

10th International Conference
UNDERSTANDING VOLUNTARY AND FORCED
MIGRATION
RESEARCH AND DATA NEEDS

MucMA (Espace Culture), Campus Cité Scientifique,
University of Lille, 59650 Villeneuve d'Ascq

B Parallel Sessions (Salle des conférences, SH2)



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PROGRAM

18 MAY 2026

9:00 - 9:15 Welcoming of participants

9:15 – 10:30 Guest-speaker session 1

Mariya Aleksynska (OCDE, France)

"Return, Stay, and Onward Movement of the Displaced: From Intentions to Decisions—Evidence from the Ukrainian Displacement Crisis "

Chairperson: Nadiya Ukrayinchuk

10:30 - 10:45 Coffee Break

10:45 – 12:00 Guest-speakers session 2

Nicola Coniglio (University of Bari "Aldo Moro", Italy)

"Rejected but Remaining: The Scale of Failed Asylum and the Economics of Return"

Chairperson: Xavier Chojnicki

12:00 – 13:30 Lunch

13:30 – 15:00 Parallel Session 1a : Migration Policies and Behavioral Responses

Chairperson: Mikael Pasternak

- *"Labor Market Activation through Job Search Obligations", **Elias Balayan** (Univ. of Innsbruck, Austria), Dominik Hangartner (IPL, Stanford Univ);, Andreas Steinmayr (Univ. of Innsbruck; IPL, Stanford Univ.)*

Discussant: Mikael Pasternak

- *" Theory and Evidence on the Boomerang Effect of Assisted Return Schemes", Nicola D. Coniglio (University of Bari Aldo Moro) , **Rune Jansen Hagen** (Univ. of Bergen, Norway)*

Discussant: Paúl Elguezabal

- *"Do Regularization Programs Attract More Migrants? Evidence for OECD Countries", **Paúl Elguezabal** (Univ. of Goettingen), Inmaculada Martínez-Zarzoso (Univ. Jaume I & Univ. of Goettingen)*

Discussant: Elias Balayan

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13:30 – 15:00 Parallel Session 1b : Social Norms, Gender and Migration

Chairperson: Thomas Baudin

- *“Facing Pressure, Choosing Distance: Female Genital Cutting and Girls’ Mobility in Sub-Saharan Africa”*, **Melchior Clerc** (Univ. Clermont Auvergne, IRD, CERDI)

Discussant: Riccardo Franceschin

- *“Refugee Inflows and Native Parity Progression: Evidence from Turkey”*, Murat Güray Kırdar (Koç Univ.), **M. İkbal Oruç** (Koç Univ.)

Discussant: Melchior Clerc

- *“Fertility: the impact of social norms and stigma after forced migration”*, **Riccardo Franceschin** (Sabanci Univ., Turkey), , Abdurrahman Aydemir (Sabanci Univ. Turkey), Giacomo Battiston (Berlin School of Economics, Germany), and Ebru Sanlituerk (Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research, Germany)

Discussant: M. İkbal Oruç

15:00 - 15:15 Coffee Break

15:15 – 17:15 Parallel Session 2a: Migration Flows, Shocks, and Destination Choices

Chairperson: Xavier Chojnicki

- *“Drivers of migration: The influence of neighbouring countries on destination choice”*, **Rama Dasi Mariani** (Roma Tre Univ., Italy), Alberto Pozzolo (Roma Tre Univ., Italy)

Discussant: Narcisse Cha’ngom

- *“Aid and Exodus: U.S. Military Assistance and Refugee Flows to the United States”*, Eugen Dimant (Univ. of Pennsylvania , USA), **Tim Krieger** (Univ. of Freiburg, Germany), Daniel Meierrieks (WZB Berlin Social Science Center, Germany), Laura Renner (Univ. of Freiburg, Germany)

Discussant: Rama Dasi Mariani

- *“Where you arrive matters: Local Conditions and Migration Duration. Evidence from Italian Registry Data”*, Lisa Capretti (CEIS, Univ. of Rome “Tor Vergata”, Italy), Francesca Centofanti (DEF, Univ. of Rome “Tor Vergata”), Alessio Farcomeni (DEF, Univ. of Rome “Tor Vergata”), **Furio Camillo Rosati** (DEF, Univ. of Rome “Tor Vergata”)

Discussant: Tim Krieger

- *“Aid, Local Opportunities, and the Geography of Mobility: Evidence from Senegal”*, **Narcisse Cha’ngom** (LISER, Luxembourg)

Discussant: Furio Camillo Rosati

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15:15 – 17:15 Parallel Session 2b: CILOSI Session

- *CILOSI project presentation* *Chairperson: Enkelejda Havari*
Simone Moriconi
- *“Cultural Shock Transmission and Sense of Home among Second Generation Immigrants”, Thomas Baudin (IESEG Lille, LEM, France), Muriel Bour (Univ.of Lille, LEM, France), Mikaël Pasternak (Univ.of Lille, LEM, France)*
Discussant: Nur Bilge
- *“Migration Policy Backlash, Identity, and Integration of the 2nde generation”, Thomas Baudin (IESEG Lille, LEM, France), Yajna Govind (AMSE, France) , Simone Moriconi (IESEG Paris, LEM, France)*
Discussant: Rune Jansen Hagen
- *“Ethnic firms as employers: Coethnic Hiring and Immigrant Labour Integration”, Nur Bilge (Univ.of Lille, LEM, France), Hubert Jayet (Univ.of Lille, LEM, France), Nadiya Ukrayinchuk (Univ.of Lille, LEM, France)*
Discussant: Enkelejda Havari

18:30 Conference Dinner at the Musée de l'Hospice Comtesse (32 Rue de la Monnaie, 59800 Lille)

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9:00 – 10:30 Guest-speaker session 3

Chairperson: Simone Moriconi

Anna Maria Mayda (School of Foreign Service and Dep. of Economics, Georgetown University, Washington, USA)

"The fiscal impact of immigration at the local level: Evidence from Belgium and other countries"

10:30 – 10:45 Coffee Break

10:45 – 12:00 Guest-speaker session 3

Chairperson: Nur Bilge

Abdurrahman Aydemir (Sabanci University, CReAM, IZA@LISER)

"The impact of refugees on crime: Evidence from Syrian influx in Türkiye by nativity of perpetrators and victims"

12:00 - 13:15 Lunch

13:15 – 14:45 Parallel Session 3a : Integration and Social Outcomes of Migrants

Chairperson: Alice Mesnard

- "Citizenship premium or penalty? Immigrants in the Belgian labour market", **Ines Homburg** (Univ. of Antwerp, Belgium)
Discussant: Elisabetta Lodigiani
- "Social Capital and the Integration of Migrants: Evidence from France", **Alice Mesnard** (City St George's, Univ. of London, UK), **Paul Seabright** (Toulouse School of Economics, France), **Joséphine Smadja-Vigier** (LeDA, Univ. Paris-Dauphine, France)

Discussant: Ines Homburg

- "Far-Right Local Governance and Migrants' Mental Health", **Andrea Berlanda** (Univ. of Bergamo, Italy), **Elisabetta Lodigiani** (Univ. of Padua, Italy), **Elisa Tosetti** (Univ. of Padua, Italy) , **Giorgio Vittadini** (Univ. of Milano Bicocca, Italy)

Discussant: Alice Mesnard

13:15 – 14:45 Parallel Session 3b : Human Capital, Education, and Historical Perspectives

Chairperson: Claire Naiditch

- "Born Here, Raised There: Regional Mobility and Intergenerational Transmission of Education in Europe", **Marco Fregoni** (World Bank), **Andrea Gasparroni** (IESEG Paris, France), **Enkelejda Havari** (IESEG Paris, LEM, France)
Discussant: Tamara Bogatzki
- "Brain Drain Through the Web? Internet and Student Migration", **Jerome Gonnot** (ESPOL, LEM, France), **Mauro Lanati** (Univ. of Florence, Italy) , **Alexander Yarkin** (Univ. College Dublin, Ireland)

Discussant: Claire Naiditch

- "From Colonial Soldiers to Contemporary Migrants: Intergenerational Remittances from Historic Military Migration", **Tamara Bogatzki** (WZB, Kiel Univ., Germany)

Discussant: Jerome Gonnot

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14:45 – 15:00 Coffee Break

15:00 – 16:30 Session 4 : Socioeconomic Impacts of Migration

Chairperson: Jerome Gonnot

- “Beyond the Labor Market: How the Syrian Refugee Influx Reshaped Turkish Household Wealth and Consumption”, **Abdullah Tirgil** (Ankara Yıldırım Beyazıt Univ., Turkey), **Abdurrahman B. Aydemir** (Sabancı Univ., Turkey) , **Abdullah Selim Öztek** (Ankara Univ., Turkey), **Ümit Acar** (Ankara Yıldırım Beyazıt Univ. Turkey) , **Ali Recai Direkçi** (Alanya Univ., Turkey)

Discussant: Muriel Bour

- “Balancing the books: Immigration and local finances in France”, **Nur Bilge** (Univ. of Lille, LEM, France)

Discussant: Mustapha Kokumo

- “The Effect of a Refugee Shock on the Integration of Earlier Migrants”, **Mustapha Kokumo** (European University Institute, Italy)

Discussant: Abdullah Tirgil

16:30 Final Coffee