

# 2020 Calendar

May it be a year of diversity  
and progress



Integration of Third Country Nationals through Urban Partnerships - *INTEGRA*  
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# JANUARY

“The more your network includes individuals from different cultural backgrounds, the more you will be creatively stimulated by different ideas and perspectives.”

Professor Roy Y.J. Chua, Harvard Business School

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# F E B R U A R Y

In the OECD countries, 37% of immigrants are highly educated, 5 percentage points more than among the native-born. The highly educated proportion of immigrants has grown in all EU countries, rising by 7% over the past decade.

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# MARCH

One in five start-ups in the UK is founded by immigrants. 44% of new businesses in 2015 are started by foreign-passport owners. Immigrants engage in 29% more entrepreneurial activity than native-born workers.

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A P R I L

Increasing migration equal to 3% of the workforce in developed countries between 2005 and 2025 would generate global gains of approximately EUR 342 billion according to the World Bank.

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# MAY

Migrants enhance the innovation capacity of host societies. Patent applications in Europe are higher in countries attracting highly skilled migrants. In the US, immigrants take out patents at a two to three times the rate of native-born citizens. (MarketWatch, 2018)

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World Day for Cultural  
Diversity for Dialogue  
and Development





# J U N E

World Refugee Day annually on 20th of June was declared by the UN General Assembly in the Resolution 55/76 on 4th of December in 2000, and has been celebrated worldwide from 2001 on. The World Refugee Day celebration of 2001 marked as the 50th anniversary of 1951 Convention Refugees status by the UN General Assembly

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# J U L Y

Misinformation of basic migration facts is a key factor responsible for anti-immigrant sentiment. In countries like the U.S., the UK, Greece, Italy and others, the proportion of people who agreed that there are too many immigrants in their countries fell sharply when people were told how many foreigners actually reside there.  
(Transatlantic Trends survey, 2014)

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Local Government  
Week - Start

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# AUGUST

Ethnically diverse companies are 35% more likely to outperform their competitors in their respective industries and sectors.

(McKinsey & Company)

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# SEPTEMBER

Low-skilled migrants contribute to the functioning of the European economy by taking up jobs undesirable to natives, which allows natives to take up more remunerative employment. OECD forecasts show that for countries like Italy, sectors requiring a low-skilled workforce like home care and food preparation will continue to grow.

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# OCTOBER

Universities are competing globally, attracting students and researchers from across the world. International outlook – measured by the percentage of international students, staff and researchers, is a mark of a top institution, relevant both to international and domestic students.

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# NOVEMBER

More than 43% of companies in US Fortune 500 are founded by immigrants or children of immigrants.

(Fortune Magazine, 2017)

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15	16 <small>International Day for Tolerance</small>	17	18	19	20	21
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# DECEMBER

The United Nations International Migrants Day is annually held on December 18 to recognize the efforts, contributions, and rights of migrants worldwide.

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