Point of departures for the Swedish Chairmanship

- **Assessment Report**: common vision and recommendations
- **Consult with GFMD stakeholders** through an open-ended, transparent and inclusive dialogue
- **Broad, comprehensive agenda** that is consensual, forward-looking, and outcome-oriented
Overarching priorities

Unlocking the potential of migration for inclusive development

- A more development-focused Forum
- A more dynamic Forum
- A more durable Forum
A MORE DEVELOPMENT-FOCUSED FORUM

- **Strengthening the development dimension in the migration-development nexus**

- **Engaging more development practitioners**

- **Work to integrate migration into Post-2015 Development Agenda**
A MORE DYNAMIC FORUM

- Making the Forum a more evidence-based, engaged and geographically balanced process
- Strengthening the involvement and ownership by states
- Clear division of tasks and working methods; Troika, Steering Group and Friends of the Forum
- Relations with other stakeholders: CSOs, private sector, GMG etc
A MORE DURABLE FORUM

- The GFMD as a more sustainable process, with a larger impact on the global, regional and national policy agendas
- Multiannual Work Plan
- More predictable and sustainable funding
GFMD Roundtable Themes

- Three overall Roundtable themes
- Six Roundtable sessions
- Business Roundtable
- Inviting governments and observers to form Government Teams
RT 1: Integrating migration in global, regional and national development agendas

- RT 1.1. Operationalizing **mainstreaming and coherence** in migration and development policies

- RT 1.2. Framing migration for the MDGs and the **post-2015 UN development agenda**
RT 2: Migration as an enabler for inclusive economic development

- RT 2.1. Enhancing the development impacts of labour migration and circular mobility through more systematic labour market and skills matching

- RT 2.2. Facilitating positive development impacts of diaspora engagement in skills transfers, investments and trade between countries of residence and origin
RT 3: Migration as an enabler for inclusive social development

- RT 3.1. **Empowering migrants**, their households and communities for improved protection of rights and social development outcomes

- RT 3.2. **Migrant asset transfers** and their effects on health and education
PROVISIONAL CALENDAR OF KEY GFMD ACTIVITIES 2013-2014

- **Preparatory Meetings of SG and FOF (Geneva)**
  - 21 May 2013
  - 10 September 2013
  - 19 November 2013
  - 11 March 2014

- **GFMD Forum Meeting Stockholm 2014**
  - 14-16 May

- **Thematic Meetings (Geneva)**
  - 22 May 2013:
    - Development issues
  - 11 September 2013:
    - Labour Migration, circular mobility
  - 20 November 2013:
    - Empowerment and asset transfer
  - 12 March 2014:
    - Business Roundtable