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## **Rationale for the launching of the African Migration Research Digest**

The African Migration Research Digest (AMRD), an initiative of the African Centre for the Study and Research on Migration, providing insights into recent publications and research on African migration issues. The AMRD bulletin highlights research and studies from academic and policy standpoints (books, articles in peer reviewed journals, policy briefs, working papers, research reports, infographs, digital and social media, book reviews, blogs, events, and resources) on various aspects of Africa's internal and international migration.

The African Centre for the Study and Research on Migration (ACSRM) encourages experts, researchers, research and academic institutions, think tanks, national, regional, continental, and international organizations, NGOs, migrant and diasporas organizations, medias, trade and employers' organizations, civil society organizations to send any recent research and publications about African migration to be considered in the forthcoming AMRD editions.

## **Notes explicatives sur le lancement de l'initiative African Migration Research Digest (Catalogue sur les Recherches sur la Migration Africaine)**

Ce catalogue sur les récentes recherches et publications sur la migration africaine est une initiative du Centre Africain d'Etudes et de Recherches sur la Migration. Ce bulletin mensuel présente les études et recherches (livres, articles dans des revues a comité de lecture, notes politiques, documents de travail, rapports de recherches, infographes, recension d'ouvrages, publications via support digital et médias sociaux, évènements et sources d'informations et bases de données) sur divers aspects de la migration interne et internationale africaine. Les perspectives sont à la fois empiriques/ académiques et appliquées.

Le Centre Africain d'Etudes et de Recherches sur la Migration encourage les experts, chercheurs, institutions académiques et de recherche, think tanks, organisations nationales, régionales, continentales et internationales, ONGs, associations des migrants et diasporas, organisations des travailleurs et employeurs, organisations de la société civile à envoyer leurs publications et recherches récentes pour leur inclusion dans les prochains numéros de African Migration Research Digest, qui dresse un aperçu sur les récentes publications et recherches sur les migrations africaines.

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## **INFOGRAPHS, NEWS, PRESS RELEASE, EVENTS, BLOGPOSTS, FEATURES, OPINION PIECES, DIGITAL AND SOCIAL MEDIA, AND OTHERS**

➤ **OPINION PIECES – BLOGPOSTS**

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## EVENTS (CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS)

- International Dialogue on Migration 2023 – Leveraging Human Mobility in Support of the Sustainable Development Goals 30 – 31 March 2023, organized by IOM <https://www.iom.int/international-dialogue-migration-2023-leveraging-human-mobility-support-sustainable-development-goals>
- Second high-level interregional meeting on the health of refugees and migrants organized by the World Health Organization (WHO). 18 March Sharm El Sheikh. <https://www.emro.who.int/media/news/second-high-level-interregional-meeting-on-the-health-of-refugees-and-migrants.html?format=html>
- Steering Committee Meeting and Senior Officials' Meeting, 15-16 March 2023, Berlin, Germany organized by Khartoum Process partners. <https://www.khartoumprocess.net/news-and-events/news/111-steering-committee-meeting-and-senior-officials-meeting-15-16-march-2023-berlin-germany>
- 3e atelier de concertation régionale des acteurs engagés sur le projet CRPM organise par Expertise France dans le cadre du Projet Coopération Régionale des Politiques Migratoires. Mercredi 15 et Jeudi 16 mars 2023 – Conakry (Hôtel NOOM).
- Réunion de validation de l'étude sur les réponses africaines à la question des migrants et de la protection des migrants en Afrique et les principes directeurs africains sur les droits de l'homme de tous les migrants 18 mars 2023  
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- Speaking Back to Theory: Africanist Migration Research Beyond the Categories. Symposium on African Migration, Mobility and Displacement, 15-18 March 2023 in Accra/Cape Coast (Ghana). Workshop organized by the African Migration, Mobility and Displacement (AMMODI) Collaborative Research Group, in partnership with the Centre for Migration Studies Ghana, The Nordic Africa Institute and the Arnold-Bergstraesser Institute.  
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- Migration for Development and Equality project (MIDEQ) regional conference on migration for development and equality, 14 – 15 March 2023. ISSER Conference Facility, University of Ghana In-person and Virtual. Organized by the Centre for Migration Studies at University of Ghana, the UKRI Migration for Development and Equality Project, and the United Nations University Centre for Policy Research  
<https://www.mideq.org/en/events/mideq-regional-conference-on-migration-for-development-and-equality/>

## **FORTHCOMING (CONFERENCES, CALL FOR PAPERS, ETC.)**

### ➤ **CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS**

- Computational Demography PAA2023 Member Initiated Meeting (MIM). Preconference event on: Scholarly migration worldwide: “Inauguration of the Scholarly Migration Database”. Wednesday 12 April 2023 14:00 to 17:00.  
<https://iussp.org/en/inauguration-scholarly-migration-database>
- GCM Talk: Migrants and Discrimination- Lessons for the Future Apr 27, 2023 03:00 PM in Amsterdam, Berlin, Rome, Stockholm, and Vienna <https://iom-int.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJEsc-6oqjguGtJ6D1hoA7rfFvknJ6FMRABH#/registration>
- Second Annual African Migration Conference 2023: Black Migrants in the Bay Area. Date: 15 April 2023, organized by the University of San Francisco's Master's in Migration Studies (MIMS) and USF School of Law, in partnership with African Advocacy Network (AAN), Black Alliance for Just Immigration (BAJI), and Priority Africa Network (PAN).  
<https://www.usfca.edu/event/african-migration-conference-2023-black-migrants-bay-area/10190267>

- Migration Working Group – Scholars of Excellence Edition: De-centring the governance and knowledge production on migration. April 19, 2023, Time 10:00 AM EDT - 4:15 PM EDT Location: Hybrid (In person at CERC Migration office / online via Zoom) <https://www.torontomu.ca/cerc-migration/events/2023/04/migration-working-group-apr-19/>
- Réunion thématique sur le retour volontaire et la réintégration organisée par le Processus de Rabat cette année aura lieu les 25 et 26 avril 2023 à Yaoundé, au Cameroun. <https://www.rabat-process.org/fr/> Thematic Meeting on Voluntary Return and Reintegration organised by the Rabat Process this year will take place on 25-26 April 2023 in Yaoundé, Cameroon <https://www.rabat-process.org/en/>
- Global Forum on Remittances, Investment and Development (GFRID) Summit 2023. 14 - 16 June 2023 <https://gfrid.org/summits/gfrid2023/>

#### ➤ **CALL FOR PAPERS**

- Journée d'études « Migrations, mobilités, et éthique(s) » dans le cadre du projet MOBIL (Mobilités, migrations, mobilisations), le 13 juin 2023 à l'Université catholique de l'Ouest – Angers. Propositions de communication (titre, résumé de 400 mots et bref CV) à envoyer avant le 22 avril 2023 <https://calenda.org/1060635>
- Migration In and Out of Africa: A Cultural Perspective. Deadline for submissions of papers: May 31, 2023. *Indraprastha: An International Journal of Culture and Communication Studies*. <https://call-for-papers.sas.upenn.edu/cfp/2023/03/11/migration-in-and-out-of-africa-a-cultural-perspective>.
- Call for Papers: Hybrid Conference Young Africans on the Move: Exploring Intra- and Inter-continental Migration Processes and Dynamics, 28 – 30 November 2023, Ahfad University for Women, Omdurman, Sudan and online. <https://www.emmir.org/post/call-for-papers-hybrid-conference-young-africans-on-the-move>
- Diasporas et mobilités : perspectives critiques actuelles. Afrique, Amérique-Caraïbe, Europe, Asie (XV<sup>e</sup>-XXI<sup>e</sup> siècles). Organisé par le Groupe de Recherche et d'Études Latino-américaines (ED-SCALL/EA-PAMELCHID) de l'Université Félix Houphouët-Boigny (Côte d'Ivoire) et partenaires. Date limite pour la soumission des propositions : 30 juin 2023 <https://grelat-ufhb.org/v-colloque-international-2023/>