



ABOUT IOM

Established in 1951, IOM is the leading intergovernmental organization in the field of migration and works closely with governmental, intergovernmental and non-governmental partners; IOM became a United Nations related organization in 2016. With 174 Member States, a further eight States holding observer status and offices in over 100 countries, IOM is dedicated to promoting humane and orderly migration for the benefit of all. It does so by providing services and advice to governments and migrants. IOM works to help ensure the orderly and humane management of migration to promote international cooperation on migration issues, to assist in the search for practical solutions to migration problems and to provide humanitarian assistance to migrants in need, including refugees and internally displaced people.

MIGRATION RESEARCH IN IOM

IOM's Constitution recognizes the importance of research on migration for informing migration policies and countering misinformation on migration and migrants. The Migration Research Division is one of IOM's oldest Divisions, with its establishment stretching back to the very beginning of IOM in the 1950s. The Division comprises the Research Unit, the Publications Unit and the Library.

In addition to diverse functions, the Division is responsible for managing and producing the biennial IOM flagship publication, the World Migration Report series, for which it collaborates closely with some of the leading academic and applied researchers and other migration experts from across the world.

Click [here](mailto:research@iom.int) to find out more about the Division (research@iom.int).

THE WORLD MIGRATION REPORT SERIES

The World Migration Report is IOM's flagship publication, having been produced biennially since 2000. The report responds to a clear and growing need for rigorous, balanced and evidence-based research and analysis on migration.

The *World Migration Report* series was revised (starting with the 2018 edition) and now includes two parts: in Part I of the report, readers can examine the key data and information on migration globally. The thematic chapters of Part II provide an evidence-based analysis of complex and emerging migration issues. With these contents, the Report is able to meet the needs of those with a general interest in migration as well as those needing more in-depth analysis, including people who work in migration policy, practice, research and communications. Recent editions have been widely utilized by policymakers, media outlets, academics, students, and migration practitioners.

The current edition, the World Migration Report 2022, is the eleventh in the series. It has been produced in line with IOM's Environment Policy and is available online only. Printed hard copies have not been made in order to reduce paper, printing, and transportation impacts.

Click [here](#) to access the World Migration Report 2022 and [here](#) for previous editions.

Click [here](#) to read the Evaluation of the World Migration Report by IOM's Office of the Inspector General.



WORLD MIGRATION REPORT DIGITAL TOOLS

Over the years, the World Migration Report has also become more than a PDF report sitting on a virtual shelf. Keeping up with today's increasingly digital world and the needs of its ever-growing audience, the World Migration Report series is now complemented by a set of digital tools that will be progressively updated as new editions are released.

The World Migration Report Interactive Webpage

Launched in May 2021, the interactive webpage draws upon the extensive analysis of migration trends and patterns made throughout the World Migration Reports series. Data visualizations allow users to explore and interact with some of the latest migration data and information.

The interactive webpage was recognized in the 2021 International Annual Report Design Awards (IADA) competition, winning Gold in the online category.

Click [here](#) to access the World Migration Report interactive webpage (also available in French and Spanish).

The World Migration Fact-checkers' Toolkit

The World Migration Report has become a key source for fact-checkers around the world, helping to refute false news and information on migration. To assist fact-checkers, we have developed a simple toolkit to help bust key myths on migration.

Click [here](#) to download the World Migration Fact-Checkers' Toolkit.

The World Migration Educators' Toolkit

Drawing upon the extensive research and analysis presented in the World Migration Report series, and reviewed by education and migration experts, the World Migration Educators' Toolkit provides a set of flexible and interactive modules assisting educators teaching students about human migration and displacement.

The World Migration Educators' Toolkit is freely available [here](#) in PDF format. An interactive digital version is currently in development.

World Migration Digital Toolkit for Policy Officials (forthcoming)

An interactive digital toolkit for policy officers is currently being developed by IOM in partnership with the Global Migration Centre (GMC) at the Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies to support policy officers in leveraging migration research for evidence-based policymaking. The project is funded by the Geneva-Science Policy Interface (GSPI) as part of its Impact Collaboration Programme – a competitive grant programme supporting impactful science-policy collaborations.

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