



Outcomes Summary - Roundtable 6
**New Technologies and Digitalization: Improving Migration Management
and Regular Migration Pathways**

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OUTCOMES SUMMARY

An avatar designed for these second Roundtable Consultations on New Technologies and Digitalisation welcomed participants on behalf of the Co-Chairs - the governments of Ecuador, Georgia, and the GFMD Business Mechanism, stressing how technological innovations can improve migration governance, enhance efficiency and security of systems, and offer verifiable employment records for migrants, among others. The consultations engaged participants in discussions on how technologies can be leveraged to transform and improve migration services and policies.

In the first part of the session, all delegations were invited to share policies and practices by using an online application. **Over 40 practices** were shared and featured on screens in the meeting room in real time, allowing all participants to get a sense of the diversity of experiences across participating countries and regions (see Annex 1 below). In the second part of the session, an interactive dialogue was facilitated in small groups and debriefed in plenary. To warm up the discussions, the Roundtable Co-Chairs shared selected practices based on the challenges and opportunities identified during the First Roundtable Consultations held in November 2024. Delegates were invited to reflect on the practices presented by the Co-Chairs, sharing insights on other approaches and considering opportunities for partnerships.

FOCUS ON SELECTED PRACTICES BY THE CO-CHAIRS

Ecuador is advancing digitalization to simplify immigration processes. The [Electronic Visa System](#) is facilitating the way foreign citizens obtain legal residency. In 2024, Ecuador took another step forward with Ministerial Agreement No. 70, launching E-VISAS and the Digital Services Centre (CESDI). Visa applications are now fully online, accessible from anywhere in the world. Some of the lessons learned from this process are: collaboration and interoperability among public institutions are essential, and protecting personal data presents a challenge that requires implementing security enhancements during the exchange of information.

Launched in 2014, the [Georgia's Consular Case Management Electronic System](#) allows citizens to request and process consular services electronically, featuring a private cabinet for managing applications and communicating with consular posts. The system includes improved search mechanisms, an interactive map, and analytical capabilities for measuring consular post workload. The system has proven effective in reducing document processing time and increasing consular services, with plans for further modernization, including biometric data and new features for legalization procedures.

The Business Mechanism presented practices for [new technologies and digitalization](#) around three topics (1) **Digital Identity and Credential Verification**, (2) Interoperability and (3) Data-driven Decision Making emphasizing its transformative potential for migration management.

- **Digital Identity and Credential Verification:** This practice involves using digital wallets containing verified credentials issued directly by the issuer, such as government authorities, academic institutions, and banks. This system allows users to share relevant, verified credentials directly with employers or government agencies, eliminating intermediaries and reducing costs and time. The technology is underpinned by web 3 technologies like blockchain and distributed ledgers. The practice aims to provide more data ownership to individuals, ensuring secure and accountable data sharing.
- **Interoperability:** Interoperability fosters collaboration between diverse entities. It involves adopting a universal language and standards, as outlined by W3C and ISO, to enable seamless communication. The key objective is to unify data across various systems, breaking down barriers between governments, institutions, and companies. By doing so, it streamlines processes, improves efficiency, and ensures that critical information is readily accessible to all stakeholders, ultimately enhancing the overall migration experience. This unified data approach is a cornerstone of effective governance in managing migration flows.
- **Data-driven Decision Making:** Data analytics is a powerful decision-making tool, offering valuable insights from diverse datasets. When integrated with a unified platform, it facilitates the collection and analysis of data from multiple stakeholders, including governments, institutions, and private sectors. This synergy provides policymakers with a comprehensive understanding of migration dynamics, enabling them to make informed choices. By harnessing real-time data analytics with predictive capabilities, decision-makers can allocate resources efficiently, develop adaptive strategies, and ensure that migration processes are responsive, evidence-based, and aligned with current trends.

SUMMARY OF DISCUSSIONS

Discussions highlighted the added value of practices that build skill profiles that are authentic, easily verifiable and portable, matching the needs of companies. Ethical design to prevent discrimination and design technology specifically for migrants were emphasized. The relevance of approaches that facilitate accurate translation of degrees, qualifications, drivers' licences in different countries was highlighted.

Cross-country consultations on digital identity and addressing digital literacy to make technology easy to use for everyone were also discussed and ways to overcome fragmentation between government entities, addressing the digital divide to ensure access for everyone. The importance of safeguarding data and protecting the rights of migrants was emphasized, along with the need for transparency and secure policies for data sharing. The benefits of having a digital wallet to store all information in one place were discussed, along with the challenges related to privacy risks, data protection, and digital literacy but also the need for collaboration across governments, institutions and companies to share data. Interoperability and collaboration across entities will facilitate the possibility of making data accessible to break the silos.

The discussion highlighted the value of data analytics to help analyse various data points, where stakeholders can collectively identify trends and pinpoint areas of need, allowing for strategic decision-making and resource allocation to address migration challenges effectively. The

conversation centered around the idea that AI could be a powerful tool for data analysis, with the ability to forecast and interpret migration trends. Its ability to process vast data, including text and trends, enables governments and institutions to make informed, proactive choices, ultimately enhancing the entire migration ecosystem with access to the data.

Discussions also highlighted the importance of global standards for digital tools, ensuring inclusive participation in the design and use of tools, and providing alternatives to digital tools, such as brick-and-mortar centres. The need for flexibility in digital tools, combining digitalization with human support, review and decision-making, and addressing the fear of migrants in using digital tools due to language barriers and privacy concerns were also mentioned. Discussions emphasized the importance of providing legal pathways for migration to respond to labour shortages, bilateral and regional cooperation, and ensuring interoperability and inter-institutional cooperation.

Among conditions for success, the following were identified:

Legal Frameworks & Institutional Cooperation: Digital identity and migration management require legal frameworks that guarantee security and human rights protection.

Interoperability & Cross-Border Compatibility: Digital identity systems should be recognized across borders, ensuring seamless authentication for migrants (e.g., Estonia's e-Residency, UAE Pass, Kenya's job-matching platform). Licensing agreements and international collaboration can avoid duplication of efforts. It is crucial to ensure data protection, transparency and the ethical use of AI in digital identity systems.

Multi-Stakeholder Cooperation: Governments, businesses, civil society and other stakeholders need to work together to design inclusive and effective digital tools.

Scalability & Adaptability: Digital wallets storing migrant documents can be adapted for different regions. Blockchain technology can enhance trust in skills recognition and work permits.

ANNEX 1 – POLICIES & PRACTICES

Submitted by:	Title	Summary	Website
Ecuador	Electronic Visas in Ecuador	<p>Since 2019, Ecuador has promoted the digitalization of services and products for foreign citizens regarding visas. That year, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Human Mobility replaced the traditional format of visas stamped in passports with a digital format sent to the applicant's email, thus facilitating the legal stay of foreigners in the country.</p> <p>In the same year, Executive Decree No. 826 of July 26, 2019, implemented the VERHU regularization process for Venezuelan citizens. This process marked a milestone by incorporating a computer system to manage visa applications designed to operate semi-presential for the first time. Thanks to this innovation, 57,502 Venezuelan citizens regularized their situation within two years.</p> <p>In 2022, Ecuador launched a new regularization process aimed at foreigners in an irregular immigration situation, accompanied by developing the Visa Information System (SIV). Based on the lessons learned from the VERHU process, this system allowed most VIRTE visa applications to be managed virtually, eliminating the need to appear in offices to complete the process physically. In addition, the SIV facilitated the payment of fees directly on the platform. These improvements allowed 95,802 foreigners, mostly Venezuelans, to be regularized in less than two years.</p> <p>The success of the VIRTE process motivated the expansion of visa management's digitalization, leading to the creation of the Ecuadorian Electronic Visa System (Evisas), based on the SIV. Ministerial Agreement No. 70 of June 28, 2024, established a new visa management system, which created the Digital Services Centre (CESDI) to implement this tool. This unit is responsible for receiving, processing, and responding, in a completely virtual manner, to visa</p>	<p>https://visasnews.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/07/statement-electronic-visa-ecuador-evisa.webp</p>

		<p>applications from citizens in Ecuador and abroad.</p> <p>Since its implementation, this new system has granted 25,596 ordinary visas, demonstrating its positive impact on modernizing and improving the immigration process in Ecuador.</p>	
	<p>Digital Services in Ecuador</p>	<p>In 2024, the digital transformation project for consular services was implemented to improve their administrative efficiency and facilitate users' access to consular services from anywhere in the world, saving time and resources for both applicants and institutions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The “Web Appointment System” is designed to optimize online appointment management and administrative processes. It has been operational since May 1, 2024, and has attended to and completed 369,912 web appointments to date. • Consular Information System "Chatbot," an automated 24/7 assistance and immediate response tool, provides information and resolves questions about consular requirements and procedures. It has been operational since May 1, 2024, and has sent and received 454,520 messages to date. • The eVisas system is a 100% online process that allows you to obtain an Ecuadorian visa safely, quickly, and simply from anywhere in the world. It has been operational since July 1, 2024, and 27,482 visas have been issued to date. • The “Online electronic apostille and legalization portal” allows you to apostille and legalize electronic documents issued by national institutions. It has been operational since July 1, 2024, and has issued 265,896 apostilles and legalizations. 	<p>https://www.gob.ec/mremh/tramites/apostilla-legalizacion-documentos</p> <p>https://www.ey.com/en_gl/technical/tax-alerts/2024-1394-ecuador-launches-new-online-platform-for-visa-applications-and-apostille-services</p>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Electronic billing: The user receives an electronic invoice for each service received within the eVisas system and the online electronic apostille and legalization portal. 	
Georgia	Georgia's Consular Case Management Electronic System	Launched in 2014, the Georgia's Consular Case Management Electronic System allows citizens to request and process consular services electronically, featuring a private cabinet for managing applications and communicating with consular posts. The system includes improved search mechanisms, an interactive map, and analytical capabilities for measuring consular post workload. A mobile app is also being introduced. The system has proven effective in reducing document processing time and increasing consular services, with plans for further modernization, including biometric data and new features for legalization procedures.	https://www.geoconsul.gov.ge/en/electronic-register/el-registry
Business Mechanism	Oracle	Oracle provides comprehensive data management and business applications to support enterprises. The main objectives are to help organizations manage their data effectively, streamline business processes, and enhance decision-making through advanced analytics and AI capabilities. The targeted population includes businesses across various industries such as financial services, healthcare, retail, manufacturing, public sector, and utilities.	https://www.oracle.com/data-platform/
China	China no document presentation model	China introduced a “no-document-presentation” inspection model to enhance border inspection efficiency. This is an optimized upgrade of the existing fast-track channels for passengers, replacing the traditional document swiping with facial recognition for inspection. among other things. Another app, NIA12367, provides government services to foreigners, enabling them to apply for services such as visa extensions and residence permits	https://english.www.gov.cn/news/202404/08/content_WS6613d136c6d0868f4e8e5dbf.html

	"No-document-presentation" inspection model	The "no-document-presentation" border inspection system is an optimized upgrade of the existing fast-track channels for passengers, replacing the traditional "document swiping" with "facial recognition" for inspection. This provides passengers with a more convenient, intelligent, and efficient entry and exit experience. The efficiency of each fast-track channel has increased by nearly 30%, significantly reducing waiting times. Additionally, this model reduces the risk of document loss or damage, further improving the operational efficiency and service level of the ports.	https://anychinavisa.com/news/en/new-policy-who-can-cross-the-border-without-document-checks/
	Immigration service platform - NIA12367	Additionally, China launched an electric port visa in Shanghai, which will soon cover the whole country. China have launch an App called NIA12367, which provide governments service to foreigners. They could apply any service through this app ,such as visa extension, residence permit.etc.	https://english.www.gov.cn/news/202404/08/content_WS6613d136c6d0868f4e8e5dbf.html
	China Immigration Service Hotline and Multi-language Website	National Immigration Administration of China (NIA) officially launches China Immigration Service Hotline and website on April 2021, in a bid to facilitate the access to useful information and convenient government services by Chinese citizens and foreign nationals.12367 China Immigration Service Hotline supports categorized responses to service requests from Chinese and foreigners, such as policy consultation, opinions and suggestions. The hotline now provides 24-hour service in Chinese ,English ,French, Japanese, and Korean. The website has both web and mobile editions (12367 APP)available for the convenient use of the public anytime and anywhere. Interested individuals from China and abroad are invited to adopt this convenient new way to conduct inquiries, deal with relevant matters, learn about legal rules on China's immigration management, and obtain information about immigration services in a timely manner. All the efforts are expected to further facilitate foreign national's study, work, and stay in China.	https://en.nia.gov.cn/
Colombia	Electronic Apostille	The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Colombia has set up an Online Apostille/Legalization service for electronic apostille. Through this online system, the users can do a	www.cancilleria.gov.co/apostilla

		full online procedure for apostille of official documents with the need of going to a consular or notarial office, saving time and money.	
European Union	Migrant Help application	The "Migrant(e)s Help" mobile application is part of the MC2CM programme funded by the EU and implemented by ICMPD. It was developed in partnership with the local NGO "Pionniers du Changement" of Oujda. The main objective of the project is to connect migrants with information and services. The mobile application enables users to easily locate key institutions such as government offices, health centres, schools, and other essential services in Casablanca, Rabat, and Oujda through a detailed map of available public services	https://pionniers.ma/projets/
Open discussions	Estonia E-Residency	E-Residency of Estonia is a government-issued digital identity which gives global entrepreneurs remote access to the world's most digital country. It provides the possibility to securely authenticate yourself online and sign documents using the most secure and efficient electronic signatures. Plus, the ability to start a company 100% online from anywhere. Estonia was the first country to offer e-Residency, starting in 2014. It remains the most popular programme of its kind for ambitious entrepreneurial people.	https://www.e-resident.gov.ee/
Open discussions	Sanad application - Jordan	Sanad is the official gateway to digital government services and digital identity in Jordan. You can now activate your digital identity to access your government digital documents and personal records, apply for government services, digitally sign documents, make bill payment and many more services and features.	https://www.sanad.gov.jo/default/en
Open discussion	Digital labour platform in Kenya	The Ajira Digital Program, spearheaded by the Ministry of Information, Communication, and Digital Economy (MICDE), is a government initiative designed to empower over one million young Kenyans by facilitating access to digital job opportunities.	https://ajiradigital.go.ke/#/index

Mexico	Acción Migrante platform	Acción Migrante is a digital platform created by the National Autonomous University of Mexico (UNAM) to provide online support and guidance to Mexican migrants and migrants of other nationalities living in the United States or who have returned to Mexico. The platform offers psychological support, legal guidance, and labor training through UNAM's five U.S. locations (Los Angeles, Tucson, San Antonio, Chicago, and Boston) and the Northwestern Station of the Legal Research Institute in Tijuana	https://www.gob.mx/sre/en/articulos/la-unam-y-la-sre-lanzan-plataforma-para-apoyo-a-migrantes-en-estados-unidos-accion-migrante-390617
Serbia	Digital platform for submitting visa application	<p>Subject: Digital platform for submitting visa application (e-visa), temporary residence and single permit (residence and labour permit) for foreigners</p> <p>Summary: Government of Republic of Serbia in the framework of policy of digitalizing, simplifying and making easy access to most of government services (eGovernment) developed the legal, administrative and technological preconditions for foreigners to be able to apply for visas, residence and labour permit through one digital platform “Welcome to Serbia” (https://welcometoserbia.gov.rs)</p>	https://welcometoserbia.gov.rs
Switzerland	The Impact-linked Fund for Gender-inclusive Fintechs (ILF for GIF)	The Impact-linked Fund for Gender-inclusive Fintechs (ILF for GIF) aims to enable migrant women to increase their access to and usage of financial products and services, particularly in underserved environments. It provides financial incentives to companies using technology (FinTechs) in Asia, MENA, and Sub-Saharan Africa that adopt more gender- and migration-centred business models and tailored products. In cooperation with private impact investors, the ILF for GIF targets FinTechs that want to achieve a positive social impact, which would not be funded by classic investors.	https://itf-fund.org/programs-and-facilities/impact-linked-fund-gender-inclusive-fintech/
The Philippines	DMW Mobile Application	The DMW Mobile App is a digital solution designed for Overseas Workers (OFWs) providing a comprehensive mobile platform to enhance the overseas journeys of the Philippines' citizens, providing essential services such as securing your OFW Pass.	https://dmw.gov.ph/ofwpass

	Online Accreditation Management System (OAMS)	The Philippines' Online Accreditation Management System (OAMS) is a web-based application for the accreditation of foreign principals and employers.	https://e-services.immigration.gov.ph/VisaApprovalVerification
UAE	Labour Market Simulation Model	<p>The Labour Market Simulation Model has been launched to enhance AI-enabled a new revolution in reshaping work methods. This innovative model leverages the capabilities of generative Artificial Intelligence (GenAI) to enhance decision-making efficiency and develop a sophisticated mechanism to predict the impact of decisions using advanced technology.</p> <p>The Labour Market Simulation Model adds substantial value for economists, policymakers, and Ministry staff, enabling them to analyse labour market data under various scenarios and conditions, and estimate the effects of policy changes and trends on labour market metrics, such as employment, wages, and workforce participation. Users can seamlessly interact with the system in a manner similar to ChatGPT, with a simple and accessible interface available in both Arabic and English.</p>	https://www.mohre.gov.ae/en/media-centre/news/18/10/2024/mohre-launches-labour-market-simulation-model-to-enhance-ai-enabled-a-new-revolution-in-reshaping-work-methods.aspx
	UAE PASS	The UAE PASS is the first secure national digital identity for citizens, residents and visitors in UAE, enabling them to access many online services across various sectors, in addition to providing features such as signing and verifying documents digitally, requesting digital versions of official documents, and using the same in applying for services from our partners.	https://www.uaepass.ae/
OECD	OECD AI Principles	The OECD AI Principles are the first intergovernmental standard on AI. promoting innovative, trustworthy AI that respects human rights and democratic values. Comprises of five values-based principles and five recommendations that provide practical and flexible guidance for policymakers and AI actors.	https://www.oecd.org/en/topics/sub-issues/ai-principles.html

OHCHR	OHCHR guidance for the use of digital technologies	Guidance for the use of digital technologies in border governance. OHCHR is developing and consulting on guidance for the use of digital technologies in border governance in a manner that complies with international human rights law and standards	https://www.ohchr.org/en/stories/2023/10/digital-technologies-borders-threat-people-move
Open discussions	UNESCO Qualifications Passport	The UNESCO Qualifications Passport (UQP) is an innovative universal tool to recognize the academic, professional, and vocational qualifications of forcibly displaced individuals. The issued document provides credible information that can be used to apply for jobs, internships, qualification courses, and academic admissions for further studies, as well as scholarships and financial aid.	https://www.unesco.org/en/emergencies/qualifications-passport
UNHCR	The Machine Readable Refugee Travel Documents (MRCTDs)	The Machine Readable Refugee Travel Documents (MRCTDs) initiative is a collaboration between UNHCR and various States to provide refugees with machine-readable travel documents. These documents are essential for refugees who do not have or cannot safely use passports from their country of origin. The main objectives are to facilitate safe and regular movement, enhance access to opportunities such as education and employment, and support family reunification	https://globalcompactrefugees.org/good-practices/enhancing-refugee-mobility-through-issuance-machine-readable-convention-travel
	The Digital Gateway	The Digital Gateway is a platform developed by UNHCR to transform how forcibly displaced individuals and communities interact with the organization. It provides accessible protection services, multi-channel communication, effective feedback mechanisms, enhanced access to solutions and opportunities, and greater control of personal data	https://www.unhcr.org/digital-strategy/the-digital-gateway/
	Diia.pl - A digital identity document for Ukrainian refugees in Poland	Ukrainian refugees obtained an easy electronic tool for identity confirmation and certifying the legality of their stay in Poland. Used together with a valid travel document it also allows the movement within the Schengen area for 90 days in any 180-day period and crossing EU's external borders (included Polish-Ukrainian border). Ukrainian citizens can use the Diia.pl after receiving a PESEL number (National Identification Number) and activating a trusted profile, which allows identity verification online.	https://globalcompactrefugees.org/good-practices/diia-pl-digital-identity-document

		<p>Legislation changes were required to add Ukrainian citizens under the age of 13 to the parent's document/profile. In addition, new processes and solutions were required to be built for this service within the mObywatel app. As of June 2023, parents and legal guardians can add documents of children under the age of 13 to their document/profile.</p> <p>Results of the Good Practice</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> § Ukrainian refugees obtained an easy electronic tool for identity confirmation and certifying the legality of their stay in Poland § The process of issuing a digital document is faster than issuing paper documents. § Diia.pl users can travel within the Schengen area for 90 days within every 180-day period. 	
UNICEF	National Youth Engagement and Volunteering Movement - Nahno.org	<p>The National Youth Engagement and Volunteering Movement aims to develop institutionalized mechanisms for youth social and civic engagement. It increases platforms to connect youth to one another and to a diverse range of entities, thereby facilitating the creation of youth-led initiatives. The movement targets young people in Jordan, providing them with opportunities for engagement and volunteering</p>	https://www.unicef.org/jordan/reports/nahnoorg-national-youth-engagement-and-volunteering-movement#:~:text=The%20National%20Youth%20Engagement%20and%20Volunteering%20Movement%20Platform%2C,be%20matched%20to%20relevant%20engagement%20opportunities%20near%20them.
	Digital Learning-to-Earning (L2E)	<p>A holistic Digital Learning-to-Earning (L2E) pathway was launched in 2022 in the Eastern and Southern Africa region in a partnership between UNICEF, Umuzi, the Youth Agency Marketplace (Yoma), the African Coding Network, and private sector partners with a focus on reaching marginalised youth, particularly migrant and displaced youth, young women, and youth with disabilities. It offers an innovative and accessible framework designed to equip young people with digital skills, offering them a direct route to employment and economic empowerment. The programme consists of asynchronous, fully remote training in market relevant digital skills accompanied by personalized learner support to accelerate participants' transitions into work, preparing them for roles in data analytics, IT support, project management, marketing, web</p>	https://www.unicef.org/reports/digitally-powered-learning-earning

		development, and more. It includes internship placements at the end of training for on-the-job learning. In Uganda specifically, UNICEF and UNHCR teamed up to pilot the L2E pathway in refugee settlements.	
Business Advisory Group on Migration	Migrant recruitment advisor	"TripAdvisor for recruitment agencies" giving migrants workers the opportunity to share their experiences of recruitment agencies for the benefit of other migrants workers, to let them know which agencies are reliable and use fair recruitment procedures. It now also has an AI chatbot to help migrant Workers understand the data	https://www.recruitmentadvisor.org/
	Inclusivity Solutions	Embedded Insurance. Embedding insurance into existing migrant services apps like Remittance Apps.	https://inclusivitysolutions.com/
	Turing Space - Asia Pacific Digital Identity Consortium	Turing Space is a cybersecurity firm headquartered in the United States, with entities in Japan, Taiwan, and the Netherlands (expected in March 2025). The main objectives of the project are to empower authorities with digital identities and verifiable credentials. Turing Space serves prestigious clients, including WHO, UNESCO, APEC, and over 500 authorities, including 40 government agencies in Taiwan and Japan. The firm protects over 6 million e-credentials, including citizen IDs, digital product passports, renewable energy certificates, examination reports, traceability records, and professional certificates. We are issuing lots of important documents and credentials everyday by paper, which emits 18 grams to 49 grams of CO2 per piece of paper. All the paper-based documents are easily forgeable and can be tamper with. By digitizing all key documents with a e-signature and Blockchain storage can reduce emissions while upgrade the security and integrity of documents.	https://www.apdiconsortium.org/

	BAG platform	BAG is Africa’s premier platform for sourcing, assessing, hiring, and onboarding top talent. The main objectives of the project are to digitalize work experience for talents and migrants, helping them enter the job market. The platform provides a range of resources tailored to help job seekers build in-demand skills and connect with top employers. It offers immersive job simulations, career pathways, and assessments to ensure that talents are ready for specific roles across various industries	www.bag.work
	SkillLab’s	SkillLab’s AI-powered skills passport enhances labor migration by enabling skill-based mobility, bridging gaps between migrant workers and host labor markets. It provides a standardized, digital record of skills, helping migrants showcase competencies regardless of formal qualifications. By aligning skills with job market demands, it accelerates recognition, reduces employment mismatches, and supports upskilling pathways. Governments and organizations can leverage it for efficient skills validation, workforce planning, and targeted integration programs. This technology-driven approach fosters economic inclusion, empowers migrants, and ensures that talent is optimally utilized, contributing to both origin and destination economies.	https://skilllab.io/en-us
	Talent Beyond Boundaries	Talent Beyond Boundaries is a collaborative platform dedicated to refugee labor mobility which developed a talent catalog to map skills and education of displaced people and refugees to connect them to employers. The Talent Beyond Boundaries project aims to respond to skills gaps and to support regular migration pathways for durable solutions and economic development.	https://www.talentbeyondboundaries.org/

	Talentspace.ai	Talentspace.ai is an enterprise that developed innovative and efficient recruitment solutions to empower job seekers and organizations. Talentspace.ai is committed to leveraging cutting-edge technology to create impactful career opportunities.	https://talentspace.ai
	Digital Identity and Credential Verification	The Digital Identity and Credential Verification practices involves using digital wallets containing verified credentials issued directly by the issuer, such as government authorities, academic institutions, and banks. This system allows users to share verified credentials directly with employers or government agencies, eliminating intermediaries and reducing costs and time. The technology is underpinned by web 3 technologies like blockchain and distributed ledgers. The practice aims to provide more data ownership to individuals, ensuring secure and accountable data sharing. The presentation highlighted the importance of interoperability, legislative support, and collaboration between public and private sectors to achieve global standards for common identity services.	
IOE	Tech@work	The Tech@work project is a global initiative by IOE and Microsoft aimed at training 20,000 young people in digital and entrepreneurial skills. The project targets young people in four African countries: the Democratic Republic of Congo, Lesotho, Senegal, and Uganda. Local employers' federations manage the trainings on the ground	https://www.ioe-emp.org/events/event/join-ioe-microsoft-techwork-launch-event

Civil Society	Wo-Mi platform	Wo-Mi is a platform created by a group of Latin American women that seek to advance in the effective fulfillment of the rights of all women and girls, visualize the needs, positions, and conditions in migration, and enhance coherence and an enabling environment for non-discrimination. The Wo-Mi platform was initiated by the need to find, through coalitions, alliances, and projects, useful mechanisms and practical tools from, for, and with migrants in Denmark and in the world, which allow us practices participating politically as subjects of rights in equal conditions in democratic spaces.	https://wo-mi.com/
Civil Society Pacific Migration Platform	PICQ Digital Literacy & Financial Inclusion Initiative	The PICQ Digital Literacy & Financial Inclusion Initiative supports Pacific migrants in navigating online migration processes, accessing financial services, and using digital tools for remittances and employment. By providing culturally tailored digital education and advocating for accessible tech solutions, this initiative ensures Pacific workers can fully participate in migration pathways without digital exclusion	
Civil Society Migrant Help	The Just Good Work app	The Just Good Work app, created by Migrant Help UK in partnership with Just Good Work, is designed to inform migrants, immigrants, and people seeking asylum of their employment rights within the UK to reduce and prevent exploitation. The app provides critical information and advice for job-seekers and workers on their journey to work, from recruitment to employment and life in a new destination, to moving on or returning home. It is available in multiple languages and includes features such as AI translation, data analytics, and digital wallets	https://justgood.work/

Building and Wood Workers International	The Digital Platform	The Digital Platform Will Leave a Lasting Legacy for Migrant Worker Rights at Mega-Sporting Events is an initiative developed by global unions for construction and domestic workers. The platform is designed to advance migrant worker rights by facilitating access to information, training, and paralegal advice and support. The main objective is to leave a legacy of improved worker rights that outlasts the spectacle of mega-sporting events	https://ulula.com/blog/migrant-worker/digital-platform-migrant-worker-rights-sports-qatar-fifa/
MYCP	The Youth initiative	The Youth initiative includes two main components: Language App: This app leverages AI to help refugees integrate better into their host societies by providing language learning tools and resources and Digital Psychological/Psychosocial Services: This service connects refugees to specialists, offering free digital psychological and psychosocial support.	https://data.unicef.org/resources/international-data-alliance-for-children-on-the-move/
G. Hari Harindranath Royal Holloway, University of London	The safe, wise and secure use of digital tech by vulnerable groups – Nepal, South Africa and Brazil	Through the UK government funded Migration for Development and Equality (MIDEQ) Hub, we worked with migrant and tech organisations in Nepal to develop a migrant information portal that can be used by migrants and family members called <i>Pardesi.org.np</i> , and training resources in English and six Nepali languages that anyone can draw on to train migrants in the safe, wise and secure use of digital tech including within Nepal’s Migrant Resource Centres. We also worked with Nepal’s community radio association to develop public service messaging and related programming on safe migration and online safety that was broadcast across 300+ radio stations across the country. In South Africa, we trained groups of migrants on the safe, wise and secure use of digital tech alongside video production skills enabling them to tell their own stories via a migrant developed YouTube channel called <i>Fusion Avenue</i> . The migrants we trained are now training others in their own communities.	https://ict4d.org.uk/technology-inequality-and-migration/interventions/

		<p>Building on our work within the UK government funded Migration for Development and Equality (MIDEQ) Hub, we worked with a wide range of vulnerable groups in the Brazilian <i>periferias</i> including LBT women, informal traders, formerly gaoled women and activists from a favela in Rio de Janeiro to reversion our learning resources on the safe, wise and secure use of digital tech for use in Brazil.</p>	<p>https://ict4d.org.uk/migration-and-digital-tech/our-research-practice-in-brazil/</p>
<p>Open Discussions</p>	<p>Asia-Pacific Digital Identity (APDI)</p>	<p>The Asia-Pacific Digital Identity (APDI) consortium aims to foster Trust, Bridge, and Inclusion through robust digital solutions.</p> <p>Our mission is to lead the development and implementation of standardized digital identity solutions, boost regional cooperation, and build trust in digital interactions in diverse industries.</p> <p>The consortium will work towards creating a digital identity framework and infrastructure. In technical aspect, it is secure, portable, inclusive, and adaptable to the diverse needs of the region. In business aspect, it is easier to cooperate with different industry and activities under the framework.</p>	<p>https://www.apdiconsortium.org/</p>