

Overview of GFMD 2022-2023 Government-led Roundtable Teams

as of 22 September 2023

Roundtable Theme	Co-Chairs	GRT Members*
1. The impact of climate change on human mobility: preventive action, humanitarian action and development	Argentina Fiji GFMD Civil Society Mechanism	<p>Members: Angola, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bahamas, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Belgium, Benin, Bolivia, Brunei Darussalam, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Denmark, Djibouti, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Estonia, Eswatini, Ethiopia, Finland, Gabon, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Lao PDR, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Madagascar, Mali, Malta, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mexico, Moldova, Montenegro, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, North Macedonia, Pakistan, Palestinian Territories, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Portugal, Qatar, Republic of Korea, Romania, Russian Federation, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent, Sao Tome and Principe, Saudi Arabia, Slovakia, Somalia, South Africa, South Sudan, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Sweden, Switzerland, Tanzania, Tunisia, Türkiye, Uganda, UAE, UK, US, Uruguay, Vanuatu, Venezuela, Viet Nam, Zimbabwe, GFMD Mayors Mechanism, African Union Commission, Climate Migration Council, EU Commission, IFRC, IGC Secretariat, Labour Mobility Partnerships, League of Arab States, Migrant Forum in Asia, Mayors Migration Council, ODI, OHCHR, Sovereign Order of Malta, UN Network on Migration Secretariat, UNCTAD, UN-Habitat, United Cities and Local Governments, World Bank</p>
		<p>Thematic Experts: GFMD Business Mechanism, Mayors Mechanism, Migration Youth and Children Platform (MYCP), FAO, ICMPD, IDMC, IFAD, ILO, IOM, Mixed Migration Centre, OCHA, OECD, OIC, OSCE, PDD, UNDP, UNFPA, UNHCR</p>
2. Rights and migration: working to ensure the health, safety and rights of migrants	Colombia Egypt	<p>Members: Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bahamas, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Enabel/Belgium, Bolivia, Botswana, Brunei Darussalam, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Canada, China, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Denmark, Djibouti, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Eswatini, Gabon, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Haiti, Honduras, India, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Kenya, Lao PDR, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Madagascar, Mali, Malta, Mauritius, Mexico, Moldova, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, North Macedonia, Pakistan, Palestinian Territories, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Portugal, Qatar, Russian Federation, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent, Sao Tome and Principe, Saudi Arabia, Slovakia, Somalia, South Africa, South Sudan, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Switzerland, Tanzania, Thailand, Tunisia, Türkiye, UAE, UK, US, Uruguay, Venezuela, Viet Nam, Climate Migration Council, EU Commission, IFRC, IGC Secretariat, League of Arab States, OECD, OHCHR, OSCE, Sovereign Order of Malta, UN University, UNDP, UNICEF, World Bank</p>
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<p>3. Diasporas: actors of economic, social and cultural development of regions</p>	<p>Mexico Moldova</p>	<p>Members: Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bahamas, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Enabel/Belgium, Bolivia, Brunei Darussalam, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Canada, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Djibouti, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Estonia, Eswatini, Fiji, Georgia, GIZ/Germany, Ghana, Greece, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Kenya, Lao PDR, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Madagascar, Mali, Malta, Mauritius, Montenegro, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, North Macedonia, Pakistan, Palestinian Territories, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Portugal, Qatar, Russian Federation, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent, Sao Tome and Principe, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, South Africa, South Sudan, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Switzerland, Tanzania, Timor-Leste, Tunisia, Türkiye, UK, US, Vanuatu, Venezuela, Viet Nam, African Union Commission, Climate Migration Council, EU Commission, IGC Secretariat, League of Arab States, ODI, OHCHR, OSCE, Sovereign Order of Malta, World Bank</p> <p>Thematic Experts: GFMD Business Mechanism, Civil Society Mechanism, Mayors Mechanism, Migration Youth and Children Platform (MYCP), FAO, ICMPD, IFAD, ILO, IOM, OECD, UNCTAD, UNDP</p>
<p>4. Labour migration: promoting the economic inclusion of migrants</p>	<p>The UAE Zimbabwe GFMD Business Mechanism</p>	<p>Members: Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bahamas, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Belgium, Bolivia, Botswana, Brunei Darussalam, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Canada, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Djibouti, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Estonia, Eswatini, Ethiopia, Gabon, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, India, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Lao PDR, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Madagascar, Mali, Malta, Mauritius, Mexico, Moldova, Montenegro, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, North Macedonia, Pakistan, Palestinian Territories, Panama, Peru, Philippines, Portugal, Qatar, Republic of Korea, Russian Federation, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent, Sao Tome and Principe, Saudi Arabia, Slovakia, Somalia, South Africa, South Sudan, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Switzerland, Tanzania, Tunisia, Türkiye, Uganda, UK, US, Venezuela, Viet Nam, African Union Commission, Climate Migration Council, EU Commission, IGC Secretariat, Labor Mobility Partnerships, League of Arab States, Migrant Forum in Asia, ODI, OHCHR, PDD, Sovereign Order of Malta, UNICEF, UN University, World Bank</p> <p>Thematic Experts: GFMD Civil Society Mechanism, Mayors Mechanism, Migration Youth and Children Platform (MYCP), FAO, ICMPD, ILO, IOM, OECD, OSCE, UNDP</p>

<p>5. Improving the perception of migration in public opinion through narratives, culture, emotion and rational discourse</p>	<p>Canada The Philippines</p>	<p>Members: Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bahamas, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Belgium, Bolivia, Brunei Darussalam, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Denmark, Djibouti, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Estonia, Eswatini, Ethiopia, Gabon, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Honduras, India, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Lao PDR, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Madagascar, Mali, Malta, Mauritius, Mexico, Moldova, Montenegro, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, North Macedonia, Pakistan, Palestinian Territories, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Portugal, Qatar, Republic of Korea, Russian Federation, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent, Sao Tome and Principe, Saudi Arabia, Slovakia, Somalia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Switzerland, Tanzania, Tunisia, Türkiye, UK, US, Vanuatu, Venezuela, Viet Nam, Zimbabwe, African Union Commission, Climate Migration Council, EU Commission, FAO, GFMD Mayors Mechanism, IFRC, IGC Secretariat, IOM, OIC, Sovereign Order of Malta, UN Network on Migration Secretariat, UNDP, UN-Habitat, UNICEF, UN University, World Bank</p> <p>Thematic Experts: GFMD Business Mechanism, Civil Society Mechanism, Mayors Mechanism, Migration Youth and Children Platform (MYCP), ICMPD, ILO, ODI, OECD, OHCHR, OSCE, UNHCR</p>
<p>6. Multi-level governance: bringing together the various stakeholders for improved migration management</p>	<p>Azerbaijan Kenya GFMD Mayors Mechanism</p>	<p>Members: Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Bahamas, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Belgium, Bolivia, Botswana, Brunei Darussalam, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Canada, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Denmark, Djibouti, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Estonia, Eswatini, Ethiopia, Fiji, Gabon, Georgia, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Honduras, India, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Lao PDR, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Madagascar, Mali, Malta, Mauritius, Mexico, Moldova, Montenegro, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, North Macedonia, Pakistan, Palestinian Territories, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Portugal, Qatar, Republic of Korea, Russian Federation, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent, Sao Tome and Principe, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Switzerland, Tanzania, Tunisia, Türkiye, UAE, UK, US, Uruguay, Venezuela, Viet Nam, Zimbabwe, GFMD Business Mechanism, Mayors Mechanism, African Union Commission, Climate Migration Council, EU Commission, FAO, IGC Secretariat, Labour Mobility Partnerships, League of Arab States, ODI, OECD, OHCHR, OSCE, PDD, Sovereign Order of Malta, UN Network on Migration Secretariat, UN-Habitat, UNICEF, United Cities and Local Governments, UN University, World Bank</p> <p>Thematic Experts: GFMD Civil Society Mechanism, Business Mechanism, Migration Youth and Children Platform (MYCP), ICMPD, ILO, IOM, OECD Development Centre, UNDP</p>

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