

**ATCR 2021 DAY 1**  
**Tuesday, 22 June 2021**

Time (CET)	Agenda Items
13:00-13:05	<b>Welcome and Facilitation</b> <i>Joseph Youhana, Refugee Steering Group</i>
13:05-13:30	<b>Opening Remarks</b> <i>For UNHCR: Gillian Triggs, Assistant High Commissioner for Protection</i> <i>For Swiss State Secretariat for Migration: Ambassador Vincenzo Mascioli</i> <i>For Swiss Refugee Council: Ozan Turhan, ATCR Program Officer</i> <i>For Refugee Steering Group: Joseph Youhana, Refugee Steering Group</i>
13:30-14:00	<b>Refugee Steering Group Update on 1<sup>st</sup> Year of Activity and Refugee Statement</b> <i>Rez Gardi, Refugee Steering Group</i>
14:00-14:15	<b>NGO Statement</b> <i>Sylvia Braun, ATCR Program Manager, Swiss Refugee Council</i>
14:15-14:30	<b>Break</b>
14:30-14:40	<b>ATCR Reform Update</b> <i>Karl Lorenz, Head of International Cooperation Division, Swiss State Secretariat for Migration</i>
14:40-15:00	<b>Priority Situations Core Group (PSCG) Update</b> <i>Larry Bartlett, Director of the Office of Admissions, U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Population, Refugees, and Migration (PRM)</i>  <i>Julie Clark, Director of Resettlement Operations, International Network; Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada</i>  The PSCG is made of up States, UNHCR, IOM and other actors who work together on the operational coordination of resettlement programs, advocacy and strategic direction.
15:00-15:30	<b>Refugee Resettlement and Complementary Pathways: Opportunities for Growth</b> <i>Susan Fratzke, Senior Policy Analyst, Migration Policy Institute (MPI) Europe</i>  This presentation will outline the global mapping outcomes and recommendations of the research led by MPI Europe.
15:30-16:00	<b>Update on the Three-Year Strategy on Resettlement and Complementary Pathways</b> <i>David Manicom, Special Advisor on Resettlement and Complementary Pathways, UNHCR Geneva</i>  An overview of accomplishments and challenges under the Three-Year Strategy on Resettlement and Complementary Pathways will be provided.
16:00-16:15	<b>Break</b>

16:15-17:00	<p><b>Breakout Rooms</b></p> <p><b>1) Refugee Resettlement and Complementary Pathways: Opportunities for Growth</b></p> <p><i>Moderator: Hanne Beirens Director, Migration Policy Institute (MPI) Europe Michelle Alfaro Senior Resettlement Coordinator, UNHCR Geneva Susan Fratzke Senior Policy Analyst, Migration Policy Institute (MPI) Kate Hooper Policy Analyst, Migration Policy Institute (MPI) University of Ottawa, Refugee Hub</i></p> <p>The research to map global opportunities to grow resettlement and advance complementary pathways has led to a set of recommendations for UNHCR and relevant stakeholder.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• With Q+A</li> </ul> <p><b>2) Three-Year Strategy on Resettlement and Complementary Pathways: Where do we go from here?</b></p> <p><i>Moderator: Gideon Winward, Head of Refugee Resettlement Policy, Home Office, UK David Manicom, Special Advisor on Resettlement and Complementary Pathways, UNHCR Geneva</i></p> <p>The Three-Year Strategy on Resettlement and Complementary Pathways will end in December 2021. The Strategy both laid out objectives for three years, and numerical goals to over ten years, to 2028. A discussion paper will be provided to brainstorm options as to what processes, goals, and structures should follow the end of the Strategy.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• With Q+A</li> </ul> <p><b>3) Panel Discussion on Scaling up Resettlement Programs</b></p> <p><i>Moderator: Erol Kekic, Senior Vice President, IRP, Church World Service Dawn Edlund, Associate Assistant Deputy Minister, Office of the Deputy Minister, Immigration Refugee and Citizenship Canada Carl Nicholson, Executive Director of Catholic Centre for Immigrants, Ottawa</i></p> <p>This session on reforming resettlement programs will bring together experts from government and NGO communities in Europe, Canada, and the US to share experiences, best practices, and ideas for the future. Among its objectives is to reach a better common understanding of best practices in scaling up resettlement programs, to identify means to build resilience into resettlement programs and to identify pros and cons of working on complementary pathways separate from resettlement.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• With Q+A</li> </ul>
17:00-17:20	<b>Report Back to Plenary</b>
17:20	<p><b>Closing Remarks</b></p> <p><i>Joseph Youhana, Refugee Steering Group</i></p>

**ATCR 2021 DAY 2 (morning session)**  
**Wednesday, 23 June 2021**

Time (CET)	Agenda Items
9:00-9:05	<b>Welcome and Facilitation</b> <i>Cristina Probst-Lopez, Head of Multilateral Affairs, Swiss State Secretariat for Migration</i>
9:05-9:20	<b>Global Protection Update</b> <i>Grainne Ohara, Director of the Division of International Protection, UNHCR Geneva</i>
9:20-9:30	<b>UNHCR's Projected Global Resettlement Needs for 2022</b> <i>Inge De Langhe Senior Resettlement Officer and Johanna Babb, Resettlement Officer UNHCR Geneva</i>
9:30-10:30	<b>Presentations by UNHCR Operations and Refugees facilitated by Inge De Langhe and Johanna Babb</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) UNHCR Ethiopia, <i>Elizabeth Downing, Resettlement Officer</i></li> <li>2) Refugee Voice – Syrian refugee in Jordan</li> <li>3) UNHCR Iran, <i>Ruben Barbado, Senior Protection Officer</i></li> <li>4) UNHCR Zambia, <i>Patrick Kawuma, Deputy Representative</i></li> <li>5) UNHCR Tunisia, <i>Nadjia Hafsa, Senior Protection Officer</i></li> <li>6) UNHCR Cameroon, <i>Anna Turus, Resettlement Officer</i></li> </ol>
10:30-10:45	<b>Break</b>
10:45-11:15	<b>Breakout Rooms for Regional Resettlement Overviews, UNHCR Regional Bureaux colleagues</b> Regional Bureau colleagues to present the 2022 regional resettlement needs and facilitate discussion around these resettlement needs and processing. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Asia and the Pacific, <i>Emily Bojovic, Senior Protection Officer</i></li> <li>2) Middle East and North Africa + Turkey, <i>Michael Wells, Senior Resettlement and Complementary Pathways Officer</i></li> <li>3) East and Horn of Africa + the Great Lakes, <i>Anne Laakko, Resettlement and Complementary Pathways Officer</i></li> <li>4) West and Central Africa, <i>Ben Harvey, Senior Resettlement and Complementary Pathways Officer</i></li> <li>5) Southern Africa, <i>Helen Morris, Senior Resettlement and Complementary Pathways Officer</i></li> </ol>
11:15-12:15	<b>Presentation on the Revisions to the UNHCR Resettlement Handbook</b> <i>Anne Evans Barnes, Resettlement &amp; Complementary Pathways Officer UNHCR Geneva</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• With Q+A</li> </ul>
12:15-12:35	<b>COVID-19 Vaccinations for Refugees</b> <i>Dr. Olga Gorbacheva, Senior Programme Coordinator, Health Assessment Programmes, IOM Geneva</i>

	The session will focus on the refugee vaccination programmes in the context of the COVID-19 pandemic. IOM will share information about inclusion of refugees to COVID-19 national deployment and vaccination plans, humanitarian buffer, actual access to COVID-19 vaccinations as well as ways of strengthening of current vaccination programmes for refugees.
12:35-12:45	<b>Closing Remarks</b> <i>Michelle Alfaro, Senior Resettlement Coordinator, UNHCR Geneva</i>

ATCR DAY 2 (afternoon session) Wednesday, 23 June 2021	
Time (CET)	Agenda Items
15:00-15:05	<b>Welcome and Facilitation</b> <i>Myriam Suard, Policy Advisor, Swiss State Secretariat for Migration</i>
15:05-15:20	<b>Global Protection Update</b> <i>Grainne Ohara, Director of the Division of International Protection, UNHCR Geneva</i>
15:20-15:30	<b>UNHCR's Projected Global Resettlement Needs for 2022</b> <i>Inge De Langhe Senior Resettlement Officer and Johanna Babb, Resettlement Officer UNHCR Geneva</i>
15:30-16:30	<b>Presentations by UNHCR operations and refugees, facilitated by Inge De Langhe and Johanna Babb</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) UNHCR Ethiopia, <i>Elizabeth Downing, Resettlement Officer</i></li> <li>2) Refugee Voice – Syrian refugee in Jordan</li> <li>3) The Caribbean, presented by the UNHCR Multi-Country Office in Panama, <i>Daniel Macguire, Senior Protection Officer</i></li> <li>4) UNHCR Zambia, <i>Patrick Kawuma, Deputy Representative</i></li> <li>5) UNHCR Tunisia, <i>Nadjia Hafsa, Senior Protection Officer</i></li> <li>6) UNHCR Cameroon, <i>Anna Turus, Resettlement Officer</i></li> </ol>
16:30-16:45	<b>Break</b>
16:45-17:15	<b>Breakout Rooms for Regional Resettlement Overviews, UNHCR Regional Bureau colleagues</b> Regional Bureau colleagues to present the 2022 regional resettlement needs and facilitate discussion around these resettlement needs and processing. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) The Americas, TBD</li> <li>2) Middle East and North Africa + Turkey, <i>Michael Wells, Senior Resettlement and Complementary Pathways Officer</i></li> <li>3) East and Horn of Africa + the Great Lakes, <i>Anne Laakko, Resettlement and Complementary Pathways Officer</i></li> <li>4) West and Central Africa, <i>Ben Harvey, Senior Resettlement and Complementary Pathways Officer</i></li> <li>5) Southern Africa, <i>Helen Morris, Senior Resettlement and Complementary Pathways Officer</i></li> </ol>

17:15-18:15	<b>Presentation on the Revisions to the UNHCR Resettlement Handbook</b> <i>Anne Evans Barnes, Resettlement &amp; Complementary Pathways Officer UNHCR Geneva</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• With Q+A</li> </ul>
18:15-18:35	<b>COVID-19 Vaccinations for Refugees</b> <i>Dr. Olga Gorbacheva, Senior Programme Coordinator, Health Assessment Programmes, IOM Geneva</i> <p>The session will focus on the refugee vaccination programmes in the context of COVID-19 pandemic. IOM will share information about inclusion of refugees to COVID-19 national deployment and vaccination plans, humanitarian buffer, actual access to COVID-19 vaccinations as well as ways of strengthening of current vaccination programmes for refugees.</p>
18:35-18:45	<b>Closing Remarks</b> <i>Michelle Alfaro, Senior Resettlement Coordinator, UNHCR Geneva</i>

**ATCR 2021 DAY 3**  
**Thursday 24 June 2021**

Time (CET)	Agenda Items
16:00-16:05	<b>Welcome and Facilitation</b> <i>Seconde Nyanzobe, Refugee Steering Group</i>
16:05-16:40	<b>Typology and Definitions in the Space of Third Country Solutions:</b> <i>Anna Gekht Davis, Senior Resettlement and Complementary Pathways Officer, UNHCR Geneva,</i> <i>Martin Anderson, Director of International Programs, RefugePoint</i> <p>This session will provide an overview of the definitions and interrelations between various types of complementary pathways, resettlement and community sponsorship. It will serve as the background session to set the definitions for subsequent discussions during the day.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• With Q+A</li> </ul>
16:40-17:00	<b>OECD-UNHCR “Safe Pathways for Refugees II”</b> <i>Jean-Christophe Dumont, Head of International Migration Division, Directorate for Employment, Labour and Social Affairs</i> <p>This session will officially launch the publication and provide an overview of the changes to the methodology and key findings of 2021 version of the study.</p>
17:00-17:15	<b>Global Compact on Refugees (GCR) Indicators Framework</b> <i>Mariana Meyer, Policy Officer, UNHCR Geneva,</i> <i>Nicolas Fasel, Senior Statistician, GCR Coordination Team, UNHCR Geneva</i> <p>This session will provide an overview and introduce the resettlement and</p>

	complementary pathways indicators, endorsed within the framework of the GCR Indicator Framework for the purpose of ensuring more systematic and reliable data in the area of third country solutions.
17:15-17:30	<b>Break</b>
17:30-19:00	<p><b>Updates on the Work on Expanding Education, Labour and Family Reunification Pathways Programmes</b></p> <p><b>35min</b></p> <p><b>Education Complementary Pathways in Action on/from Task Forces</b>  <i>Rebecca Granato, Co-Chair of Education Task Force and Nele Feldman, Executive Coordinator of the Task Force,</i>  <i>Miriam Feldblum, Co-founder and Executive Director, Presidents Alliance Initiative, plus two refugees in Kenya, Taif Jany and Athiel Mading,</i>  <i>Jennifer Dewar, Head of Strategic Engagement for the Duolingo English Test, and Nhial Deng, refugee candidate for education scholarship based in Kakuma camp, Kenya</i></p> <p>The session will feature the most recent updates on the work on the Global Task Force on Education as a Complementary Pathway. It will focus on the achievements and plans as well as feature an initiative in the USA on opening up education pathways for refugees, led by the Presidents Alliance, and introduce an innovative project initiated by Duolingo on college counselling.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• With Q+A</li> </ul> <p><b>35min</b></p> <p><b>Family Reunification Network (FRUN)</b>  <i>Hannah Grace Elford, Coordinator of the FRUN, UNHCR</i>  <i>Yodit, Eritrean refugee, beneficiary of family reunification Miles4Migrants programme</i>  <i>Daniela Di Rado, Head of Legal Unit and Claudia Sforza, Legal Officer, Italian Council for Refugees</i>  <i>Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Italy</i>  <i>Andy Freedman, President and Co-Founder, Miles4Migrants</i></p> <p>This session will reflect upon the work of the FRUN and feature some of the most promising approaches for wider access to family reunification for refugees through collaboration of various entities on the example of Italy and through an overview of an innovative airmiles sharing platform offered by Miles4Migrants.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• With Q+A</li> </ul> <p><b>20min</b></p> <p><b>Labour Mobility Task Force</b>  <i>David Manicom, Special Advisor, UNHCR Geneva &amp; Melissa Fama, Assistant Director, Refugee Resettlement Policy and Program, Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada (IRCC)</i>  <i>Janet Ouma, Programme Coordinator, RefugePoint-Kenya</i></p>

	<p>This session will reflect on the building process of the Labour Mobility Global Task Force, presented by IRCC Canada. Most recent innovative projects in allowing for labour mobility of refugees to become a reality will be presented by RefugePoint.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• With Q+A</li> </ul>
<p>19:00-19:45</p>	<p><b>Breakout Rooms</b></p> <p><b>1) Complementary Pathways Through Sports Scholarships</b>  <i>Moderator: Stephen Pattison, External Relations Officer, UNHCR</i>  <i>Christine Mylks, World University Service of Canada (WUSC)</i>  <i>James Chiengjiek Nyang, Members of Refugee Olympic Team, Kakuma, Kenya</i></p> <p>Elite sportsmanship creates a unique niche in the world of pathways, whereby exceptionally talented sportsman amongst the refugees are being offered opportunities to rebuild their lives in a third country through sports scholarships and athletic careers. Developments in this area and considerations for its expansion will be featured in this breakout discussion.</p> <p><b>2) Finding Workable Administrative Alternatives and Flexibilities to Facilitate Refugees' access to the Right of Family Unity through Collaboration and Partnership</b>  <i>Moderator: Kristine Rembach, Director, Complementary Pathways, IRAP</i></p> <p>Lack of identity and relationship confirming documentations amongst the refugees seeking family reunification with their loved ones in the countries of the global north remains one of the main challenges in ensuring meaningful access to the right of family unity to refugees separated by conflict, war and persecution. The session will look at some of the most recent innovative ways of ensuring that refugees seeking reunification are provided with viable alternatives to ascertain their identity and family relationship. The session will feature such approaches as demonstrated by the recent IND (Netherlands) initiative with UNHCR and practices in some of the states, such as Canada.</p> <p><b>3) Multi stakeholder Engagement: Fostering Cooperation to Improve Access to Legal Admission Pathways</b>  <i>Moderator: Cécile Queval, Head of European Advocacy, Forum réfugiés-Cosi (France)</i>  <i>Daniele Albanese, International Protection and Migration Policies Officer, Caritas (Italy)</i>  <i>Isabelle Mestre, Head of Project Resettlement, Entraide Pierre Valdo (France)</i>  <i>Guilhem Mante, Program Coordinator, Fédération Entraide Protestante (France)</i>  <i>Fiona Kendall, European &amp; Legal Affairs Advisor, Federazione delle Chiese Evangeliche (Italy)</i>  <i>Refugee beneficiary of humanitarian corridor</i></p>



	<p>Legal and safe pathways to third countries for persons in need of international protection must be developed and strengthened through both resettlement and complementary pathways. While resettlement is a durable and protective solution for vulnerable refugees which need to be expanded and sustained, the involvement of local communities has proven to be beneficial by fostering the integration of refugees in host societies and creating more inclusive host communities. Crossed experiences from French and Italian NGOs involved in resettlement and sponsorship programs as well as refugee perspectives will be presented and discussed in this panel to better understand how to develop complementary pathways in coordination with resettlement programs to ensure improved access to international protection.</p>
19:45-20:15	<b>Report Back to Plenary</b>
20:15	<b>Closing Remarks</b> <i>Seconde Nyanzobe, Refugee Steering Group</i>

ATCR 2021 DAY 4 Monday 28 June 2021	
Time (CET)	Agenda Items
13:30-13:35	<b>Welcome and Facilitation</b> <i>Brian Dyck, National Migration &amp; Resettlement Program Coordinator, MCC Canada</i>
13:35-14:00	<b>Resettlement through Innovative Partnership and Financing</b> <i>Francesca Friz-Prguda, Special Advisor, UNHCR Geneva</i> <i>Gerardo J. Gonzalez S, Venezuelan refugee</i> <i>Alfredo Botti, Director Ejecutivo Fundacion ACNUR Argentina</i> <p>This session aims to brief participants on an exciting example of working with the private sector and a pilot process focused on creating synergies to support the integration of resettled refugees. Through short key notes and inter-active group discussions, the session aims to brief, inspire, and engage participants to explore opportunities in their own countries.</p>
14:00-14:45	<b>Breakout Rooms</b> <p><b>1) Protection Centered Community Sponsorship</b>  <i>Angela Murru, Senior Protection Officer UNHCR Geneva</i>  <i>Eibhlin Byrne, Director, Irish Refugee Protection Programme (IRPP)</i>  <i>Gerardo J. Gonzalez S, Venezuelan refugee</i>  <i>Christine Baer, East Coast Faith Community Organizer Church World Service</i></p> <p>How can we maintain a strong protection focus throughout community sponsorship programmes? Lessons learned from a refugee, NGO and resettlement country perspective.</p>



	<p><b>2) Private Sector Engagement</b> <i>Tapio Vahtola, Senior Corporation and Shared Value Partnership Coordinator, UNHCR</i> <i>Alfredo Botti, Director Ejecutivo Fundacion ACNUR Argentina</i> <i>Daniel Endres, Chair of Board Switzerland for UNHCR</i> This session will focus on opportunities in working with the private sector and on examples of new partnership and concepts supporting resettlement.</p> <p><b>3) Innovative Concepts on the Pilot Process and alike Initiatives</b> <i>Ambassador Federico Villegas; Permanent Representative of Argentina to the United Nations Office at Geneva</i> <i>Francesca Friz-Prguda, UNHCR Special Advisor</i> In this session the group will learn more about the pilot process and discuss tailor made local concepts, non-traditional alliances and innovative and sustainable resourcing through a collective brainstorming.</p>
14:45-15:00	<b>Report Back to Plenary</b>
15:00-15:15	<b>Break</b>
15:15-16:00	<p><b>Refugee Integration in Switzerland</b> <i>Dr Dominik Hangartner, Professor of Public Policy, ETH Zurich</i></p> <p>ETH Zurich will provide an overview of recently completed as well as ongoing research that explores the role of the resettlement process and of co-ethnic networks in shaping the economic and social integration of refugees.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• With Q+A</li> </ul>
16:00-16:30	<p><b>Closing Remarks</b></p> <p><b>For UNHCR</b> <i>Filippo Grandi, UNHCR High Commissioner for Refugees</i></p> <p><b>For Switzerland</b> <i>Karin Keller-Sutter, Swiss Federal Councillor, Department of Justice and Police</i> <i>Miriam Behrens, Director Swiss Refugee Council</i></p>
16:30	<p><b>Incoming Chair</b></p> <p><b>For USA</b> <i>Larry Bartlett, Director of the Office of Admissions, U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Population, Refugees, and Migration (PRM)</i> <i>John Slocum, Interim Executive Director, Refugee Council USA (RCUSA)</i></p>