in the European-African corridor**

*Organized by:*  
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**ORGANIZATION OF WORK**

Wednesday, 30 November	
<b>9.30 – 10.00</b>	<b>Registration</b>
<b>10.00 – 11.00</b>	<b>SESSION I Welcome and introductions</b>
	<p>Welcome remarks</p> <p><i>Counsellor Luca Zelioli, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation</i></p> <p><i>Bela Hovy, Haoyi Chen, UN/DESA</i></p> <p><i>Ashwani Muthoo, Director of the Global Engagement, Knowledge and Strategy Division, IFAD</i></p> <p>Introduction, objectives, programme, participant introductions  <i>Bela Hovy, UN/DESA</i></p> <p>Setting the scene: Global trends  <i>Bela Hovy, UN/DESA</i></p>
<b>11.00 – 13.00</b>	<b>SESSION II International migration and development: Implications for data collection</b>
	<p><i>Objective: To present global, regional and national policy initiatives related to international migration, to discuss their implications for data collection and to identify challenges related to the collection and use of migration-related data.</i></p> <p>The Sustainable Development Goals and the New York Declaration for Refugees and Migrants</p>

	<p><i>Bela Hovy, UN/DESA</i></p> <p>Harnessing the contribution of migrants for development: The Addis Ababa Action Agenda <i>Pedro De Vasconcelos, Manager of the Financing Facility for Remittances, IFAD</i></p> <p>Data and the external dimension of the EU migration policy: a big challenge <i>Dario Tarchi, Joint Research Centre, European Commission</i></p> <p>Group work, reporting back and discussion: national migration policies and implications for data collection</p> <p>Combining different data sources to address key policy questions <i>Morocco</i></p>
<b>13.00 –14.30</b>	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>
<b>14.30 – 17.30</b>	<b>SESSION III Improving the collection, analysis and dissemination of census data</b>
	<p><i>Objective: To share experiences on sources of migration data to inform policies and identify best practices in implementing the UN recommendations (population census)</i></p> <p>The 2010 round of population censuses (migrant stocks) <i>Chair: UN/DESA</i></p> <p>Country presentations: census experiences - <i>Egypt: census experience, lesson learnt, the way forward</i> - <i>Malta: census experience, lesson learnt, the way forward</i></p> <p>Methodological considerations/discussion <i>Haoyi Chen, UN/DESA</i></p> <p>Country presentations: census experiences and follow-up to the Dakar workshop - <i>Tunisia: 2014 census - how questions were asked to capture immigrants and emigrants; are there data on emigration; quality of data; the process of improving the questionnaire design in 2014 from the 2004 census</i> - <i>Burkina Faso: census experience, lesson learnt, any plans/activities related to migration after the 2015 Dakar workshop</i> - <i>Niger: follow-up Dakar workshop</i></p> <p>Methodological considerations/discussion <i>Haoyi Chen, UN/DESA</i></p>

<b>Thursday, 1 December</b>	
<b>10.00 – 13.00</b>	<b>SESSION IV Improving the collection, analysis and dissemination of migration-related data from administrative sources and household surveys</b>
	<p><i>Objective: To share experiences on sources of migration data to inform policies and identify best practices in implementing the UN recommendations (administrative sources) and household surveys</i></p> <p>Administrative sources Country presentations - Italy: administrative data and migration routes: data and tools - Morocco: administrative sources for migration flows - UNHCR: administrative data and migration routes</p> <p>Methodological considerations/discussion Bela Hovy, UN/DESA</p> <p>Country presentations: - Egypt: experience with the MED-HIMS survey on migration; presentation of results; lesson learnt - Niger: experience with the national migration survey (ENAMI); presentation of results; lesson learnt</p> <p>Methodological considerations/discussion Giambattista Cantisani, MEDSTAT Programme, EUROSTAT</p>
<b>13.00 – 14.30</b>	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>
<b>14.30 – 17.30</b>	<b>SESSION V Implementing the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development: Measuring migration-related indicators</b>
	<p><i>Objective: To identify migration-related indicators and to develop metadata for measuring these indicators</i></p> <p>The SDGs: migration-related targets with a particular emphasis on SDG target 10.7 and its potential dimensions Marzia Rango, IOM</p> <p>Migration policy questions for DESA's population inquiry Bela Hovy, UN/DESA</p> <p>General discussion</p> <p>Develop and review migration-related SDG indicators, assess data sources and discuss challenges - Bela Hovy, UN/DESA</p> <p>Group work, reporting back and discussion</p>

<b>Friday, 2 December</b>	
<b>10.00 – 12.30</b>	<p><b>SESSION VI</b> <b>Promoting regional cooperation, capacity building and data exchange</b></p> <p><i>Objective: To discuss opportunities for regional cooperation, capacity building and data exchange on migration data</i></p> <p>Exchanging international migration data in the CIS countries <i>Nathan Menton, UN/ECE</i></p> <p>IOM Italy: Data collection &amp; dissemination <i>Sandra Paola Alvarez, Project Development Officer, IOM Italy</i></p> <p>Capacity-building and data exchange in the ECOWAS region; IOM/DESA project <i>Haoyi Chen, UN/DESA</i></p> <p>Evaluation and wrap-up <i>Bela Hovy, UN/DESA</i></p>
<b>12.30 – 13.00</b>	<p><b>SESSION VII</b> <b>Way forward and closing</b></p> <p><i>Mr. Jean-Philippe Audinet, Officer in charge of the Policy and Technical Advisory Division, IFAD</i></p> <p><i>Bela Hovy, UN/DESA</i></p>