

COMPOSITION OF GFMD 2020 ROUNDTABLE SESSION TEAMS¹

(as of 7 October 2020)²

Thematic Area	Co-Chair(s)	Participants / <i>Thematic Lead</i>	GFMD Observers
Theme 1: The Governance of Labour Migration in the Context of Changing Employment Landscapes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Egypt ● Zimbabwe 	Afghanistan, Botswana, Congo, Costa Rica, Indonesia, Kenya, Lebanon, Nepal, Nigeria, Sri Lanka, Tunisia, United Kingdom CS, MM, BM <i>Michelle Leighton</i>	FAO, ICMPD, ILO, IOM, OECD, OSCE/ODIHR, KNOMAD/World Bank,
Theme 2: Skilling Migrants for Employment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● United Kingdom 	Bangladesh, Ecuador, Germany, Peru (Observer), Sri Lanka, Venezuela CS, MM, BM <i>Michele Klein Solomon</i>	FAO, ICMPD, ILO, IOM, OECD, UNCTAD, KNOMAD/World Bank,
Theme 3: Leveraging New Technologies to Empower Migrants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Philippines ● Kenya 	Afghanistan, Ghana, Lebanon, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Sri Lanka, Switzerland, United Kingdom CS, MM, BM <i>Gibril Faal</i>	IFAD, UNDP, KNOMAD/World Bank
Theme 4: Addressing Gaps in Migrant Protection	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Mexico ● Morocco 	Australia, Congo, Indonesia, Peru (Observer), Sri Lanka, Switzerland, Thailand, United Kingdom, Uruguay, Venezuela CS, MM, BM <i>John Bingham</i>	CISS, ICMPD, ILO, IOM, OSCE/ODIHR, PDD, UNICEF, UNHCR, KNOMAD/World Bank
Theme 5: Discussing Approaches to Prevent Irregular Migration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Spain ● Venezuela 	Costa Rica, Ecuador, Netherlands, Peru (Observer), Thailand, Turkey, United Kingdom CS, MM, BM <i>Kathleen Newland</i>	ICMPD, ILO, OECD, OSCE/ODIHR, SELA, UNICEF, KNOMAD/World Bank
Theme 6: Fostering Partnerships to Realise Migration-Related Goals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● El Salvador ● The Gambia 	Bangladesh, Burkina Faso, Canada, Georgia, Jamaica, Lebanon, Mexico, Nigeria, Peru (Observer), Switzerland, United Kingdom, CS, MM, BM <i>Dilip Ratha</i>	ICMPD, IFAD, ILO, OECD, UNDP, UNICEF, KNOMAD/World Bank LaMP

¹ The GFMD 2020 *Roundtable Session Teams* are co-chaired by Member States, and open to voluntary participation by interested Member States, GFMD Observers, as well as designated representatives of the GFMD Mechanisms (for civil society (CS), business (BM) and mayors/local authorities (MM)). The Government-led Roundtable Teams preparatory meetings are scheduled on October 1 and December 4.

² This table will be updated as voluntary offers to support the preparation of the Government-led GFMD Roundtables come in.