

International Organization for Migration  
International Partnerships Division

**Inter-State Consultation Mechanisms on Migration**

#	ISCM	Type	Member Countries, in numbers	Established	Region	Formal association with regional or multi-stakeholder organization	Chair in office	Secretariat	IOM's role
1.	5+5 Dialogue on Migration in the Western Mediterranean	IRF	10	2002	Europe and Africa	Union for the Mediterranean and Western Mediterranean Forum	Morocco	Union for the Mediterranean and Western Mediterranean Forum	Observer provider of technical guidance
2.	African Union Horn of Africa Initiative on Human Trafficking and Smuggling of Migrants (AU HoAI)	RCP	8	2014	Africa	African Union	Sudan	African Union, IOM and UNHCR	Observer; technical co-secretariat project support to secretariat provider of technical guidance
3.	African, Caribbean and Pacific Group of States (ACP) – European Union (EU) Dialogue on Migration	IRF	108	2000	Africa - Asia - Americas - Europe	African, Caribbean and Pacific Group of States; and European Commission	Germany and Seychelles (incoming)	African, Caribbean and Pacific Group of States Secretariat	Project support to the Secretariat provider of technical guidance
4.	Almaty Process on Refugee Protection and International Migration	RCP	7	2013	Eurasia	n/a	Tajikistan	IOM and UNHCR	Technical co-secretariat

									project support to secretariat provider of technical guidance
5.	Arab Regional Consultative Process on Migration and Refugee Affairs (ARCP)	RCP	21	2015	The Middle East	League of Arab States	n/a	League of Arab States	Liaison provider of technical guidance
6.	Bali Process on People Smuggling, Trafficking in Persons and Related Transnational Crime	IRF	45	2002	Europe – Asia – Americas –Africa	n/a	Australia and Indonesia	IOM	Member, de-facto secretariat provider of technical guidance
7.	Budapest Process	IRF	53	1993	Europe/Eurasia and Asia	n/a	Turkey Hungary co-chair	ICMPD	Member provider of technical guidance
8.	Caribbean Migration Consultations (CMC)	RCP	23	2016	Americas	n/a	None (incoming Jamaica)	IOM and UNHCR	Potential technical co-secretariat provider of technical guidance
9.	Central American Commission of Migration Directors (OCAM)	RCP	8	1999	Americas	Central American Integration System (SICA)	Guatemala	IOM	Technical Secretariat provider of technical guidance
10.	Coordinated Mekong Ministerial Initiative Against Trafficking (COMMIT)	RCP	6	2004	Asia	n/a	Viet Nam	UNDP	Liaison provider of technical guidance
11.	Euro-African Dialogue on Migration and Development (Rabat Process)	IRF	56	2006	Europe and Africa	European Commission;	France	EC, ECOWAS and ICMPD	Observer

						Commission of the Economic Community of West African States (ECOWAS)			provider of technical guidance
12.	European Union - Horn of Africa Migration Route Initiative (Khartoum Process)	IRF	40	2014	Europe and Africa	African Union Commission (AUC) and European Commission (EC)	Netherlands	EC, AUC with ICMPD support	Observer provider of technical guidance
13.	Forum on Migration and Development (GFMD)	Global process on migration	195	2007	Global	n/a	United Arab Emirates	GFMD Support Unit	Observer Administrative secretariat provider of technical guidance
14.	Ibero-American Forum on Migration and Development (FIBEMYD)	IRF	22	2008	Americas - Europe	Ibero-American General Secretariat (SEGIB)	Andorra	SEGIB	Observer Liaison provider of technical guidance
15.	Ibero-American Network of Migration Authorities (RIAM)	IRF	18	2012	Americas - Europe	n/a	Panama	IOM	Observer Technical secretariat provider of technical guidance
16.	Migration Dialogue for the Intergovernmental Authority on Development Region (MiD-IGAD or IGAD-RCP)	RCP	7	2008	Africa	Intergovernmental Authority on Development	Sudan	IGAD Secretariat in collaboration with the AU Commission and IOM	Observer Project support to secretariat provider of technical guidance

17.	Migration Dialogue for the Indian Ocean Commission Countries (MiDIOCC)	IRF	5	2020	Europe-Africa	Indian Ocean Commission (IOC)	Seychelles	IOC Secretariat with IOM support	Observer provider of technical guidance
18.	Inter-Governmental Consultations on Migration, Asylum and Refugees (IGC)	IRF	17	1985	Europe – Asia – Americas	n/a	Canada	IGC Administration	Member Administrative secretariat provider of technical guidance
19.	Migration Dialogue for Southern Africa (MIDSA)	RCP	16	2000	Africa	Southern African Development Community (SADC)	Tanzania	IOM	Observer Technical secretariat provider of technical guidance
20.	Migration Dialogue for West Africa (MIDWA)	RCP	15	2001	Africa	Economic Community of West African States (ECOWAS)	Niger	ECOWAS	Observer Project support to secretariat provider of technical guidance
21.	Migration Dialogue from the Common Market for Eastern and Southern Africa Member States (MIDCOM)	RCP	19	2013	Africa	Common Market for Eastern and Southern Africa (COMESA)	Zambia	COMESA	Observer Project support to secretariat provider of technical guidance
22.	Ministerial Consultation on Overseas Employment and Contractual Labour for Countries of Origin and Destination in Asia (Abu Dhabi Dialogue)	IRF	18	2008	Asia and the Middle East	none	United Arab Emirates	United Arab Emirates	Observer provider of technical guidance

23.	Pacific Immigration Development Community (PIDC)	RCP	19	1996	Asia and the Pacific	n/a	Cook Islands	PIDC Secretariat	Observer Liaison provider of technical guidance
24.	Pan-African Forum on migration (PAFOM)	IRF	55	2015	Africa, continent-wide	African Union	Egypt	African Union Commission	Observer provider of technical guidance
25.	Prague Process	RCP	50	2009	Eurasia	European Commission	Lithuania	ICMPD	Liaison provider of technical guidance
26.	Regional Conference on Migration (RCM)	RCP	11	1996	Americas	n/a	Costa Rica	RCM Secretariat	Observer Administrative secretariat provider of technical guidance
27.	Regional Consultative Process on Overseas Employment and Contractual Labour for Countries of Origin in Asia (Colombo Process)	RCP	12	2003	Asia	n/a	Nepal (incoming Afghanistan)	IOM	Observer (ad hoc) Technical secretariat provider of technical guidance
28.	South American Conference on Migration (SACM)	RCP	12	2000	Americas	n/a	Peru	IOM	Observer Technical secretariat provider of technical guidance

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