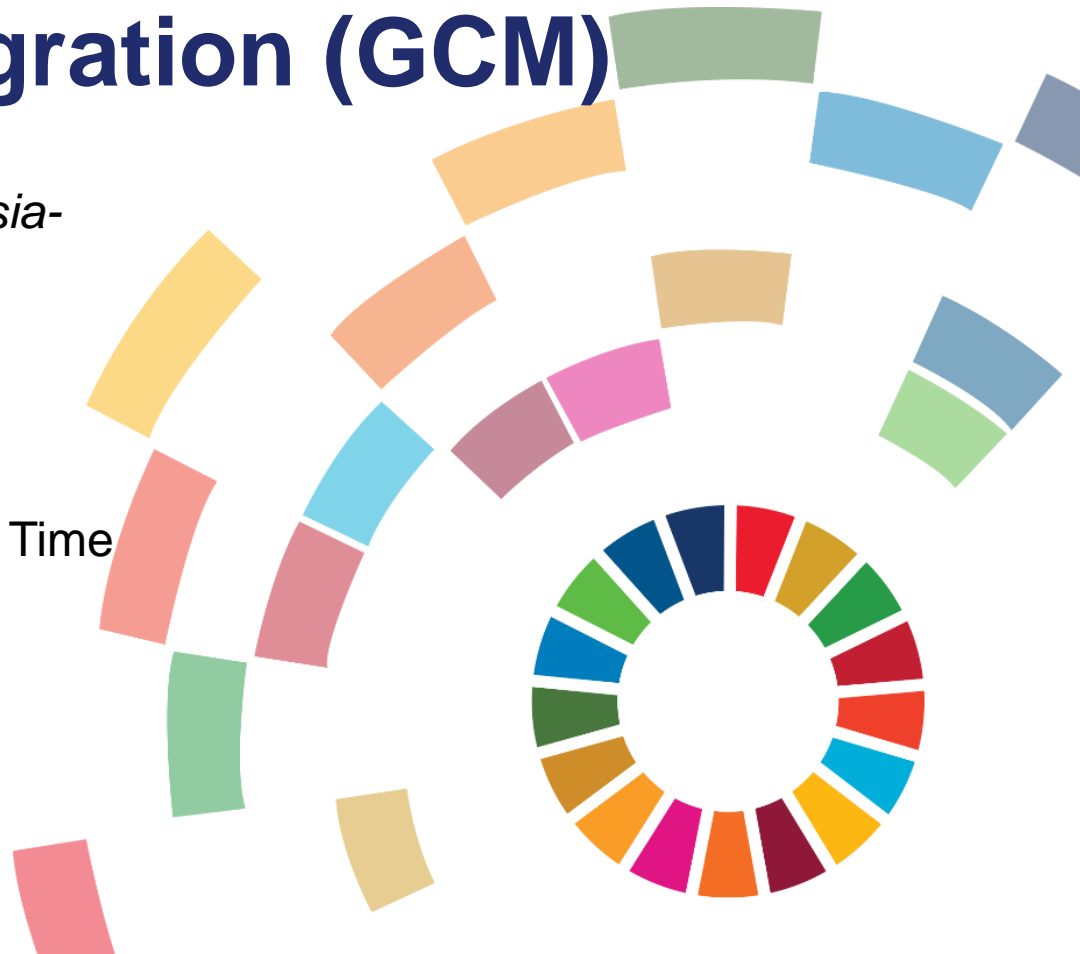


# Asia-Pacific Regional Review of Implementation of the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration (GCM)

Briefing of Stakeholders on the *Asia-Pacific Regional Review of Implementation of the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration*

26 August, 11.00-14.00 Indochina Time  
VIRTUAL



# Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration



**Global Compact**  
FOR **Migration**

## Mandate for GCM follow-up and review **GA resolutions 73/195 and 73/326**

- Review to take place in the framework of the UN, through a **State-led approach**
- Participation of **all relevant stakeholders** (whole-of-society approach)
- Through **intergovernmental measures**
- **UN regional economic commissions**, among others, invited to review GCM implementation in respective regions
- IOM Director General, as **Coordinator of the UN Network on Migration**, upon request by Member States, to assist
- **UN Network** requested to collect all inputs as part of **global knowledge platform**

A/RES/73/195, paras 48 and 50 and A/RES/73/326 paras 9, 10 and 13

# Asia-Pacific Regional Review of GCM Implementation



**Date:** 10-12 March 2021

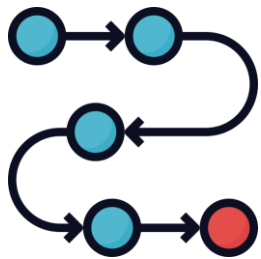
(meeting dates changed per NV of 5 August 2020)

**Venue:** UNCC Bangkok

**Organizers:** ESCAP and Regional UN Network on Migration for Asia and the Pacific

**Participation:** (a) representatives of ESCAP member and associated members; (b) intergovernmental organizations; United Nations bodies, specialized agencies and funds; (c) relevant stakeholders from Asia-Pacific

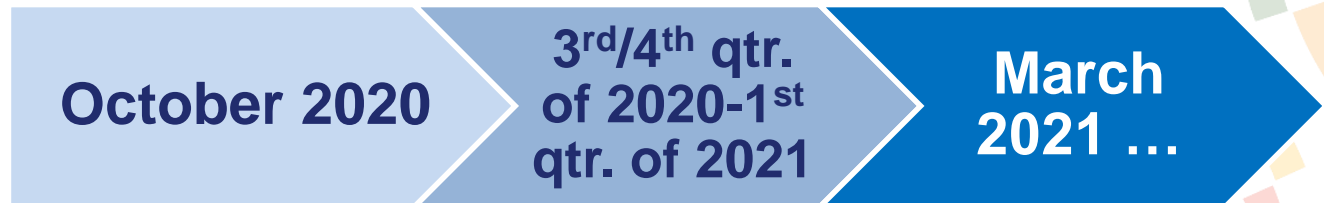
# Asia-Pacific Regional Review of GCM Implementation - *Process*



- a. **Intergovernmental meeting**
  - 10-12 March 2021
- b. Regional analysis of **voluntary GCM reviews** and **studies** on GCM implementation (⇒ Asia-Pacific Migration Report 2020)
  - 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> quarter 2020
- c. Civil society/stakeholder **consultations**
  - 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> quarter 2020 + 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 2021
- d. Invitations to **regional processes, platforms and organizations**
  - 4<sup>th</sup> quarter 2020



# Asia-Pacific Regional Review of GCM Implementation – *Next steps*



**Voluntary  
GCM  
review**  
31 October  
2020

**A-P Migration  
Report 2020  
Consultations**

**Intergovernmental  
Mtg.**  
10-12 March 2021  
**IMRF 2022**



# Asia-Pacific Regional Review of GCM Implementation - *Objectives*



- 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 and recommendations** to inform 2022 IMRF

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



Intergovernmental meeting:  
Bangkok, UNCC, 10-12 March 2021

- a. **General Debate**
- b. **Roundtables** (according to the objectives of the GCM)
- c. **Side events**
- d. **Report of the meeting** for International Migration Review Forum in 2022



# Stakeholder engagement – *Whole-of-society*



**GA resolution 73/195, para 44:**

“We will implement the Global Compact in cooperation and partnership with **migrants, civil society, migrant and diaspora organizations, faith-based organizations, local authorities and communities, the private sector, trade unions, parliamentarians, National Human Rights Institutions, the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement, academia, the media and other relevant stakeholders**”



# Stakeholder engagement – *Principles*



- Transparency



- Inclusivity



- Diversity



- Meaningful participation



# Stakeholder engagement – *Role of the Regional UN Network*



- Supporting stakeholder engagement
- Facilitating process and access
- Following the whole-of-society approach of the GCM

# Stakeholder engagement – *Actions*

Type of Action	Tentative Date
First <b>briefing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 26 August 2020</li></ul>
<b>4 stakeholder consultations</b> (around clustering of 23 GCM objectives)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 23 September 2020</li><li>• 16 October 2020</li><li>• 4 November 2020</li><li>• 25 November 2020</li></ul>
Second <b>briefing</b> (update)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 9 December 2020</li></ul>
<b>Consultation</b> prior to the 10-12 March Regional Review Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Early March 2021</li></ul>
Facilitate the <b>participation</b> of relevant stakeholders in the official agenda of the Regional Review, space and time permitting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Prior to Regional Review Meeting</li></ul>

# Asia-Pacific Regional Review of GCM Implementation

## Thank you!

<https://www.unescap.org/our-work/social-development>

<https://www.migrationnetwork.un.org>

