INVITATION

We are pleased to invite you to the side event

What future for international migration in a shifting world?

organised by the OECD Development Centre

12.30 – 14.00, Sunday 11 December 2016
Venue: Harmony Room (Ground floor), Global Forum on Migration and Development
Dhaka, Bangladesh

The project

Since its initiation in 2010, the OECD Development Centre’s Perspectives on Global Development series has investigated the increasing economic weight of developing countries in the world economy, a phenomenon we refer to as “shifting wealth”. This year’s edition focuses on the issue of international migration and development in the context of shifting wealth.

The event

History can teach the world about international migration in the past. But what about the future, and specifically the next 15 years? This one and a half hour side event, based on the findings of the report, aims to discuss recent trends as well as future scenarios for international migration. It will consider how global demographic, economic, political, technological and environmental changes might alter migration flows and corridors. The event will conclude by drawing lessons from the alternative futures for migration and discuss what policies should be implemented to avoid the most pessimistic scenarios and advance towards a more positive vision of where the world could be in 2030, as set out in the Sustainable Development Goals.

Speakers

Dominic A. Agyemang, Deputy Director, Ministry of the Interior, Ghana
Grace Relucio Princesa, Assistant Secretary, Department of Foreign Affairs, The Philippines tbc
Pietro Mona, Deputy Head, Global Programme Migration and Development, Federal Department of Foreign Affairs, Switzerland
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