



Global Forum on
MIGRATION & DEVELOPMENT



GFMD Germany & Morocco 2017-2018

GFMD 2017-2018 Co-Chairmanship

2nd meeting of the Friends of the Forum

14h00 – 17h00

Room XVIII, Palais des Nations

GFMD Calendar in 2017

- **4 April, Geneva** **Business Mechanism Meeting**
- **5 April, Geneva** **Second Preparatory Meetings of
GFMD Troika, SG and FOF**
- **6 April, Geneva** **GFMD Dialogue on GCM**
- **7 April, Geneva** **Final RT Preparatory Meetings**
- ***28 April*** ***Finalization of the RT Background Papers***
- **24 May, Rabat** **Thematic Workshop on Climate
Change and Human Mobility**
- ***14 June*** ***Submission of Prepared Statements***

GFMD Calendar in 2017

- **28-30 June, Berlin** **Tenth GFMD Summit Meeting**
- **29 June – 1 July, Berlin** **Civil Society Days**
- **13 or 14 July, New York** **HLPF Side Event: *GFMD Reflection on Migration-Related SDGs in the 2030 Agenda***

- **6 September, Geneva** **Thematic Workshop to synthesize GFMD Inputs to the GCM**

- **9 October, Geneva** **Third Preparatory Meetings of GFMD Troika, SG and FOF**

Berlin Roundtables 1: Domestic Policies

- **1.1 Tools and Safeguards for Policy Coherence –
Finding the right policy mix to balance different
interests and objectives**
- **1.2 From Global Agenda to Implementation –
National Action Plans for migration-related SDGs**

Berlin Roundtables 2: Multilateral and Bilateral Partnerships

- **2.1 Moving beyond emergencies –
Creating development solutions to the mutual
benefit of host and origin communities and
displaced persons**
- **2.2 Fostering the development impact of returning
migrants**

Berlin Roundtables 3: Strategies beyond the State

- **3.1 Raising the Global Talent Pool –
Harnessing the Potential of the Private Sector for
Global Skills Partnerships**
- **3.2 Strengthening Cooperation –
Enabling Civil Society Contributions in Migrant
Integration**

Wednesday, 28 June 2017

08.00 – 10.00	Registration		
OPENING CEREMONY			
10.30 – 12.30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opening address by H.E. Mr. Sigmar Gabriel, Federal Foreign Minister of Germany • Addresses by several other speakers 		
12.30 – 13.30	Buffet luncheon		
	Roundtables		
13.30 – 16.00	Roundtable 1.1	Roundtable 2.1	Roundtable 3.1
16.00 – 16.30	Coffee break		
16.30 – 19.00	Roundtable 1.2	Roundtable 2.2	Roundtable 3.2
BUFFET DINNER			
20.00 – 23.00	Dinner hosted by the German Co-Chair		

Thursday, 29 June 2017

07.00 – 08.30

Participants arrive

SPECIAL SESSIONS

08.30 – 10.30

**Special session on the
Future of the Forum**

**Special session on the
Platform for Partnerships (PfP)**

10.30 – 10.50

Coffee break

10.50 – 11.50

6 Side events

PLENARY SESSION

11.50-13.15

Summary of all Roundtables, Future of the Forum and Platform for Partnerships

13.15 – 14.30

Buffet luncheon

14.30 – 18.00

The GFMD Business Mechanism: Opening, followed by four simultaneous, one-hour breakout sessions, summary and drinks hosted by the German Chair

18.00 – 20.00

Drinks together with the civil society

20.00 – 23.00

Dinner hosted by the Moroccan Co-Chair

Friday, 30 June 2017

07.30 – 09.00	Participants arrive	
COMMON SPACE PLENARY		
09.00 – 09.45	Opening of the Common Space	
09.45 – 11.00	<i>Common Space part 1: Parallel breakout sessions</i>	
	<i>Breakout session A: Safe migration</i>	<i>Breakout session B and C: Orderly and regular migration</i>
11.00 – 11.30	Coffee break	
11.30 – 13.30	<i>Common Space part 2: seven parallel focus sessions</i>	
13.30 – 14.45	Buffet luncheon	
COMMON SPACE PLENARY		
14.45 – 15.30	Wrap-up	
15.30 – 16.00	Closing plenary of the 10th GFMD Summit Meeting	
16.30 – 18.00	Tea table exchanges (by invitation of the Civil Society)	

Common Space – Friday 30 June

7h30 – 9h00	Participants arrive							
9h00 – 9h45	Opening Plenary Opening of the GFMD Common Space, by the German and Moroccan Co-Chairs and Civil Society Chair Keynote speaker: SRSG Introduce methodology for the sessions Plenary in Weltsaal (500) with simulcast in the Europasaal (200)							
09h45 – 11h00	Breakout A Safe migration Weltsaal (380 participants)			Breakout B Orderly and Regular Migration where work is the driver Europasaal (200 participants)			Breakout C Orderly and Regular Migration where work is not the principal driver Library (120 participants)	
11h00 – 11h30	Coffee break + move to focus session							
11h30 – 13h30	Focus session 1 The meaning and mechanisms of safety for children on the move Ministersaal 1 (40-50 participants)	Focus session 2 The meaning and mechanisms of safety for other migrants in vulnerable situations Europasaal (200 participants)	Focus session 3 The meaning and mechanisms of safety for migrants and societies in the face of growing xenophobia Ministersaal 2 (40-50 participants)	Focus session 4 The meaning and mechanisms of safety in contexts of return and reintegration Weltsaal (180 – 220 participants)	Focus session 5 Mechanisms for Labour Mobility and regularization Library (120 participants)	Focus session 6 Mechanisms for Ethical Recruitment of Migrant workers Ministersaal 3 (40-50 participants)	Focus session 7 Mechanisms for complementary pathways for Refugees and Migrants, including Family Reunification Ministersaal 4 (40-50 participants)	
13h30 – 14h45	Lunch							
14h45 – 15h30	Common Space Wrap-Up Reports back: One consolidated report from breakouts, and consolidated report(s) from focus sessions, final remarks by Civil Society Chair Plenary in Weltsaal (500) with simulcast in the Europasaal (200)							
15h30-16h00	Closing Ceremony, by the German and Moroccan Co-Chairs and SRSG Plenary in Weltsaal (500) with simulcast in the Europasaal (200)							
16h00-16h30	Participants leave							
16h30- 18h00	Teatables (by invitation) Ministersaal 1-4 and lounge to the right of the Weltsaal							