



Global Forum on
MIGRATION & DEVELOPMENT

GFMD Mauritius 2012

Second Meeting of the GFMD Friends of the Forum

Friday, 27 April 2012

15.00 – 18.00 hrs.

Palais des Nations, Geneva

Three Roundtables organized around a central theme

RT 1: Circulating Labour for Inclusive Development



“Enhancing the human development of migrants and their contribution to the development of communities and states”



RT 2: Factoring Migration into Development Planning



RT 3: Managing migration and perceptions of migration for development outcomes

Session 1.1: Beyond-the-Border Skills and Jobs for Human Development

Co-Chairs	Mauritius and UAE
Government Team Members	Bangladesh, Costa Rica, France, Germany, Philippines, Sweden, Switzerland
Non-Government Partners	ILO, IOM
Coordinators	Dr. Irena Omelaniuk and Mr. Salomon Samen



RT 1

Circulating Labour for Inclusive
Development

Session 1.2: Supporting Migrants and Diaspora as Agents of Socioeconomic Change

Co-Chairs	France, Morocco, Kenya
Government Team Members	Belgium, El Salvador, Germany, Ghana, Jamaica, Madagascar, Mali, Netherlands, South Africa, Spain, Switzerland, Germany
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RT 2

Factoring Migration into Development Planning

Session 2.1 Supporting National Development through Migration Mainstreaming Processes, Extended Migration Profiles and Poverty Reduction Strategies

Co-Chairs	Switzerland, Morocco, Mali
Government Team Members	Sweden, Madagascar, Niger, Nigeria
Non-Government Partners	UNDP, IOM, EU
Coordinators	Dr. Rolph Jenny and Mr. Viraj Ghoorah

Session 2.2 Addressing South-South Migration and Development Policies

Co-Chairs	Bangladesh and Ghana
Government Team Members	Argentina, Ethiopia, Kenya, Mauritius, Niger, Nigeria, Switzerland, United Kingdom
Non-Government Partners	IOM, UNDESA, EU, World Bank
Coordinators	Dr. Rolph Jenny and Mr. Viraj Ghoorah

RT 3

Managing Migration and Perceptions of Migration for Development Outcomes

Session 3.1 Improving Public Perceptions of Migrants and Migration

Co-Chairs	Canada, Mexico, Russian Federation
Government Team Members	Argentina, Netherlands, Philippines, Portugal, Turkey, USA
Non-Government Partners	IFRC, OHCHR, IOM
Coordinators	Mr. Chukwu-Emeka Chikezie



RT 3

Managing Migration and Perceptions of Migration for Development Outcomes

Session 3.2 Migrant Protection and Migration Management

Co-Chairs	Australia, Ethiopia
Government Team Members	Bangladesh, Indonesia, Netherlands, Philippines, USA
Non-Government Partners	UNHCR, OHCHR, IOM
Coordinators	Mr. Chukwu-Emeka Chikezie



RT3

Managing Migration and Perceptions of Migration for Development Outcomes

Session 3.3 Protecting Migrant Domestic Workers- Enhancing their Development Potential

Co-Chairs	Philippines and Turkey
Government Team Members	Belgium, Ecuador, Ghana, Jamaica, Mexico, South Africa, USA
Non-Government Partners	ILO, UN Women, IFRC, IOM
Coordinators	Ms. Elizabeth Adjei

Preparatory Meetings

11- 15 June 2012

- **11 June:** A brainstorming meeting on “**Enhancing Intra-African Cooperation on Migration and Development Policies**” to focus on labor mobility and skills development in Africa.
 - **Organizers:** Mauritian Chair, the UN Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA), the African Union, the African Development Bank and IOM.

- **12-13 June:** A workshop on “**Factoring Migration into Development Planning**”
 - **Organizers:** Switzerland, UNDP, IOM, Mauritian Chair

- **14-15 June:** The 2nd High Level Forum on “**Harnessing Diaspora Resources for Development in Africa**”
 - **Organizers:** World Bank and Mauritian Chair



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GFMD

Mauritius 2012

GFMD 2012 Summit Meeting

**“Enhancing the Human Development of Migrants and their
Contribution to the Development of Communities and States”**

21-22 November, 2012

Swami Vivekananda International Convention Center
Pailles, Mauritius

Version of 10 April 2012

22 November 2012

09:00 – 12:00

Simultaneous Roundtable Sessions II

RT 1.2: Supporting Migrants and
Diaspora as Agents of
Socioeconomic Change

RT 2.2: Addressing South-South
Migration and Development
Policies

RT 3.2: Migrant Protection and
Migration Management

12:00 – 13:30

Lunch

13:30-16:30

Simultaneous Special Sessions

RT 3.3: Protecting Migrant
Domestic Workers-Enhancing their
Development Potential

Future of the Forum

Platform for Partnerships

16:30 – 17:00

Coffee break

17:00-18:30

Closing Session

21 November 2012

9:00 - 10:00 **Opening Ceremony**

10:00 – 10:30 *Welcome Coffee*

10:30 – 13:30 **The Common Space**

13:30 – 15:00 *Lunch*

15:00 – 18:00 **Simultaneous Roundtable Sessions I**

RT 1.1: Beyond-the-Border Skills
and Jobs for Human Development

RT 2.1: Supporting national
Development through Migration
Mainstreaming Processes,
Extended Migration profiles and
Poverty Reduction Strategies

RT 3.1: Improving Public
Perceptions of Migrants and
Migration

18:00 – 20:30 *Dinner Reception with Cultural Presentation*

The Common Space

Format

Davos-style; thought leaders from governments; private sector; civil society; international organizations

Full audience participation via open mike

Constructive exchange building on common ground

Theme: Four options to consider

1. Actions that could lead to improvements in lives of people on the move and their families/communities
2. Migration and development/GFMD beyond 2013
3. Meaningful engagement with private sector as actors in migration and development
4. Labor mobility and skills development in South-South context: toward a multiannual program

Composition of Delegations

Member and Observer States of the United Nations

At least 3 participants per delegation, including HOD

GFMD Observers

(United Nations Agencies / Other International and Regional Bodies)

Up to 3 participants per delegation, including HOD

Registration

- Online at www.gfmd.org (GFMD main portal)
 - By email to registration@gfmd.org
- By fax to GFMD Support Unit: +4122 788 4948

DEADLINE

- 26 April : size of delegation and hotel requirements
- 18 June : names and composition of delegation

Hotel Accommodation

- As of 26 April deadline: 27 Governments and 6 GFMD Observers have responded
- Mauritian GFMD Taskforce will renegotiate with hotels until 31 May; but no assurance can be given

Email indicative number of Delegation Members and
Rooms required to:

- Mr. Soondiren Mootoo : mmootoo@mail.gov.mu
- Copied to : registration@gfmd.org (GFMD Support Unit)

Online Registration

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Read more...




- [2012 Concept Paper](#)
- [Conference Documents](#)
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Links with United Nations

- [UNSG's Special Representative](#)
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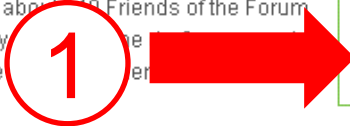
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GFMD Chair-in-Office

 **Mr. Ali Mansoor**
Financial Secretary

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Online Registration

representative

- **Global Migration Group**
 - International Migration and Development at the UN

GFMD Civil Society

- Civil Society Days Website
- Link with the Civil Society

To promote institutional coherence, the **composition** of each delegation and **registration** for the GFMD 2012 Summit Meeting should be arranged through the designated **GFMD Focal Point** of each [State](#) or [Observer](#) organization.

For planning purposes, please indicate the estimated **SIZE** of your Government's or Observer's full delegation, and the estimated number of hotel rooms required NOT later than **Thursday, 26 April, 2012**.

All delegations are encouraged to use the online registration system (see below) to accelerate their accreditation process. Alternatively, GFMD Focal Points may also register through the GFMD Support Unit by e-mail (registration@gfmd.org) or by fax (+41 22 788 49 48). Please fill in the [registration form](#) if you wish to register by e-mail or fax.

Governments are invited to send **at least 3 delegates**, including the Head of Delegation, who are holding senior policy responsibilities in the fields of migration, development, employment and planning.

Observers are invited to send **up to 3 delegates**, including the Head of Delegation.

Other Non-government participants such as technical experts, media, and other GFMD related delegates may also be invited to the meeting, **subject to approval by the Mauritian GFMD Taskforce**.

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You may register now

For further assistance or information about the registration process, please contact:

GFMD Support Unit

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Mob: +41 (0)79 659 54 08

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 - Migration Profiles
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Registration by e-mail or fax

REGISTRATION FORM



PHOTO

Registration for the GFMD 2012 Summit Meeting should be completed by **31 July 2012**.

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DELEGATE INFORMATION

Name of country, organization or agency: _____

Title: Mr. Ms. First Name: _____ Family Name: _____

Participation Category: A. Government: Head of delegation Delegation member
B. GFMD Observer: Head of delegation Delegation member
C. Other Non-Government Delegates: Expert Civil Society Media Other (please specify): _____

Official Designation: _____

Division / Office: _____

Department / Ministry: _____

IDENTIFICATION DOCUMENT

Nationality: _____ Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY): ___/___/____

Origin of Identity Document: _____

Passport or ID Number: _____ Valid Until (DD/MM/YYYY): ___/___/____

FLIGHT AND HOTEL INFORMATION

Arrival Date and Time: _____ Flight No: _____

Departure Date and Time: _____ Flight No: _____

Hotel to be reserved (indicate 3 in order of preference):

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

CONTACT INFORMATION

Address: _____

City: _____ Country: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Mobile: _____ E-mail: _____

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Financial Assistance

Mechanisms:

- GFMD Chair based on OECD-DAC list:
 1. Least Developed Countries (LDCs)
 2. Other Low Income Countries (OLICs)

Contact GFMD Support Unit

- ACP Secretariat facility for ACP Member States (TBC)

Contact ACP Secretariat directly

Visa Regulations

Procedures (if required) :

- Visa application to Mauritian representation in charge of country of origin, Permanent Mission of Mauritius in New York and Geneva
- Ask IOM for visa assistance where there is no Mauritian diplomatic representation in country of origin
- More details to be provided later...

Other Practical Information for Delegates

- Check GFMD web portal : www.gfmd.org
- Contact GFMD Support Unit :
 - supportunit@gfmd.org
 - registration@gfmd.org
- Further communication from the Chair

Funding Situation

- Budget (as of 4 April 2012) : USD 3,637,319

- Total Pledges and Contributions from 12 Governments, 2 international organizations, 1 international foundation (as of 27 April : USD\$ 2,241,301

- Mauritian GFMD Chair's contribution : USD\$ 340,767

- Remaining Gap: USD\$ 1,395,723

- Contact: GFMD Support Unit supportunit@gfmd.org

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GLOBAL FORUM ON MIGRATION AND DEVELOPMENT (GFMD)

PROVISIONAL BUDGET - 2012 GFMD MAURITIUS


As of 26 April 2012

	US\$	Funded	GAP	Implications of not filling the gap
A. ORGANIZATIONAL COSTS	2,722,311	1,890,552	831,759	
I. PREPARATORY ACTIVITIES	388,767	388,767	0	
II. ADVISORY SERVICES	669,400	589,400	80,000	Advisor to assist low-income African countries for Multi-year Program and mobilize donor support
III. PREPARATORY MEETINGS (11-15 June)	300,000	248,000	52,000	For participation of civil society from African countries
IV. FINAL MEETING (21-22 Nov)	1,364,144	664,385	699,759	To allow travel of 3 delegates from LDCs and OLICs
B. GFMD SUPPORT UNIT	530,009	350,749	179,260	To effectively manage the process and ensure continuity while preserving institutional memory
C. ASSESSMENT	20,000		20,000	Translation of report
D. CONTRIBUTION TO CIVIL SOCIETY	250,000		250,000	To enable constructive engagement of Civil Society to assist Governments in achieving their objectives by taking on agreed deliverables within fixed timeframes and to set in place the monitoring framework
Contingencies	115,000		115,000	
TOTAL	3,637,319	2,241,301	1,396,018	
Covered by Mauritius	340,767	9%		

Enhanced Web Portal

- New look and feel
- Simplified navigation menu
- System upgrade to improve security and access rights
- PfP updates

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Switzerland Welcomes Over 160 Countries to the GFMD 2011 Concluding Debate




GFMD Gears Up for the 2011 Concluding Debate, Welcomes Mauritius as 2012 GFMD Chair

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- PfP Updates**
 - ✓ Migration Profiles Repository
 - ✓ Handbook on Diaspora Engagement – in print!
 - ✓ Accompanying webpage for Diaspora Handbook

- PfP Calls for Practices** – please expect the GFMD Support Unit to contact you in the coming days

- PfP in support of GFMD 2012 thematic work program** – to better collect, showcase and share M&D practices, programs and policies

Migration Profiles

Migration Profiles Quick Statistics

Total MPs	141
Total Countries	121
Organization	IOM (34), EU (74) Focus Migration (20), CARIM (13)
Language	English (106), French (29), Spanish (4), Portuguese (2)

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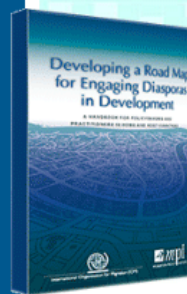
PfP Milestones

- 14** [M&D Practices](#) showcased by **12** gov'ts!
- 2** [M&D Calls for Actions](#) posted!
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THE DIASPORA HANDBOOK

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Developing a Road Map for Engaging Diasporas in Development

A Handbook for Policymakers and Practitioners in Home and Host Countries

State governments recognize the value diaspora populations bring to development efforts worldwide. Since 2007, the Global Forum on Migration and Development has examined ways to highlight policies and programs that can magnify the resources, both human and financial, that emigrants and their descendants contribute to development. This handbook continues that effort on the basis of earlier investigations by the book's collaborating institutions, the academic and policy literature, consultations and in-depth interviews with government officials and nongovernmental actors, and input by 62 national governments.

The handbook is divided into three major parts. Each part gives concrete examples of policies and programs that have been effective, and pulls out both useful lessons and common challenges associated with the topics at hand. The pivotal question now facing many policymakers is not so much if diasporas can benefit their countries of origin but how they do so and what kinds of government policies and programs can foster these relationships.



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