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# Towards a European Migration Policy: strategies for a multilevel governance of integration

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*CNR - Via dei Marrucini, 52*

**P R O G R A M M E**



08.30 Registration

09.30 Introduction by the Authorities

**Luigi Nicolais**, *President of National Research Council*

**Mario Morcone**, *Head of Department for Civil Liberties and Integration, Ministry of Home Affairs*

*Chairman: Andrea Di Porto*

10.00 Integration: what makes it work?

**Friedrich Heckmann**, *Bamberg University*

10.30 Immigration, stabilization and integration of foreigners and their children: the Italian case

**Salvatore Strozza**, *Federico II University - Naples*

11.00 Coffee break

11.30 **SESSION I: Understanding the Context and Evaluating the Impacts**

**WORKSHOP 1**  
**Emerging integration challenges: beneficiaries of international protection and minors**

*Rapporteur: Beat Schuler*  
*Moderator: Nadan Petrovic*

Recent developments in the Mediterranean Area and instability along the EU border place European integration systems interested in particularly vulnerable categories of migrants under increasing stress.

The workshop aims to examine the theme of children and refugees in order to compare best practices to respond to their specific needs.

**WORKSHOP 2**  
**Integration under the new MFF: a new world of opportunities**

*Rapporteur: Martin Schieffer*  
*Moderator: M. Assunta Rosa*

The Asylum Migration and Integration Fund will offer new opportunities to foster migrants' integration in Europe.

The workshop aims to be an occasion for a first exchange of view on the approaches taken by MS when designing their national programmes and the innovative practices which are being proposed.

**WORKSHOP 3**  
**Differenciating integration paths: how can statistics help**

*Rapporteur: Linda Laura Sabbadini*  
*Moderator: Antonio Golini*

Statistical tools may help support MSs in identifying the most effective policies to be adopted for each category of migrants.

The workshop aims to capitalize on available data to support a more detailed analysis of the results in terms of integration for different categories of migrants.

13.00 Light Lunch

*Chairman: Rosetta Scotto Lavina*

14.30 Presentation of the outcomes of the workshops by the moderators

16.30 Closing

**Martin Shieffer**, *European Commission*

21.00 Palladium Theatre, *"The Magic Flute by the Orchestra di Piazza Vittorio"*

Chairman: **Daniela Parisi**

09.00 Linking the system: how could we better connect the different levels

**Angelo Malandrino**, *Vice Head of Department for Civil Liberties and Immigration, Ministry of Home Affairs*

**Natale Forlani**, *General Director of Immigration and Immigration Policies of the Ministry of Labour and Social Policy*

10.00 Coffee break

10.30 **SESSION II: A better approach for the mainstream of integration**

### **WORKSHOP 1 The Role of Regional Governments within the Integration Process**

*Rapporteurs:* **Teresa Marzocchi  
Walter Kinderman**  
*Moderator:*  
**Marzio Barbieri**

In several Member States regional players play a key role in the integration of migrants. The workshop aims to illustrate best practices for intervention and possible forms of cooperation between different levels of governance and also to determine how the proposed approach can be applied at the regional level.

### **WORKSHOP 2 Local Bodies as Actors for Integration Services**

*Rapporteurs:* **Giorgio Pighi**  
*(to be defined)*  
*Moderator:*  
**Luca Pacini**

Local authorities are often at the forefront of the integration of migrants and operate in an environment of limited resources. The workshop aims to illustrate best practices for intervention and possible forms of cooperation between different levels of governance and also to determine how the proposed approach can be applied at the local level.

### **WORKSHOP 3 The Participation of the Service Sector and Migrants' Associations**

*Rapporteurs:* **Oliviero Forti  
Thomas Huddleston**  
*Moderator:*  
**Elisabetta Melandri**

Migrants and civil society associations are privileged partners for the design and implementation of integration services. The workshop aims to illustrate best practices for the participation of migrants in public life and enhance their contribution in order to understand the context of integration, develop the *mainstreaming* and multi-level cooperation.

Chairman: **Corrado Bonifazi**

12.00 Presentation of the outcomes of the workshops by the moderators

12.30 The future of Migration and Asylum Policies in the EU  
**Laura Corrado**, *European Commission*

13.30 Closing  
**Mario Morcone**, *Head of Department for Civil Liberties and Integration, Ministry of Home Affairs*

## Ministry of Home Affairs

The Conference is organized and promoted by the Ministry of Home Affairs, Department for Civil Liberties and Immigration, under the Italian Presidency of the European Union.

The Department for Civil Liberties and Immigration performs functions and duties of the Ministry of Home Affairs in the protection of civil rights, including those relating to immigration, asylum, nationality, religious denominations.

On the subject of immigration and asylum, the Department contributes to the definition of policies by the Government, both in the reception and integration of immigrants legally residing in Italy and ensuring first aid to illegal immigrants who arrive in Italy. The skills in the field include procedures for regular admission of Third-Country citizens assigned to the one-stop-shops for Immigration, established in all prefectures, and those for the examination of applications for recognition of refugee status held by the Territorial Boards.

With this in mind, fits also the management of European funds intended to provide financial support to Member States in the policies and systems of asylum, return management, in the integration of Third-Country citizens, developing, implementing and evaluating all strategies for social inclusion of foreign citizens, including through the exchange of information and best practices, in order to support cooperation inside and outside the state.

The Department also ensures the participation of Italy to the European Migration Network and Network National Contact Points on Integration that works for the coordination of national and EU policies on integration established under the Directorate General of Immigration, Home Affairs and citizenship of the European Commission.

## Scientific Secretariat by the National Research Council

The "Department of Human and Social Science, Cultural Heritage" represents the area of human-social and cultural heritage activities research of the National Research Council.

In the context of *migration studies*, it developed specific skills promoting from 2008 an interdisciplinary project on migration, with studies on demography, law, economics, linguistics, history, philosophy and education. In 2014, it's been designated by the Ministry of Home Affairs as the Italian National Contact Point for the European Migration Network.

The Scientific Secretariat of the Conference is composed by personnel from the Department and from the following CNR structures:

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Institute for research on population and social policies;

Institute for the Study of Regionalism, Federalism and Self-Government "Massimo Severo Giannini";

Training Office;

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