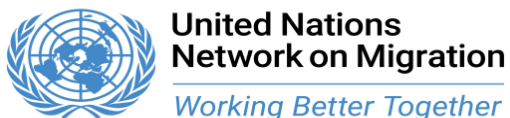


# Asia-Pacific Regional Review of Implementation of the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration (GCM)

Briefing of Stakeholders  
Asia-Pacific Regional Review of  
Implementation of the Global Compact for  
Migration

Bangkok, 10 February 2021  
11.00-12.00 Indochina Time – VIRTUAL



# Asia-Pacific Regional Review of GCM Implementation

**Date:** 10-12 March 2021

**Venue:** UNCC Bangkok (predominantly using Kudo (due to COVID-19))

**Organizers:** ESCAP and Regional UN Network on Migration for Asia and the Pacific (EC: ESCAP, ILO, IOM, OCHA, OHCHR, UNAIDS, UNDP, UNDRR, UNFPA, UNHCR, UNICEF, UNODC, UN Women)

**Participation:** (a) representatives of ESCAP member and associated members; (b) intergovernmental organizations; UN bodies, specialized agencies and funds; (c) relevant stakeholders from Asia-Pacific (as per GA resolution 73/195, para 15j)

**Mandate for GCM follow-up and review (GA resolutions 73/195 and 73/326):**

- State-led
- Whole-of-government and whole-of society approach
- Review through intergovernmental measures

# Asia-Pacific Regional Review of GCM Implementation - Objectives



*Inclusive, whole-of-government and whole-of-society approach to review all aspects of the GCM, according to its vision and cross-cutting and interdependent guiding principles.*



- a. Take **stock**
- b. Identify **key challenges, opportunities, gaps and emerging issues, promising practices and lessons learned**



- c. Discuss **regional priorities and regional cooperation**
- d. Compile **resource requirements, capacity-building needs, policy advice, data and technology needs, partnerships**

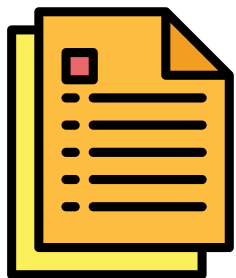


- e. Facilitate formulation of **key findings/recommendations** to inform 2022 IMRF

# Asia-Pacific Regional Review of GCM Implementation – *Process*



# Asia-Pacific Regional Review of GCM Implementation – *Documentation*



- **ESCAP/GCM/2021/L.1** – Annotated Prov. Agenda - *issued*
- **ESCAP/2021/GCM/1** – Review of Progress Made and Challenges Faced in Implementing the GCM in Asia and the Pacific, including the Implications of COVID-19 - *issued*
- **ESCAP/GCM/2021/2** – International Migration, the 2030 Agenda and the GCM - *issued*
- **ESCAP/GCM/2021/CRP/1** – Implementing the GCM: A Regional Synthesis of Member States Surveys in Asia and the Pacific - *forthcoming*
- **ESCAP/GCM/2021/CRP/2** – Implementing the GCM: Summary of Stakeholder Consultations in Asia and the Pacific - *forthcoming*
- **ESCAP/GCM/2021/L.2** – Draft Report



# Asia-Pacific Regional Review of GCM Implementation – *Programme*

**3 hrs. sessions – using Kudo + YouTube Live**

10 March 2021		11 March 2021		12 March 2021	
<b>08.00-09.00</b>	Registration	<b>08.00-09.00</b>	Registration	<b>08.00-09.00</b>	Registration
<b>09.00-09.50</b>	Opening	<b>09.00-12.00</b>	RT1: (GCM objectives 2, 5, 6, 12 & 18) <i>Co-leads: ILO, UNESCO [UNFCC (tbc)]</i>  RT2: (GCM objectives 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13 & 21) <i>Co-leads: OHCHR, UNODC and UNICEF</i>	<b>09.00-12.00</b>	-
<b>09.50-12.00</b>	General debate				
<b>14.00-17.00</b>	General debate	<b>14.00-17.00</b>	RT3: (GCM objectives 14, 15, 16, 19, 20 & 22) <i>Co-leads: UN Women and IOM</i>  RT4: (GCM objectives 1, 3, 7, 17 & 23) <i>Co-leads: ILO and OHCHR</i>	<b>14.00-16.30</b>	Adoption of outcome
				<b>16.30-17.00</b>	Closing

+ side events likely (between 12.00-14.00)

# Asia-Pacific Regional Review of GCM Implementation – *Stakeholder consultations* *prior to Regional Review*



## **28 October 2020: GCM objectives 2, 5, 6, 12 & 18**

Pacific Islands Association of Non-Governmental Organization PIANGO, Fiji; Migrant Forum Asia, Philippines; Solidarity Center, Sri Lanka; South Asian Regional Trade Union Council (SAR TUC), Nepal; Tabaco City Government, Philippines and UN Major Group for Children and Youth, Malaysia and Australia + ILO, UNESCO



## **19 November 2020: GCM objectives 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13 & 21**

The Lord's Universal College of Education, University of Mumbai, India; Udyama, India; Asian Pacific Refugee Rights Network, Thailand; Asia Pacific Mission for Migrants, Hong Kong; Help- Hilfe zur Selbsthilfe, Afghanistan; International Detention Coalition, Australia and Bonigi, Australia + OHCHR, UNICEF, UNODC



## **16 December 2020: GCM objectives 14, 15, 16, 19, 20 & 22**

Awaj Foundation, Host International, India Migration Now, People's Empowerment Foundation + UNDP, UN Women



## **3 February 2021: GCM objectives 1, 3, 7, 17 & 23**

Civil Society for Global Commitments on Migration (CGCM), ICRC, IFRC + IOM, OHCHR

## **2 and 4 March 2021: co-leads tbc**

# Asia-Pacific Regional Review of GCM Implementation – *Entry points for stakeholder engagement*



- **Participation in meeting** (GA res. 73/195, para 15j)
  - Invitations to stakeholder forthcoming
  - Letters of credentials due: 24 February 2021
  - Delegates required to register online: 24 February 2021 at <http://meetings.unescap.org>
  - Max. 5 Kudo connection (general debate) + YouTube Live
  - Panel discussions (11 March), depending on RTs
- Proposals for **side events**: 17 February 2021
- **Migration Network Hub website**  
<https://migrationnetwork.un.org/community-practice-voices-ground>
- **Summary reports** of stakeholder consultations + **CRP**  
(on [regional review website](#))

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<https://www.unescap.org/intergovernmental-meetings/asia-pacific-regional-review-implementation-global-compact-safe-orderly>

Or

<https://bit.ly/3qvGI6p>

<https://migrationnetwork.un.org/country-regional-network/asia-pacific>



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