



# Migration and development Putting policy into practice

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# Improving development outcomes

- Create avenues for safe migration and reduce the costs of migration
- Protecting & promoting the human rights of all migrants
- Strengthening regional and inter-regional cooperation
- Promoting the integration of migration within development processes.



# Policy Options

1. Mainstreaming migration into development processes
2. Facilitating diaspora engagement
3. Lowering remittance costs and financial inclusion
4. Regional labour mobility



# 1. Integrating migration into development planning

Development area	Country of Origin	Country of destination
Governance		
Legal protection		
Employment		
Social protection		
Health		
Education		
Financial inclusion		
Trade		
Urbanization/infrastructure		
Environment		



## 2. Diaspora contributions

- Financial
  - Trade and investment
  - remittances
- Skills transfers
- Philanthropic



## 2. Diaspora strategy

### Enable

- Reduce obstacles
- Migrant protection

### Engage

- Understand and map
- Outreach

### Empower

- Transfer of skills
- Trade and investment



## 3. Remittances

- Conduct research into remittances behaviour
- Partner with financial institutions to lower the costs of transfer.
- Provide information on the cheapest transfer channels
- Provide financial literacy training



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## 4. Regional cooperation

- Support regional labour mobility frameworks
  - ECOWAS
  - APEI
- Support inter-regional consultative processes
  - Colombo Process