



FMM West Africa

Support to Free Movement of Persons & Migration in West Africa

REGIONAL WORKSHOP ON MIGRATION DATA COLLECTION AND MANAGEMENT

AGENDA

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Lome, Togo

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DAY 1	
Introduction	
08:30-09 :00	• Welcome address by the ECOWAS Research and Statistics Directorate • Welcome address by the representative of Togo • Opening remarks by the Representative of the European Union • Opening remarks by the Representative of IOM • Opening remarks by the Representative of ILO • Opening remarks by representative of UN DESA
9:00 – 9:15	• Presentation on the FMM West Africa Project (IOM)
09:15 – 9:30	Tea Break
Session 1: Understanding Migration Statistics and their Importance to Policy Development	
09.30 – 11:00	• Migration on the global development agenda: towards the SDGs (IOM, GMDAC) • Analyzing and collecting international migration data/ indicators for measuring the impact of migration on development (UN DESA)
11:00 – 11:30	Q & A/ Plenary Discussions
11:30 – 12:30	• Migration and development policies and strategies in the ECOWAS region (ECOWAS Free Movement and Tourism Directorate) • The role of data in migration and development in West Africa (ECOWAS Research and Statistics Directorate)
12:30 – 13:00	Q & A/ Plenary Discussions
13:00 – 14:00	LUNCH
14:00 – 15.30	• International migration statistics: an overview of concepts and key definitions (UN DESA)
15:30 – 16:30	Q& A/ Plenary Discussions
16:30 – 17:00	Tea/ Coffee Break
DAY 2	
Session 2 : Sources of Migration Data	
09.00 – 10:30	• Using census data to measure migration trends and patterns (UN DESA) • Using administrative sources of data to measure migration (UN DESA)
10.30 – 11:00	Q & A /Plenary Discussions

11:00 – 11:30	Tea/ Coffee Break
11:30 – 12:30	Using labour force surveys and other related tools to understand labour migration (ILO)
12:30 – 13:00	Q& A/ Plenary Discussions
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 16:00	- Towards new data sources: big data and understanding migration in West Africa (Data Pop Alliance) - Using national migration profiles to understand migration trends and patterns (IOM GMDAC) - ILO Global estimates on migrant workers: methodology and main findings (ILO)
16:00 – 16:30	Q& A/ Plenary Discussions
16:30 – 17:00	Tea/ Coffee Break
Day 3	
Session 3: Establishing Regional Standards for Migration Data Management in the ECOWAS Region	
9:00 – 10:15	- Developing regional standards for migration data management in the ECOWAS region: Understanding current structures for regional cooperation (ECOWAS R&S) - Regional data structures for understanding patterns in trafficking of persons (ECOWAS Humanitarian and Social Affairs)
10:15 – 10:30	Tea/ Coffee Break
10:30 – 12:30	General overview of the draft regional guidelines on migration data management and migration module template (IOM, GMDAC)
12:30 – 13:30	Recommendations of plenary
13:30 – 14:30	Lunch
14:30 – 15:30	- African Union labour migration statistics 2015 Report (AUC) - IOM migration data statistics: general overview (IOM)
15:30 – 16:00	Q& A/ Plenary Discussions
16:00 – 16:30	Summary of discussions and way forward
16:30 – 17:00	Tea/ Coffee

DAY 4	
Session 4: Overview of the 2010 Round of Population Censuses and Country Experiences in Collecting Migration Data from the Last Round of Censuses	
09:00 – 11:00	The 2010 round of population censuses: United Nations recommendations and their implementation, including additional migration topics (UN DESA)
11:00 – 11:30	Tea/ Coffee Break

11:30 – 12:30	Country experiences in tabulating migration data • Benin • Burkina Faso • Cape Verde • Cote d'Ivoire • Gambia
12:30 – 12:45	Q& A/ Plenary Discussions
12:45 – 13:45	Country experiences continued • Ghana • Guinea • Guinea Bissau • Liberia • Mali
13:45 – 14:00	Q& A/ Plenary Discussions
14:00 – 15:00	Lunch
15:00 – 16:10	Country experiences continued • Niger • Nigeria • Senegal • Sierra Leone • Togo • Mauritania
16:10 – 16:30	Q& A/ Plenary Discussions
16:30 – 17:00	Summary of Discussions/ Way forward
17:00 – 17:15	Tea/ coffee break