

# Advancing migration cooperation around the world

Since 2009, more than 100 countries across the world have benefited from MIEUX capacity building activities delivered by almost 300 migration experts.

MIEUX is a **peer-to-peer** experts' facility which supports partner countries and regional organisations to better manage migration and mobility through the provision of **rapid, tailor-made** assistance upon request. It is a joint initiative funded by the European Union (EU) and implemented by the International Centre for Migration Policy Development (ICMPD).

"MIEUX is an excellent initiative which is fast, targeted, flexible and with a minimum of 'red tape'."

**MIEUX** partner country

### Who can request MIEUX expertise?

- Partner countries' migration-related national authorities
- > Local authorities
- Judiciary, prosecutors' offices, ombudspersons, parliaments
- > Regional organisations

# MIEUX supports countries from the following regions:

- › Africa, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP)
- > Asia
- > European Neighbourhood
- > Latin America
- Overseas Countries and Territories (OCTs)
- > The Gulf



#### How does MIEUX work?

MIEUX offers short-term, technical assistance through tailored activities which match the expertise required by the requesting partner country. MIEUX deploys mixed teams of migration experts, originating mostly from within but also outside EU Member States. This facilitates the transfer of expertise through a peer-to-peer approach.

#### Request for expertise

Submission of a request in the form of a letter Sent to: the MIEUX team or local EU Delegation Quick response

# Preparation of Action Fiche

Targeted to priority needs
Approved by the EU project steering group

#### Implementation

Swift mobilisation of experts Delivery of activities Ensuring local ownership

Evaluation and results dissemination.

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### Which areas are covered by MIEUX?

MIEUX provides expertise in all areas of migration management, including:

- Irregular migration: border and visa management, trafficking in human beings, smuggling
- Legal migration and mobility: labour migration, integration, free movement
- Migration and development: diaspora engagement, remittances, brain drain/gain
- International protection and asylum policy: integration of refugees, displacement
- Horizontal issues: migration and climate change, human rights, data

"MIEUX is exchange. Exchange of knowledge, experiences, perspectives."

**MIEUX** expert

### What kind of activities are implemented?

MIEUX offers a broad menu of activities which respond to the priorities and needs of partner countries, such as:

- > Support in developing and reviewing legislation
- > Elaboration/evaluation of policies and strategies
- > Development of manuals and handbooks
- > Training sessions/training of trainers
- > Information exchange sessions
- > Fact-finding missions and reports
- > Study visits

#### The added value of MIEUX:

- > Provision of peer-to-peer, tailor-made expertise
- > Quick response to requests
- > Swift implementation
- > Flexible, light management
- Sustainability of actions

## Why participate in MIEUX?

#### Benefits for partner countries:

- > Strengthened capacities to manage migration
- > Increased inter-agency dialogue
- Advanced cooperation with EU/EU Member States
- Improved understanding of specific areas of migration



#### Benefits for EU Member States:

- Expanding cooperation with partner countries, regions and other EU Member States
- Exchange of expertise
- > First hand migration experience
- Increasing the visibility of the EU and EU Member States



#### Interested in engaging with MIEUX?

Submit your request to the <u>MIEUX team</u> or local EU Delegation

Interested in working with MIEUX?

Submit your CV to the MIEUX team

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