THE MIGRATION GOVERNANCE INDICATORS

Informing policy change since 2016

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About the MGI

The MGI helps governments, upon request, take stock of their migration policies and strategies to identify good practices and areas with potential for further development. By focusing on government ownership of the process, the MGI supports governments at the national and local levels to gradually improve their migration management systems.

Benefits

- Generate a government-wide dialogue on migration governance
- Use the findings to inform policy change
- Establish baselines to track and report progress on national and international commitments, such as the GCM and SDGs

Key attributes

MGI assessments are conducted upon government request, and the profiles are published with their consent.

Governments are engaged through all stages of the process. The results of the assessments are used to generate an inclusive national conversation on the country’s migration policies.

All countries have different realities, challenges and opportunities that relate to migration. Therefore, the MGI does not propose one-size-fits all solutions, nor does it establish a ranking between countries.
Roles and workload

**GOVERNMENT**
- Nominate a focal point
- Provide information during interviews
- Convene the Multi-stakeholder consultation
- Review and validate the report

**IOM**
- Provide technical expertise
- Present the preliminary findings
- Support consultation
- Coordinate validation and publication of the report

**EI**
- Conduct desk research
- Conduct complementary interviews
- Prepare and adjust draft report

The process

1. **Launch of the MGI**
   Ensuring government buy-in through a presentation of the process and possible impact of the project.

2. **Data collection and analysis**
   This is done with the EI through desk research and key informant interviews to answer all 90+ questions.

3. **Inter-ministerial consultation**
   Discussion of the findings and identification of ways forward to address gaps.

4. **Publication of the report**
   The Country Profile is endorsed by the government and published in the Migration Data Portal.
### Participating countries and cities

- **Albania**
- **Argentina**
  - Buenos Aires
  - Rosario
- **Angola**
- **Antarctica**
- **Armenia**
  - Yerevan
- **Azerbaijan**
  - Baku
- **Bangladesh**
  - Dhaka
- **Bahrain**
  - Manama
- **Bolivia**
  - La Paz
- **Bosnia and Herzegovina**
- **Brazil**
  - Brasília
  - Rio de Janeiro
  - São Paulo
- **Bulgaria**
- **Burkina Faso**
  - Ouagadougou
  - Bobo-Dioulasso
- **Cambodia**
- **Cameroon**
  - Yaoundé
- **Canada**
  - Montreal
- **Central African Republic**
- **Chad**
- **Chile**
  - Santiago
- **Colombia**
  - Bogotá
  - Medellín
- **Comoros**
  - Moroni
- **Costa Rica**
  - San José
- **Cuba**
  - Havana
- **Cyprus**
- **Democratic Republic of Congo**
- **Dominican Republic**
  - Santo Domingo
- **Dominica**
  - Roseau
- **Ecuador**
  - Quito
  - Guayaquil
- **Egypt**
- **El Salvador**
  - San Salvador
- **Equatorial Guinea**
  - Malabo
  - Oyala
- **Eritrea**
- **Estonia**
- **Ethiopia**
- **Europe**
- **Finland**
- **France**
- **Gabon**
- **Gambia (The)**
  - Banjul
- **Georgia**
- **Germany**
  - Berlin
- **Ghana**
  - Accra
- **Ghana**
  - Accra
- **Greece**
- **Guatemala**
  - Guatemala City
  - Santa Ana
- **Guatemala**
  - Guatemala City
  - Zacapa
- **Guinea**
  - Conacri
- **Guinea-Bissau**
  - Bissau
- **Guinea-Bissau**
  - Bissau
- **Guyana**
- **Haiti**
  - Port-au-Prince
- **Haiti**
  - Port-au-Prince
- **Honduras**
  - Tegucigalpa
- **Honduras**
  - Tegucigalpa
- **Hong Kong**
- **Hong Kong Special Administrative Region**
  - Hong Kong
  - Shenzhen
- **Hungary**
- **India**
  - New Delhi
- **Indonesia**
  - Jakarta
  - Bandung
  - Surabaya
- **Iran**
  - Tehran
  - Shiraz
- **Iraq**
  - Baghdad
  - Basra
- **Ireland**
  - Dublin
- **Ireland**
  - Dublin
- **Israel**
- **Italy**
- **Ivory Coast**
- **Jamaica**
- **Japan**
- **Jordan**
  - Amman
- **Kenya**
  - Nairobi
  - Mombasa
- **Kenya**
  - Nairobi
  - Mombasa
- **Korea**
  - Seoul
  - Daegu
  - Busan
- **Kosovo**
- **Kuwait**
  - Kuwait City
  - Al Jahra
- **Kyrgyzstan**
- **Laos People's Democratic Republic**
- **Lesotho**
- **Liberia**
- **Libya**
  - Tripoli
- **Lithuania**
- **Lithuania**
- **Luxembourg**
- **Malaysia**
- **Malawi**
- **Malaysia**
- **Mali**
- **Malta**
  - Valletta
- **Moldova**
  - Chisinau
- **Mongolia**
- **Montenegro**
- **Morocco**
- **Mozambique**
  - Maputo
  - Beira
- **Myanmar**
- **Nauru**
- **Nepal**
- **Netherlands**
- **New Zealand**
- **Nicaragua**
- **Nigeria**
  - Lagos
  - Kano
- **North Macedonia**
- **Oman**
  - Muscat
- **Pakistan**
- **Panama**
  - Panama City
  - Colon
- **Paraguay**
  - Asunción
- **Peru**
  - Lima
  - Chiclayo
- **Philippines**
  - Manila
  - Quezon City
  - Davao
- **Poland**
- **Portugal**
- **Puerto Rico**
- **Qatar**
- **Qatar**
  - Doha
  - Al Rayyan
- **Romania**
- **Russia**
- **Saint Kitts and Nevis**
- **Saint Lucia**
  - Castries
- **San Marino**
- **Saudi Arabia**
- **Singapore**
- **Slovakia**
- **Slovenia**
- **Somalia**
- **South Africa**
  - Johannesburg
- **South Korea**
  - Seoul
  - Busan
- **Spain**
  - Madrid
  - Barcelona
- **Sri Lanka**
- **Sudan**
  - Khartoum
- **Suriname**
- **Sweden**
- **Switzerland**
- **Syria**
- **Taiwan**
  - Taipei
- **Tajikistan**
- **Thailand**
- **Togo**
  - Lomé
- **Tonga**
- **Trinidad and Tobago**
- **Tunisia**
- **Turkey**
  - Ankara
  - Istanbul
- **Tuvalu**
- **Uganda**
- **Ukraine**
- **United Arab Emirates**
  - Dubai
  - Abu Dhabi
- **United States**
  - Washington, D.C.
  - New York
- **United States**
  - Washington, D.C.
  - New York
- **United States**
  - Washington, D.C.
  - New York
- **Uruguay**
  - Montevideo
- **Uzbekistan**
- **Vanuatu**
- **Venezuela**
  - Caracas
  - Maracay
- **Vietnam**
- **Yemen**
  - Sana'a
  - Taiz
- **Zambia**
  - Lusaka
  - Livingstone
- **Zimbabwe**
  - Harare
  - Mutare
  - Beira

* Did not participate at the national level