

SIDE EVENT AT THE IMRF



SUSTAINABLE REINTEGRATION OF MIGRANT AND TRAFFICKED WOMEN IN ASIA, EUROPE, AND LATIN AMERICA



**MAY
17TH**



**8.30 AM –
9.30 AM ET**



Room 8

Although states committed to promoting re/integration and social and economic inclusion of migrants through a number of Objectives in the Global Compact for Migration, the reality has remained very challenging for returning migrant and trafficked women in particular. Many of them not only face significant challenges in accessing relevant services and enjoying the benefits of migration, but often find themselves in situations similar to or worse than those which led them to migrate in the first place.

This event will feature findings from recent GAATW research about women's perspectives and experiences on available state and non-state services to promote their re/integration. Do they think the measures are effective and accessible? What recommendations do they have for their improvement? In addition, OHCHR will address the importance of a human rights-based approach to reintegration, and a representative from the co-sponsoring government of Bangladesh will share details about its ongoing commitment to policy measures on return and reintegration.

The event will be in English and Spanish, with interpretation on Zoom.

Moderator: Carol Barton

Women in Migration Network

Speakers

- **Shakirul Islam**
OKUP, Bangladesh
- **Karin Burgerhout**
FairWork, Netherlands
- **Betty Pedraza-Lozano**
Corporación Espacios de Mujer, Colombia
- **Dr. Pia Oberoi**
Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights
- **Dr. Ahmed Munirus Saleheen**
Secretary, Ministry of Expatriates' Welfare and Overseas Employment, Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh.

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