

## GFMD 2019 PROVISIONAL CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

(as of 28 October 2019)

Date	Activity	Venue
14 February	<i>First Draft of the Concept Paper of the GFMD 2019 Chairmanship</i>	
19-21 February	1 <sup>st</sup> Preparatory Meetings of GFMD 2019 Chairmanship	Geneva
	· GFMD Troika (February 19)	
	· GFMD Steering Group (February 20)	
	· Friends of the Forum (February 21)	
21 February	First Government-led Roundtable (RT) Team Consultations	Geneva
26 February	Expert Symposium on International Migration and Development	New York
27 February	High-level Debate on International Migration and Development, followed by a Reception to Launch the GFMD 2019 Chairmanship	New York
28 February	International Dialogue on Migration (IDM)	New York
28 February	<i>Send out of the Revised Draft GFMD 2019 Concept Paper</i>	
15 March	<i>Deadline for submission of comments on the Draft Concept Paper</i>	
15 March	<i>Submission of GFMD's Recommendations to the High Level Political Forum (HLPF) 2019</i>	
21-22 March	GFMD 2019 Thematic Workshop on GCM Implementation at the National Level	Geneva
4 April	Consultation on the relationship between the GFMD and the Global Compact for Migration	Geneva
March – May	<i>Preparation of GFMD 2019 RT Background Papers</i>	
28 May	Second Government-led Roundtable (RT) Team Consultations	
28-29 May	2 <sup>nd</sup> Preparatory Meetings of the GFMD 2019 Chairmanship	Geneva
	· GFMD Troika (May 28)	
	· GFMD Steering Group (May 28)	
	· Friends of the Forum (May 29)	

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<i>2<sup>nd</sup> Week of June</i>	<i>Distribution of First Draft RT Background Papers to the GFMD Community</i>	
14 June	GFMD Observance Event "International Day of Family Remittances: Supporting one billion people reach their own SDGs"	New York
2-3 July	GFMD Business Mechanism Regional Workshop	Tunis
4-5 July	GFMD 2019 Thematic Workshop on Narratives on Migration: Towards an evidence-based communication	Rabat
11 July	GFMD Side Event on the margins of 2019 High Level Political Forum	New York
24-25 July	Thematic Workshop: "Facilitating social and economic inclusion" (funded by EU, implemented by ICMPD)	San José, Costa Rica
14-15 August	Thematic Workshop "Harnessing migration for rural development" (funded by EU, implemented by ICMPD)	Jamaica
<i>1<sup>st</sup> Week of September</i>	<i>Distribution of Second Draft RT Background Papers to the GFMD Community</i>	
10-11 September	3rd Preparatory Meetings of the GFMD 2019 Chairmanship	Geneva
	· GFMD Troika (September 10)	
	· GFMD Steering Group (September 10)	
	· Friends of the Forum (September 11)	
11 September	Third Government-led Roundtable (RT) Team Consultations	
19-20 September	Thematic Workshop "Providing regular pathways from crisis to safety" (funded by EU, implemented by ICMPD)	Quito
8-9 October	GFMD Business Mechanism Regional Workshop	Buenos Aires
11 October	GFMD Thematic Event on "The impact of remittances on rural transformation in Africa: from commitments to action" (co-organized with IFAD)	Addis Ababa
16-17 October	Thematic Workshop "Supporting arrival cities through policy coherence and multi-stakeholder partnerships" (funded by EU, implemented by ICMPD)	Lima, Peru
<i>3<sup>rd</sup> Week of October</i>	<i>Final versions of 2019 RT Background Papers and distribution to the GFMD community</i>	
<i>1<sup>st</sup> Week of November</i>	<i>Distribution of Translated RT Background Papers</i>	
20-24 January 2020	12 <sup>th</sup> GFMD Summit Meeting	Quito
	(including Civil Society Days, GFMD Business Meeting and Mayoral Forum)	