

# Migration Research in IOM

## IOM's role in migration research

1. As desk-based researchers/analysts
2. As managers/partners of research projects
3. As a major publisher of migration research
4. As advisers on specific research projects
5. As members of committees/councils with a direct/indirect interest in research
6. As a strong advocate publicly of migration research

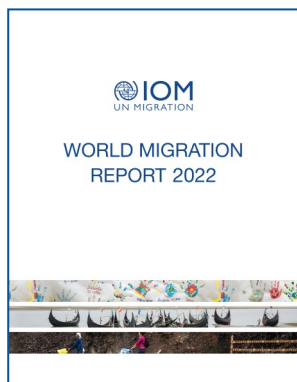
## Key contributions

- In 2022, 305 new publications were added to the IOM Publications Platform.
- Following its publication in December 2021, the [World Migration Report 2022](#) has been fully translated into [French](#), [Spanish](#), [Chinese](#), [Russian](#) with key chapters also available in [German](#) and [Swahili](#). Translations into more languages are ongoing.
- Three toolkits that draw on the World Migration Report, including the [Education Toolkit](#), the [Fact-Checkers' Toolkit](#) and the [Policy Toolkit](#), have been developed to support and enhance access to key migration data and research for a range of audiences, including educators, fact-checkers and policy officials.
- Publications on current migration trends, policies and practices in the [Migration Research Series](#) and the scientific journal [International Migration](#) as well as other research publications such as on the [impacts of COVID-19 on migration and migrants from a gender perspective](#).
- The [Gender and Migration Research Policy Action Lab – GenMig](#), a new initiative grounded in the continuing need to improve gender equality throughout the migration cycle by leveraging research for gender-responsive policy and programmatic responses.
- Research and analysis on the impacts of COVID-19 on migration and mobility with the publication of [COVID-19 Analytical Snapshots](#) and [short think pieces](#) by IOM's Migration Research and Publishing High-Level Advisers.

## Our approach



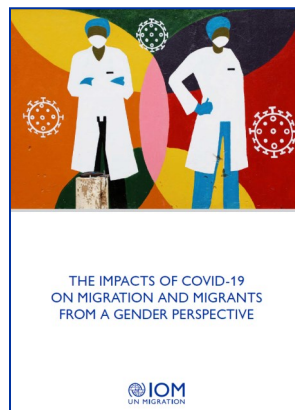
# Research Publication Highlights and Digital Tools



## World Migration Report 2022

Latest edition of IOM's flagship publication, launched on 1 December 2021.

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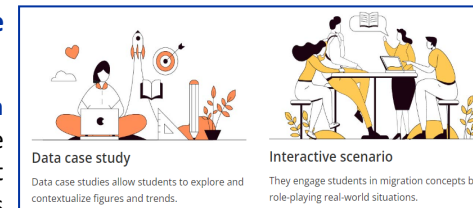


## The Impacts of COVID-19 on Migration and Migrants from a Gender Perspective

This research report critically examines the gender implications of the COVID-19 pandemic on migration and the well-being.

## World Migration Interactive Educators' Toolkit

The **World Migration Education Toolkit** provides a set of flexible modules to practically support educators teaching students about human migration and displacement.



**Data case study**  
Data case studies allow students to explore and contextualize figures and trends.

**Interactive scenario**  
They engage students in migration concepts by role-playing real-world situations.



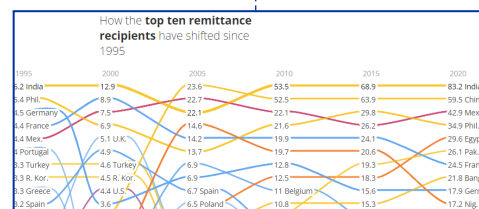
## World Migration Fact-Checkers' Toolkit

The **Fact-Checkers' Toolkit** is designed to help fact-checkers around the world to address myths and misinformation about migration.



## World Migration Report 2022 Translations

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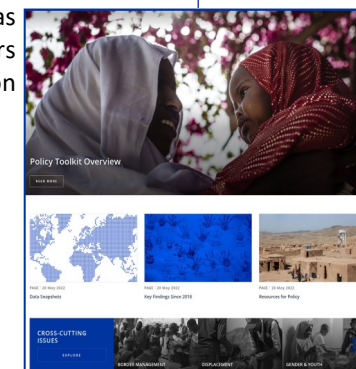


## Interactive Website — World Migration Report 2022

The **World Migration Report 2022's interactive site** allows visitors to explore the latest migration data and trends.

## World Migration Policy Toolkit

The **World Migration Policy Toolkit** delivers tailored tools and resources for use by key audiences, such as policy officers working on migration.



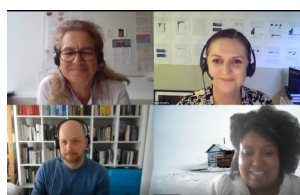
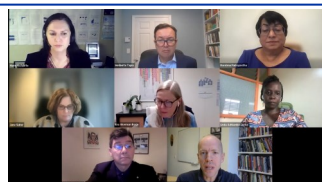
## Migration Research Series



Both the [Migration Research Series \(MRS\)](#) focusses on the following:

- Policy-oriented (and empirical) research and analysis;
- Contribute to a better understanding of the multi-dimensional aspects of migration;
- Aim to inform migration policies at the national, regional and international levels.

All MRS publications are freely available online on the [IOM Publications Platform](#), thereby ensuring a wide reach and impact among policymakers, as well as practitioners, scholars, researchers and students interested in issues related to migration. Submissions are welcome on any policy-relevant issue related to migration and migrants.



## World Migration Report Design Awards



The [WMR Interactive Platform](#) was recently recognized in the [2022 iNOVA Awards](#), winning gold in the non-profit organizations category. The WMR Interactive Platform was also recognized by the [2022 Questar Awards](#), winning gold in the interactive annual report and non-profit organizations categories, in addition to being nominated for the [World Summit on the Information Society \(WSIS\) prizes for 2022](#).

In 2021 the WMR Interactive Platform won the silver and bronze awards in the microsite and non-profit organizations categories of the [2021 iNOVA Awards](#). The WMR 2020 was also recognized in the [2021 International Annual Report Design Awards \(IADA\)](#), winning gold in the online category for the interactive platform and silver for the PDF version of the report.

## Migration Research Events

IOM Research organizes both in-person and virtual events with migration researchers and experts from around the world. Some of these include launch events for various publications, research lunchtime seminars, among others.

Some of the recent events have included the following:

- ⇒ International Migrants' Day event on [research insights on migration and human security](#)
- ⇒ In-person [Migration Research @ Lunchtime Seminars](#)
- ⇒ World Migration Report 2022 [IOM Council](#) and [virtual](#) launches
- ⇒ World Migration Report 2022 chapter presentations, including on [global migration trends](#); [regional migration patterns](#); [UN contributions to migration research](#) and [migration and slow-onset impacts of climate change](#)
- ⇒ Launches of the World Migration [Education Toolkit](#) and [Policy Toolkit](#)
- ⇒ Virtual launch event of the publication on [“The impacts of COVID-19 on migration and migrants from a gender perspective”](#)



# Blogs and presentations: Highlights



## **The World Bank—Blog**

[Who will be our migrants of the future? Celebrating International Migrants' Day with a keen eye on the growing gender gap](#)



## **World Economic Forum –Blog**

[World Day against Trafficking: Challenging misconceptions about it in migration pathways](#)



## **World Economic Forum –Blog**

[AI in migration is fuelling global inequality: How can we bridge the gap?](#)

## **Center for Strategic and International Studies –Blog**

[Struggling to Survive: Gender, Displacement, and Migration in Taliban-Controlled Afghanistan](#)



## **International Metropolis Conference 2022**

[Plenary: New Technologies Shaping Working Lives and the Future of Migration](#)

[Symposium: Future of Cities and Migration](#)



## **Center for Strategic and International Studies –Webinar**

[World Migration Report 2022: Deciphering Global Trends and Complexities](#)



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