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EMN

European Migration Network

EMN – Rough guide

- ✓ **Network under the Commission**
- ✓ **26 EU members plus Norway = NCPs**
 - Denmark observer status
- ✓ **Pilot Project from 2002**
- ✓ **Established May 2008**
 - Budget from 2008 onwards, €6-8M/year to EU members – not Norway
- ✓ **Knowledge for policy development**
 - Norway: “Harmonise”

Why EMN?

A common EU Asylum and Migration Policy

Knowledge gaps

- ✓ No single reference point to access knowledge
- ✓ Insufficient comparable knowledge
- ✓ Lack of knowledge of practice in other member states
 - Focus of EMN is on third-country nationals

Objective

Meet knowledge/information needs with a view to support policymaking in the EU and Norway

Products: National and Synthesis reports

Studies 2011

1. Visa policy as migration channel
2. Practical responses to irregular migration

Studies 2010

3. Satisfying labour demand through migration
4. Temporary and circular migration: empirical evidence, current policy practices and future options in EU member states

Many other useful studies from 2006 onwards

Where

- www.emn.europa.eu
- **Booklets with cd-rom**

Other products

- ❖ **Ad hoc Queries:**
 - Commission and NCPs to request and compile
 - 2010=100. 300 on Website. 18+ responses.

- ❖ **Annual Policy and Statistical reports**
 - NCPs reporting to Commission

- ❖ **Glossary and Thesaurus**
 - Reference tool: Better comparability.
 - Search tool: Information Exchange System.

- ❖ **Information Exchange System/EMN website**
 - All EMN Outputs
 - Other: Research, Statistics, Implementation of EU legislation, EMN NCPs, media reports etc.

Organizational set up

1. **Steering Board:** One from each member state plus Norway and representatives from the European Parliament and the Commission.

2. **Commission**
 - ☞ *co-ordinates* work of network;
 - ☞ *adopts* annual work programme;
 - ☞ *Awards* grants to EU NCPs (not Norway).
 - assisted by **Service Providers: GHK-COWI** (overall support) and **iLiCONN** (Website and Information Exchange system).

3. **National Contact Points (NCP)** of 3 experts/-institutions designated by member states
 - 26 from EU plus Norway

NCP - tasks

1. **Attend** EMN meetings in Brussels (6/year);
1. **Contribute** national information to Information Exchange System;
2. **Issue and respond** to Ad-Hoc Queries;
3. **Prepare annual National Reports:**
 - ✓ Policy Report: Political & legislative developments, plus public debates.
 - ✓ Migration Statistics: Analysis of statistics provided by Eurostat/SSB etc.
 - according to common specifications.

NCP-Norway – other ambitions 2011

- 1. Participate in the two EMN-studies 2011**
- 2. Establish EMN National Migration Network**
 - Research and Policy
 - In a European perspective
- 3. 2nd EMN-Norway seminar about irregular migration October 2011**
- 4. Newsletter**
- 5. EMN-Norway website**

www.emnnorway.no



Links

- ◉ [EMN Europe](#)
- ◉ [NMR](#)
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What is EMN?

The European Migration Network (EMN) is a network coordinated by the European Commission, consisting of national focal points and national networks in all EU countries, plus Norway. Its purpose is to provide up-to-date, objective, reliable and comparable information on migration and asylum with a view to supporting policymaking in the European Union in these areas, as well as to the wider public.

EMN Norway

The Norwegian EMN contact point is a collaboration between the Immigration Department (INN) of the Norwegian Ministry of Justice and the Police, the Norwegian Directorate of Immigration (UDI) and the Institute for Social Research. Its official coordinator is the Norwegian Ministry of Justice and the Police (JD). The Norwegian participation in the work of EMN is financed by the Norwegian Government, with no contribution from the EU.

On this website you will find studies on immigration issues prepared by Norwegian institutions (mostly in English), as well as links to relevant websites.

Activities

The network's research and analysis activities include:

- Annual reports on migration policy
- Annual reports on migration statistics
- Thematic studies
- Ad hoc queries

NEWS

07. februar 2011 [EMN Study on "Programmes and strategies fostering Assisted Voluntary Return \(AVR\) and Reintegration from EU Member States"](#)

The aim of this recent EMN study was to share current knowledge across the Member States and thus assist with the development of policy and programmes to facilitate the assisted return of inter alia asylum applicants whose claims have failed or migrants with other status who have decided to return home.

07. februar 2011 [EMN Study on "The different national practices concerning granting of non-EU harmonised protection statuses"](#)

The EMN has recently completed a study which analysed the different national practices concerning the granting of non-EU harmonised protection statuses, i.e. all

Agenda

[Seminar: Migration in Europe - Control versus Rights](#)

11 feb 10:00 - 11 feb 15:30

Reports

- ◉ [EMN Reports](#)
- ◉ [Other Publications](#)

NCP - Norway

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Impressions since June 2010

- ✓ Administered well and running well under the European Commission and NCPs of 26 member states (plus Norway)
- ✓ A meeting place between researchers, international organisations and bureaucrats
- ✓ An interesting experiment in close cooperation between research and policy development
- ✓ A lot of valuable information for those working with migration and asylum
- ✓ EMN has a proven role in the provision of information to support policymakers

➤ **Harmonise**

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