

Intergovernmental Conference to Adopt the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration

10-11 December 2018, Marrakesh, Morocco



This Intergovernmental Conference is convened under the auspices of the General Assembly of the United Nations and held pursuant to resolution 71/1 of 19 September 2016, entitled “New York Declaration for Refugees and Migrants”, which decided to launch a process of intergovernmental negotiations leading to the adoption of a global compact for safe, orderly and regular migration. The modalities for the Conference were further elaborated in resolutions 71/280 of 6 April 2017 and 72/244 of 24 December 2017.

SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE CONFERENCE: Ms. Louise Arbour, UN Special Representative for International Migration, Secretariat of the United Nations, New York

LEVEL OF PARTICIPATION: The Intergovernmental Conference will be held at the highest political level, including Heads of State or Government.

OUTCOME: The adoption of an intergovernmentally negotiated and agreed outcome, entitled “Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration”, for which the negotiations shall be concluded by July 2018, in accordance with its resolution 71/244.

EXPECTED PARTICIPANTS AND REGISTRATION DEADLINES:

1. All States Members of the United Nations and all members of specialized agencies that have observer status with the General Assembly (*Pre-registration: 3 Oct-28 Nov at <http://delegate.un.int>*)
2. Intergovernmental organizations and other entities having received a standing invitation to participate as observers, and organizations and bodies of the United Nations to participate as observers (*registration: 3 Oct-28 Nov at <http://delegate.un.int>; If not enrolled in eAccreditations, email registration package to unprotocol@un.org within 3 Oct -21 Nov*)
3. Other interested intergovernmental organizations that are accredited by the General Assembly to attend and participate in the Conference (*Accreditation application : 1 July-30 September*)
4. Non-governmental organizations that are in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council (*Registration: starting early September at <https://refugeesmigrants.un.org/>*)
5. Non-governmental organizations, civil society organizations, academic institutions, the private sector, diaspora communities and migrant organizations that have received special accreditation to attend and participate in the Conference. (*Accreditation application ended on 31 March. Registration for approved organizations: starting early September at <https://refugeesmigrants.un.org/>*)
6. National human rights institutions compliant with the Paris Principles. (*Registration: starting early September at <https://refugeesmigrants.un.org/>*)
7. Associate members of UN regional commissions (*email registration package to unprotocol@un.org within 3 Oct -21 Nov*)
8. Representatives of the specialized agencies and related organizations and representatives of interested United Nations organs (*Registration: 3 Oct-28 Nov at <http://delegate.un.int>*)

CONFERENCE WEBSITE: <https://refugeesmigrants.un.org/intergovernmental-conference-2018>

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