

# 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).

## How does MIEUX work?

MIEUX offers short-term expertise upon request for assistance from non-EU countries' administrations, parliaments, prosecutors' offices, local governments, the judiciary, regional organisations and other actors dealing with migration and mobility.

MIEUX mobilises migration experts from EU Member States and non-EU administrations. Therefore, MIEUX's success is largely attributed to experts' participation and contributions.

### 1 Request for expertise

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

### 2 Preparation of Action Fiche

Targeted to priority needs  
Approved by the EU project steering group

### 3 Implementation

Swift mobilisation of experts  
Delivery of activities  
Ensuring local ownership

### 4 Evaluation and results dissemination

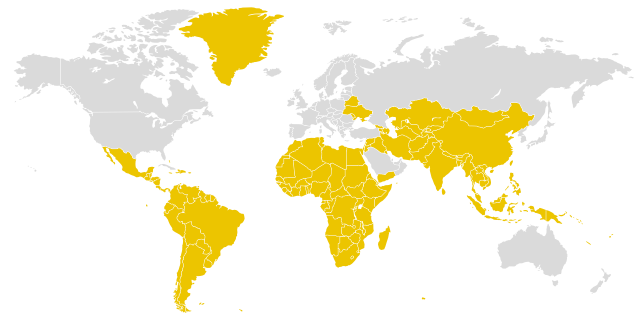
## What kind of experts does MIEUX deploy?

MIEUX experts cover various 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

## Where are the experts deployed?

Experts are deployed to the countries supported by MIEUX in the following regions: **Africa, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP); Asia; European Neighbourhood; Latin America; Overseas Countries and Territories (OCTs); The Gulf.**



## What kind of support do the experts deliver?

MIEUX activities are designed on a case-by-case basis, together with the partner countries, and include various forms of expert support, such as:

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

*“Utilising experts both from North and South, and gathering together a diverse range of public policy makers ensures finding appropriate solutions.”*

MIEUX expert for Burundi and Togo

*“Experts learn a lot from each other as they share concepts, experiences and good practices.”*

MIEUX expert for Peru

## Why participate in MIEUX?

- › Expanding cooperation networks at national and international levels
- › Exposure to new professional environments
- › Strengthening peer-to-peer and triangular cooperation
- › Acquiring first-hand experience of migration management
- › Flexibility in experts’ recruitment to best accommodate their institutional procedures

## Financial/contextual support for the experts:

- › Experts are granted a fixed expert fee, a daily subsistence allowance and are covered by travel insurance
- › International travel is arranged and paid for
- › Experts are supported by the MIEUX team throughout all stages of deployment

**Interested migration experts are invited to submit their CV to the MIEUX team at**

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