



Conferencia Regional sobre Migración
Regional Conference on Migration



XXIV REGIONAL CONFERENCE ON MIGRATION

“Relaunch of the Regional Conference on Migration (RCM) as a consultative process to address the current migration dynamics”

Azaria Room, Ciudad Cayala, Guatemala

**Meeting of the Regional Consultation Group on Migration (RCGM)
November 12, 2019**

Monday, November 11

All day Arrival of technical delegations and transfer to the hotels

Tuesday, November 12

08:00 – 08:30 Registration and accreditation, Azaria Room

Meeting of the Regional Consultation Group on Migration (RCGM)

08:30 – 09:00 Welcome and opening remarks by the Presidency Pro-Témpore **[PPT]**

- Approval of agenda

09:00 – 10:00 Dialogue on the RCM Charter **[PPT and Technical Secretariat]**

- Overview of Conclusions and Recommendations of the RCGM Meeting in June 2019

10:00 – 10:15 Coffee break

10:15 – 12:00 Presentation on the compilation of observations regarding the Strategic Plan of the Regional Conference on Migration **[PPT]**

- Protection
- Irregular and mass migration
- Labor Migration
- Border management

12:00 – 12:30 Strategy definition for the functioning of the working groups
Proposal revision **[PPT]**

12:30 – 13:30 Lunch



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- 13:30 – 14:00 Short joint report on the state of migration flows in the region, following conclusion 9.a of the RCGM in June 2019
[Representative of observer organizations]
- 14:00 – 14:15 Report by the Coordinator of the Technical Secretariat **[TS]**
- TS Activity and Financial Report
Reference document: TS Activity and Financial Report
 - Report on participation in multilateral fora to address the RCM's experience as a consultative process
 - Report on the implementation of the *Reserve Fund for the Assistance of Intra-regional Migrants in Highly Vulnerable Situations* **[IOM]**
- 14:15 – 14:30 Follow-up and review of the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration within the Regional Consultative Processes (RCP)
[IOM]
- 14:30 – 14:45 Global Compact on Refugees and Comprehensive Regional Protection and Solutions Framework (MIRPS) **[Mexico]**
- 14:45 – 15:00 Dialogue on the proposal “Lines of Action for the Mainstreaming of Migration in the 2030 Agenda” **[PPT and Panama]**
- 15:00 – 15:30 Presentation and dialogue on the proposal “Regional Guidelines on Coordination and Information Exchange Mechanisms in the Search for Missing Persons in the Context of Migration” **[ICRC]**
- 15:30 – 15:45 Coffee Break
- 15:45 – 16:15 Proposal of new activities:
- II Regional Congress on Women in Migration Contexts “Women in Migration: Gender, Human Rights and Empowerment. Challenges and Perspectives” **[Costa Rica]**
- 16:15 – 17:00 Discussion and approval of the Conclusions and Recommendations of the RCGM **[PPT]**
- 17:00 – 17:30 Review of the draft Vice-Ministerial Declaration **[PPT]**
- Closure of the meeting so delegations can receive their Vice-Ministers
- All day Arrival of Vice-Ministers



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**Vice-Ministerial Meeting
November 13 and 14, 2019
Guatemala City, Guatemala**

Wednesday, November 13

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| 08:00 – 08:45 | Welcome breakfast for Vice-Ministers or Heads of Delegations
<i>Note: The private breakfast of Vice-Ministers is a space for them to get to know each other; it is not intended to address agenda topics on a closed-door meeting.</i>
Venue: Camino Real Hotel - Zone 10 |
| 09:00 – 09:30 | Transfer of Vice-Ministers or Heads of Delegations to Ciudad Cayala |
| 09:30 – 09:45 | Official photograph of Vice-Ministers or Heads of Delegations |
| 09:45 – 10:00 | Opening ceremony of the RCM's XXIV Vice-Ministerial Meeting
Remarks by Ambassador Pablo César García Sáenz, Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs of Guatemala and President Pro-Tempore of the RCM |
| 10:00 – 10:15 | Review and approval of the agenda |
| 10:15 – 10:45 | Participation of Guatemala on the central topic of its PPT: "Relaunch of the Regional Conference on Migration (RCM) as a consultative process to address the current migration dynamics" and report by the PPT Guatemala for the period 2018-2019 |
| 10:45 – 11:15 | Coffee break |
| 11:15 – 12:30 | Report on the negotiation process concerning the RCM Charter and Strategic Plan [PPT] |
| 12:30 – 14:00 | Lunch, Taboga Room |
| 14:00 – 18:00 | Closed-door Meeting of Vice-Ministers or Heads of Delegations
<i>Note: see separate agenda</i> |
| 18:00 – 19:00 | Cultural event |
| 19:00 – 21:00 | Cocktail |



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Jueves 14 de noviembre

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| 08:30 – 09:30 | Dialogue of Vice-Ministers with Observer Organizations |
| 09:30 – 10:00 | Dialogue of Vice-Ministers with RNCOM |
| 10:00 – 10:30 | Presentation ceremony of the Charter and the Strategic Plan of the Regional Conference on Migration |
| 10:30 – 10:45 | Coffee break |
| 10:45 – 11:00 | Transfer of the Presidency Pro-Témpore of Guatemala to Costa Rica |
| 11:00 – 11:30 | Presentation by Costa Rica on the PPT 2020 plan |
| 11:30 – 12:00 | Review and approval of the Vice-Ministerial Declaration of the XXIV RCM |
| | Closing of the XXIV RCM |
| | Lunch (free choice) |