

Provisional Programme
Second Regional Review of Implementation of the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly, and Regular Migration in Africa

9-10 October 2024

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia (Local Time – GMT+3)

By invitation only

Day One: 9 October 2024

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

REGISTRATION

9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

Session 1: Opening of the Meeting

a) Opening ceremony

Opening remarks by:

- Co-chair(s) of the Meeting (tbc)
- **Mr. Claver Gatete**, Under-Secretary-General and Executive Secretary, United Nations Economic Commission for Africa
- **Ms. Amy Pope**, Director General, International Organization for Migration, and Coordinator of the United Nations Network on Migration
- **H.E. Amb. Minata Samate Cessouma**, Commissioner for Health, Humanitarian Affairs & Social Development, African Union Commission
- Senior Minister from the National Government – **(Ethiopia Host - Country)**

b) Adoption of the agenda

9:30 a.m.–10:30 a.m.

Session 2: Key findings of the multi-stakeholder consultations

Briefings by stakeholder rapporteurs followed by an open discussion.

10:30 a.m.–11:00 a.m.

BREAK

11:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

Session 3: Key findings from the sub-regions

Session facilitated by AUC.

12:00 p.m.- 1:00 p.m.

Session 4: High-Level Panel on Regular Pathways for Migration

Session facilitated by Ms. Amy Pope, Coordinator of the UN Network on Migration.

1:00 p.m. -2:30 p.m.

LUNCH BREAK

2:30 p.m-4:00 p.m.

Session 3: Thematic round table 1: Ensuring that migration is voluntary, orderly, and regular.

Addressing GCM objectives 2, 5, 6, 12 and 18

Co-Chair 1: tbc

Rapporteur: ILO

Keynote speakers: Representatives of 2 member States, 1 United Nations entity, and 1 civil society organization or other stakeholder (max. 10 minutes each); open discussion (60 minutes)

Day Two: 10 October 2024

9:00 a.m.–10:30 a.m.

Session 4: Thematic round table 2: Protecting migrants through rights-based border governance measures.

Addressing GCM objectives 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13 and 21

Co-Chair 2: tbc

Rapporteur: tbc

Keynote speakers: Representatives of 2 member States, 1 United Nations entity, and 1 stakeholder (max. 7 minutes each); open discussion (60 minutes)

10:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

BREAK

11:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Session 5: Thematic round table 3: Supporting the integration of migrants and their contribution to development.

Addressing Global Compact objectives 14, 15, 16, 19, 20 and 22

Co-Chair 1: tbc

Rapporteur: WHO

Keynote speakers: Representatives of 2 member States, 1 United Nations entity, and 1 stakeholder (max. 7 minutes each); open discussion (60 minutes)

12:30 p.m. – 02:00 p.m.

LUNCH BREAK

2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Session 6: Thematic round table 4: Improving value-driven and evidence-based policymaking and public debate and enhancing cooperation on migration.

Addressing GCM objectives 1, 3, 7, 17, and 23

Co-Chair 2: tbc

Rapporteur: UNECA

Keynote speakers: Representatives of 2 member States, 1 United Nations entity, 1 stakeholder (max. 7 minutes each); open discussion (60 minutes)

3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Session 7: Summary of discussions

Co-Chair 1: tbc

Presentation of summaries from each round table by its rapporteur (max. 5 minutes each).

4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Session 8: Closing of the meeting

Closing remarks (5 minutes each)

- Co-chair(s) of the Meeting (tbc)
- African Union Commission
- International Organization for Migration
- Economic Commission for Africa