



YOUTH FOR POLICY (Y4P)

Migration Fellowship



PROGRAMME (FIRST SEMINAR SESSION)

THEME: INTRODUCTION TO MIGRATION AND FORCED-DISPLACEMENT

VENUE: NYANGE RESORT AND MARINA

DATES: 08, 09, 10 JULY 2022

FRIDAY, DAY ONE

17:00 Arrival of the Fellows at the hotel

20:00 Dinner

SATURDAY, DAY TWO

07:00 Breakfast

08:30 Introduction and welcome remarks | Ojok Okello

09:30 Presentation of research ideas | All fellows

11:00 An overview of global migration and forced displacement: Key concepts, insights, and trends | Michael Mutyaba¹

Key questions to be addressed include, but are not limited to;

1. *What are the key concepts in international migration and forced displacement studies?*
2. *Why do people decide/are forced to migrate? The demographics, economics, and culture of migration.*
3. *Who makes the migration decision? Why are so many women and children migrating / forcefully displaced today?*
4. *What role do migrant/refugee networks play in the migration decision?*

13:00 Lunch Break

14:00 Uganda Refugee Act 2006 and Regulations 2010: Favorable or Not? | Michael Mutyaba

16:30 Refreshments

17:00 Sporting and leisure activities

¹ Michael researches on popular struggles for political reform; public attitudes to forcefully displaced persons; and elections, protest, opposition and party politics in Uganda. He did an Mphil in Social Studies from MISR, an Msc. in African Studies at Oxford and now pursuing a PhD in International Development from SOAS.



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19:00 Dinner

SUNDAY, DAY THREE

07:00 Breakfast

08:00 An Assessment of the Migration Governance Frameworks for the Regulation of Asylum-Seekers, Refugees, and Migrants in Uganda² | Patricia Namakula³

09:30 Labor Export in Uganda: Some philosophical Musings | Dr. Jimmy Spire Ssentengo⁴

Key questions to be addressed include, but are not limited to;

1. *Who is migrating out of Uganda? Why and where are they going to?*
2. *How is labor export regulated? Who are key players in the labor export business?*
3. *Should labor exportation be tamed? Why? Or not?*
4. *Who gains and who losses when young people emigrate?*
5. *Is the “grass truly greener” on the side?*

13:00 Lunch Break

14:00 Human Trafficking and how to counter it | Agnes Igoye⁵

Session to highlight;

1. *what is human trafficking and how big a problem is it in Uganda?*
2. *Who is being trafficked and by whom?*
3. *Where are they being trafficked to and why?*
4. *What policy frameworks are in place to counter it?*
5. *Are there any measurable successes of counter-human trafficking efforts?*
6. *How can these efforts be expanded and supported?*

16:30 Refreshments

17:00 Departure

² This presentation is part of the research report commissioned by KAS and conducted by the Centre for Multilateral Affairs (CfMA).

³ Patricia Namakula is a research analyst at the CfMA. She is also a Y4P Migration Fellow.

⁴ Dr. Spire Jimmy Ssentengo is a lecture of philosophy at Uganda Martyrs and Makerere Universities.

⁵ Agnes Igoye is the Deputy Chair of the National Prevention of Trafficking in Persons.