





Draft agenda

EMN-OECD WEBINAR

Launch event for the Inform on 'Labour market integration of beneficiaries of temporary protection from Ukraine'

21 May 2024, 14.00-16.00 (CEST)

Online - Registration link here

1. RATIONALE AND AIMS

Russia's full-scale invasion of Ukraine as of 24 February 2022 led to the largest and fastest displacement crisis in Europe since the Second World War. The Temporary Protection Directive (2001/55/EC; TPD), activated by the Council Implementing Decision (EU) 2022/382 on 4 March 2022, in response to the massive inflow of people fleeing Russia's invasion of Ukraine, grants beneficiaries of temporary protection (BoTP) standardised rights, including an access to both employed and self-employed activities.

As the Ukrainian displacement crisis enters its third year, the new joint EMN-OECD inform delves into the extent of labour market integration for BoTP in host countries and examines the policies, structures, and support measures aimed at fostering the socio-economic inclusion of displaced persons from Ukraine.

The two-hour online launch event will showcase key findings from the inform, providing an overview of labour market outcomes across host countries and the most common approaches to integrating displaced persons from Ukraine into labour markets. Additionally, the event will contextualise these findings by drawing insights from other international organisations and highlighting specific approaches and measures adopted by different host countries.

2. TARGET AUDIENCE

The main target audiences of this inform are policy makers in OECD countries as well as EMN Member and Observer Countries and the European Commission. Other audiences on EU and national level include international organisations, researchers, and civil society organisations (CSOs) working on labour market integration policies as well as the private sector, and employers' and industry organisations as well as trade unions.

3. PRACTICAL INFORMATION

This is an online event and requires prior registration for participation. The deadline for registration is **Thursday 16 May**. To register please <u>click on this link.</u>

4. AGENDA

21 May 2024	
14.00 – 14.15	Welcoming remarks
	 Jean-Christophe Dumont, Head, International Migration Division, OECD Anita Vella, Head of Unit, Legal Pathways and Integration, Directorate-General for Migration and Home Affairs, European Commission
	Event moderator: <i>Tamara Buschek</i> , Senior Policy Officer, EMN France and Co-Chair, EMN CDWG
14.15 - 14.40	Key findings of the inform – This presentation outlines the key findings of the inform on 'Labour market integration of beneficiaries of temporary protection from Ukraine', including employment rates and their progress, main sectors of employment, and most common policies and measures for facilitating labour market integration.
	 Anna Ammann, Research Associate, EMN Austria Ave Lauren, Migration Policy Analyst, OECD
14.40 - 14.55	Comment by the EUAA – Intervention by the EUAA contextualises the findings of the inform on labour market outcomes with qualitative and quantitative information collected directly from displaced persons from Ukraine through the <u>SAM Ukraine survey</u> and the latest report (<u>here</u>). • Lucian Scrob, Data Analysis Officer, EUAA
14.55 - 15.05	The European Commission's guidance for access to the labour market- two years on
	• Raymond Maes, Adviser to the Director for Labour Mobility and International Affairs, Directorate-General for Employment, Social Affairs & Inclusion, European Commission
15.05 - 15.50	Labour market integration of displaced persons from Ukraine in host countries – Speakers in this session will discuss the labour market situation of displaced persons in Ukraine in respective host countries, outline the policies and measures implemented to enhance socio-economic outcomes, and discuss the outlook.
	 Veronica Coulter, Minister-Counsellor (Migration), Mission of Canada to the European Union Amy Stapleton, Policy Officer, EMN Ireland Yasemin Haack, Policy Officer, German Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs (BMAS) Magdalena Jhumun, Migration Analyst, Department for Asylum and Migration Policy, Ministry of Interior, EMN Czech Republic

15.50 - 16.00	Concluding remarks
	Magnus Ovilius, Head of Sector Forecasting, Preparedness and Policy Monitoring, Chair of the EMN, DG HOME, European Commission