Future of the Forum
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Friday 16 May 2014
09h20-12h00
Venue: Riddarsalen

Annotated Agenda

Co-chairs: Peter Sutherland, the Special Representative of the United Nations Secretary-General for International Migration (SRSG)
Eva Åkerman Börje, Ambassador, GFMD 2013-2014 Chair

09h20-09h35 Introduction by co-chairs

09h35-10h00 A more development focused forum

- Strengthen the development focus in the migration and development nexus
  Presentation by the Swedish Chair of the work carried out to strengthen the development dimension of the GFMD and the substantial contribution of the Forum to global, regional and national development agendas, including the aim to engage more development practitioners and the possible inclusion of migration in the post-2015 development agenda.

10h00 – 11h00 A more dynamic forum – improving the GFMD as a process

- Enhancing the work of the Steering group and clarifying the roles of other GFMD structures
  Presentation and endorsement of the proposed new ToR:s for the Troika, the Steering Group and the Friends of the Forum.
  Documentation: Cover Note and ToR:s for the Troika, Steering Group and Friends of the Forum

- New format for Roundtable preparations and strengthening the involvement and ownership by states
  Presentation followed by discussion on the experiences with the introduction of new working methods for the roundtable preparations, including working methods, format of background papers, expert networks and thematic meetings. Documentation: Terms of Reference for the GFMD Government Teams and the Expert Network
- Reinforcing the Support Unit
  
  Presentation followed by discussion on the steps taken and proposals for the future to reinforce the Support Unit

11h00 – 11h45 A more durable forum – a more sustainable forum with greater impact

- Multiannual work plan
  
  Presentation and endorsement of the proposed new format for the Multiannual work plan.
  
  Documentation: Multiannual work plan

- Long-term financing framework
  
  Presentation and endorsement of the proposed new Long-term financing framework
  
  Documentation: Long-term financing framework

- Cooperation with the private sector
  
  Presentation followed by discussion of the proposed recommendation for the GFMD engagement with the private sector
  
  Documentation: Recommendations and next steps for GFMD – private sector engagement

- Cooperation with other stakeholders including the Global Migration Group (GMG) and Civil Society partners
  
  Presentation followed by discussion

11h45 – 12h00 Conclusion