

# MIGRATION AND DEVELOPMENT A EURO-MEDITERRANEAN PERSPECTIVE

26 AND 27 APRIL 2007

RHODES



## AGENDA

### DAY 1 (26 APRIL)

9h15 – 9h30 *Registration/Coffee* 20/04/07 AdM

9h30 – 10h15 **Welcoming Remarks and Introduction**

Alekos Zavos (IMEPO President)  
Louka T. Katseli (Director OECD Development Centre)  
Prokopis Pavlopoulos (Minister of Interior, Greece)

10h15 – 11h00 **Session 1: Gaining From Migration report: Main Conclusions**

*Chair:* Jennifer Cavounidis (IMEPO, Greece)  
*Speaker:* Louka T. Katseli (OECD Development Centre)

#### DISCUSSION

11h00 – 13h15 **Session 2: Migration Trends and Development Interlinkages**

*Chair:* Nicolas Glytsos (Greece)  
*Speakers:* Georges Lemaître (OECD Employment, Labour & Social Affairs)  
Hania Zlotnik (UN DESA)  
Robert E.B. Lucas (Boston University)

#### DISCUSSION

13h15 – 15h00 *Lunch*

15h00 – 17h00 **PARALLEL WORKSHOPS: Strategic Issues for Sending and Receiving Countries**

**- Middle East and Africa - EU**

*Chair:* Alfred Tovias (Hebrew University, Israel)  
*Speakers:* Morocco, by Bachir Hamdouch (INSEA/LARDI, Morocco)  
Turkey, by Ahmet Icduygu (Koc University, Turkey)  
Egypt, by Mona Makram-Ebeid (American University, Cairo)  
*Rapporteur:* Guillaume Cruse (French Development Agency)

**- South Eastern Europe - EU**

*Chair:* Vesselin Mintchev (Bulgarian Academy of Sciences)  
*Speakers:* Bulgaria & Albania, by Eugenia Markova (Hellenic Observatory, LSE)  
Greece, by Jennifer Cavounidis (IMEPO, Greece), Nicolas Glytsos (Greece) and Theodora Xenogiani (OECD Dev. Centre)  
Moldova, by Daniela Borodak (CERDI, France)  
*Rapporteur:* Matloob Piracha (University of Kent, UK)

**- Latin America - EU**

*Chair:* Jeff Dayton-Johnson (OECD Development Centre)  
*Speakers:* General Trends in Latin America, by Edmundo Murrugarra (World Bank)  
Ecuador, by Iliana Olivíe (Real Instituto Elcano, Spain)  
*Rapporteur:* Juan de Laiglesia (OECD Development Centre)

17h00-18h00 **Conclusions of the parallel workshops by Rapporteurs**

20h00 *Dinner*

**DAY II (27 APRIL)**

9h00 – 11h00 *Session 3: Migration and Development: Policy Challenges for Receiving and Sending Countries*  
*Chair:* Luca Einaudi (Department of Economic Affairs, Italy)  
*Speakers:* Jeff Dayton-Johnson (OECD Development Centre)  
Kosta Barjaba (Ministry of Labor, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities, Albania)  
Juan Frutos Goldaratz (Spanish Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation)

DISCUSSION

11h00 – 11h15 *Coffee Break*

11h15 – 13h15 *Session 4: Migration, Irregularity and Regional Co-operation: What Prospects? What Policy Options?*

*Chair:* Marc Richir (European Commission - DG External Relations)  
*Speakers:* Baber H. Tandina (Libre Circulation des Personnes Commission de la CEDEAO)  
Costas Kanellopoulos (KEPE, Greece)  
Philippe Fargues (Forced Migration and Refugees Studies Centre, American University in Cairo, Egypt)

DISCUSSION

13h15 – 14h45 *Lunch*

14h45 – 16h45 *Session 5: Governance and Partnerships in Migration Management and Development*  
*Chair:* Louka T. Katseli (OECD Development Centre)  
*Speakers:* João Cravinho (State Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Co-operation, Portugal)  
Guillaume Cruse (French Development Agency)  
Ekaterina Dimitrova-Kunadis (Ministry of Labour and Social Policy, Bulgaria)  
Peter Schatzer (IOM Regional Office, Italy)

DISCUSSION

16h45 – 17h45 *Concluding Remarks*

Venue:

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