

MIGRATION

<http://www.unhabitat.org/>

Mandated to “promote socially and environmentally sustainable towns and cities with the goal of providing adequate shelter for all,” the United Nations Human Settlements Programme website has an extensive list of publications, partners, and programming listed by country.

<http://www.unhcr.ch/>

The United Nations High Commission for Refugees is charged with protecting refugees, and solving refugee problems around the world. They focus on rights protection.

<http://www.migrationpolicy.org/>

The Migration Policy Institute is an independent organization which studies the movement of people worldwide. The site contains research on subject areas including the brain drain, immigrants and integration, refugees, internally displaced people, and international humanitarian response.

<http://www.internal-displacement.org/>

The Internal Displacement Monitoring Centre was established by the Norwegian Refugee Council, and considers itself “the leading international body monitoring conflict-induced internal displacement worldwide.” They aim to improve capacity for protection of internally displaced people.

<http://www.forcedmigration.org/>

Forced Migration Online provides comprehensive access to an interdisciplinary range of information sources on forced migration. The website has a wide range of resources and research guides, which pull together the key resources available on subjects such as human trafficking, gender and forced migration, Roma, and urban refugees.

<http://www.iom.int/jahia/page1.html>

The International Organization for Migration works in four broad areas of migration: migration and development, facilitating migration, regulating migration, and forced migration.

<http://www.gaatw.net/>

The Global Alliance Against Traffic in Women is an international network of organizations who are “committed to work for changes in the political, economic, social and legal systems and structures which contribute to the persistence of trafficking in persons.”

<http://www.cic.gc.ca/>

Citizenship and Immigration Canada is the government agency charged with linking immigration services with citizenship registration. The department admits immigrants, resettles refugees, and helps new Canadians integrate. The website contains information on policy and regulations, as well as research and statistics.

<http://www.hrw.org>

Human Rights Watch is an international watchdog organization which strives to prevent discrimination and investigate human rights abuses. The site’s campaign on refugees is augmented by a campaign against the trafficking of girls and women, and the website is frequently updated with news on humanitarian issues.

<http://www.migration.ucdavis.edu/>

Migration Dialogue “provides timely, factual and nonpartisan information and analysis of international migration issues.” The website has several major focuses, including rural migration.