



***Thematic Recollection from the GFMD 2007-2012 to the High-level Dialogue on International Migration and Development***

**Draft outline by the past, present and future Chairs of the GFMD**





# Outline

- Introduction to the GFMD process
- Brief executive summary of previous Chairmanships
- Overview of thematic discussions, outcomes and recommendations
- Concluding remarks
- Annex 1: Index of GFMD subject-matters 2007-2012
- Annex 2: Index of recommendations and reports of proceedings 2007-2012



# Introduction to the GFMD

- Description of:
  - the process
  - the stakeholders
  - the substance: exploration of the linkages between migration and development/human development





# Executive summary of past Chairmanships

- Brief summary of each of the Chairmanships to date:
  - Belgium 2007, Philippines 2008, Greece 2009, Mexico 2010, Switzerland 2011 and Mauritius 2012
- Reference to Annex 2: Index of recommendations and reports of proceedings 2007-2012



# Thematic Overview

- Review of all past proceedings (roundtables and other events captured in proceedings)
- Categorization according to most common key words
- Summary of main points of discussion and recommendations made
- Reference to Annex 1: Index of GFMD subject-matters 2007-2012



# Thematic Overview (cont...)

- Strategies for minimizing costs/ maximizing human development of migration
- Labour migration and mobility
- Diasporas
- Remittances
- Strategies for addressing irregular migration and enabling regular migration
- The rights of migrants
- Policy coherence and mainstreaming
- Data and research
- Governance of migration and coordination of dialogue
- Civil Society
- Private Sector
- Etc.



# Concluding Remarks

- Followed by interactive annexes with linkages to online reports of the proceedings.
  - Annex 1: Index of GFMD subject-matters 2007-2012
  - Annex 2: Index of recommendations and reports of proceedings 2007-2012



## The process from here

- Indicative dates for drafts and comments:
  - Past, present and future chairs circulate a first draft by **1 March**
  - Invite written comments by **13 March**
  - Revised draft by **22 March**
  - Final comments by **31 March**





***Thank You!***

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