



LABOUR MIGRATION

in WEST AFRICA

FMM West Africa (*Free Movement of Persons and Migration*) supports free movement and migration in the region.

It aims at strengthening the capacities of the ECOWAS Commission and national governments in the area of Labour Migration.

Funded by the European Union and implemented jointly by the ECOWAS Commission, the International Organization for Migration, the International Centre for Migration Policy Development and the International Labour Organization, FMM West Africa supports ECOWAS in implementing its Labour and Employment Policy and Action plan and in building its capacity in labour migration management.

FMM West Africa also supports the improvement of the labour market information systems and regional standard setting for the protection of migrant workers and promotes the regional dialogue.



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REGIONAL LEVEL

Support the dialogue on labour migration issues in ECOWAS and national governments through the Regional Tripartite Social Dialogue Forum

Support the ECOWAS Commission in promoting the harmonization of labour legislations and improve the governance of labour and skills mobility in ECOWAS Member States.

Support the harmonization of qualification recognition policies

Build ECOWAS capacities in:

- Labour migration policy development
- Labour migration data collection and management

NATIONAL LEVEL

Assist ECOWAS Member States and Mauritania in:

- Development and adoption of national migration policies
- Implementation of the General Convention on Social security
- Protection of migrant workers' rights
- Inform migrant workers of their rights and obligations
- Inform social partners and migrant workers associations on the project
- Engagement of Non state actors and local authorities

LOCAL LEVEL

Inform ECOWAS citizens of their mobility rights and obligations

Fund actions of civil society and local authorities to promote and implement regional & national policies locally

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