

**EXPERTS MEETING ON GLOBAL COMPACT ON  
MIGRATION**

June 8–9, 2017

Venue: Scandic Hotel

Gabriele-Tergit-Promenade 19, 10963 Berlin, Germany

**AGENDA**

**Thursday, June 8**

9:00 – 9:30 am Welcoming Remarks

9:30 – 10:00 am Agenda Setting and Discussion

10:00 – 1:00 pm Irregular migration and regular pathways, including decent work, labor mobility, recognition of skills and qualifications, and other relevant measures

- Low-skilled migration
- Recruitment costs
- Irregular migration and regular pathways

*Coffee Break 11:30 – 11:45 am*

11:45 am – 1:00 pm Smuggling and Trafficking of migrants

*Lunch 1:00 – 2:00 pm*

2:00 – 3:00 pm Job competition for native workers in host community

3:00 – 6:00 pm International cooperation and governance of migration in all its dimensions, including at borders, on transit, entry, return, readmission, integration and reintegration

3:00 – 4:15 pm Return Migration and Reintegration

- Return migration
- Reintegration in origin country

*Coffee Break 4:15 – 4:30 pm*

4:30 – 5:30 pm Integration of migrants in host community (including in the South)

- Congestion and fiscal costs
- Social cohesion

5:30 – 6:00 pm Special Session: Presentation of MPI Umbrella Paper

*Cocktail 6:30 pm*

## Friday, June 9

9:00 – 9:30 am Recap of the previous day and road map for day 2

9:30 – 11:00 am Contributions of migrants and diasporas to all dimensions of sustainable development, including remittances and portability of earned benefits

- Remittances
- Mobilization of diaspora resources
- Innovation and entrepreneurship

*Coffee Break 11:00 – 11:15 am*

11:15 – 3:30 pm Addressing drivers of migration, including adverse effects of climate change, natural disasters and human-made crises, through protection and assistance, sustainable development, poverty eradication, conflict prevention and resolution

- Forced migration – Vulnerable migrants (11:15 am – 12:45 pm)

*Lunch 1:00 – 2:00 pm*

- Forced migration – Climate change (2:00 – 3:15 pm)

*Coffee Break 3:15 – 3:30 pm*

3:30 – 5:45 pm Operationalization of the Global Compact on Migration

- Thematic elements
- Normative guidelines
- Institutional architecture: actors, technical capacity building, financing, monitoring of commitments

5:45 – 6:00 pm Closing