



Global Forum on MIGRATION & DEVELOPMENT

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THEMATIC WORKSHOP CULTURE, NARRATIVES AND HUMAN MOBILITY

MUSÉE NATIONAL DE L'HISTOIRE DE L'IMMIGRATION - NATIONAL MUSEUM OF IMMIGRATION HISTORY (MNHI),
PALAIS DE LA PORTE DOREE, 293 AVENUE DAUMESNIL, 75012 PARIS
27 JUNE 2023 - 08:30-18:00 (THEMATIC PANELS)
FOLLOWED BY VISIT TO THE MUSEUM COLLECTION, DINNER AND CONCERT 18:00-22:00

AGENDA

27 JUNE 2023

08:30am - 09:00am	Registration
09:00am - 09:30am	Welcome coffee
09:30am - 10:00am	Opening Ceremony <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ms. Constance Rivière, <i>Managing Director of the Établissement Public du Palais de la Porte Dorée (National Museum of Immigration History)</i>• Mr. Christophe Guilhou, <i>Director for Sustainable Development, Ministry of Europe and Foreign Affairs of France</i>
10:00am - 12:00pm	Thematic panel 1: Narratives and public perceptions on migration and displacement: How to build and nurture a balanced, fair and informative public discourse, including with respect to climate change? <p>Moderator: Mr. Daniel Valdez, <i>Chief External Affairs Officer, Welcoming America</i></p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ms. Kristine Leilani R. Salle, <i>Deputy Permanent Representative and Minister of the Permanent Mission of the Republic of the Philippines to the United Nations and other International Organizations in Geneva, Switzerland</i>• Ms. Halima Dabou, <i>Focal Point Migration, City of Casablanca, Morocco</i>• Ms. Cecilie Kern, <i>Chair of the NGO Committee on Migration</i>• Mr. Gary Slaiman, <i>Managing member of Slaiman Consulting LLC and Corporate Outreach Advisor to Talent Beyond Boundaries</i>• Mr. Julio Cesar Daly, <i>Director, Xenophobia Barometer</i>
12:00pm - 01:15pm	Lunch

01:15pm - 03:15pm

Thematic panel 2: Diasporas as actors of cultural, economic and social change: how do diasporas contribute to innovation and human development?

Moderator: Ms. Marta Foresti, *Visiting Senior Fellow, Overseas Development Institute (ODI) and Founder of Local Actions on Global Opportunities (LAGO)*

Panelists:

- Mr. Luis Gutierrez Reyes, *Head of the Institute of Mexicans Abroad (IME) at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Mexico*
- Ms. Núria Margarit Carbassa, *Advisor at the Coordination of Policies for Immigrants and Promotion of Decent Work, in the Secretariat of Human Rights and Citizenship of the Mayor's Office of São Paulo*
- Ms. Khady Sakho, *Former President of the Forum of Organizations for International Solidarity on Migration (FORIM) – a network of diasporas based in France*
- H.E. Mr. Awad Sakine Ahmat, *African Union Permanent Representative to the European Union in Brussels, Belgium*
- Mr. Vijay Singh, *Film maker, writer and journalist*

03:15pm - 03:45pm

Coffee break

03:45pm - 05:45pm

Thematic panel 3: Migrations, culture and creations: how does human mobility contribute to cultural and artistic development?

Moderator: Ms. Hortense Assaga, *journalist*

Panelists:

- Bessora, *Author*
- Mr. Alain Bidjeck, *Director of the festival MOCA (Movement of Creative Africas)*
- Ms. Isabelle Boni-Claverie, *Writer, director, producer*
- Mr. Ray Lema, *Musician, composer*
- Ms. Nadia Yala Kisukidi, *Agrégée in philosophy, lecturer at the University of Paris-VIII*
- Mr. Onyekachi Wambu, *Executive Director, African Foundation for Development (AFFORD)*

05:45pm - 06:00pm

Closing remarks

H.E. Mr. Christophe Léonzi, *Ambassador in charge of migrations, Ministry of Europe and Foreign Affairs of France*

06:00pm - 07:30pm

Visit of the MNHI permanent exhibition

07:30pm - 08:30pm

Dinner

08:30pm - 10:00pm

Concert

The biographies of the panelists can be accessed via the QR Code below:



For more information about the Museum, the photo exhibition, the special edition of the Museum's publication, and the concert:

