

PARTNERSHIP



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SEEMIG

MANAGING MIGRATION AND ITS EFFECTS IN SOUTH-EAST EUROPE

TRANSNATIONAL ACTIONS TOWARDS EVIDENCE BASED STRATEGIES

THE PROJECT

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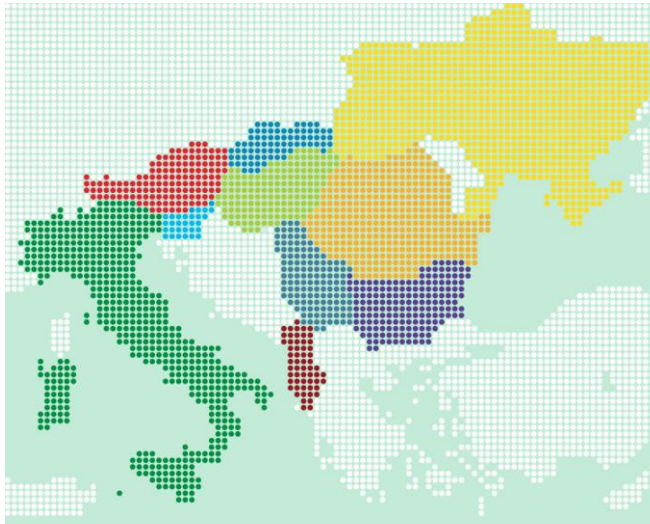
SEEMIG aims to better understand and address longer term migratory, human capital and demographic processes of South-East Europe, as well as their effects on labour markets, national and regional economies. The main goal of the project is to empower public administrations to develop and implement policies and strategies by using enhanced datasets and empirical evidence.

Project duration: 1 June 2012 – 30 November 2014

OBJECTIVES

The objective of the project is to:

- understand migratory, demographic, labour market and human capital processes historically and regionally,
- analyze longer term demographic and migratory profiles in various countries in South-East Europe,
- improve data collection for successful evidence-based strategies,
- promote dialogue between scientific communities, policy makers and state officials,
- contribute to transnational strategies arising from migration.



PARTNERS

SEEMIG relies on a wide network of partners. Research institutes, universities, statistical offices and local government bodies from eight countries (Austria, Bulgaria, Hungary, Italy, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia) and observers from further three countries (Albania, Georgia, Ukraine) are involved.

ACTIVITIES

SEEMIG partners are going to:

- compile datasets on longer term processes,
- develop foresight scenarios to predict migratory processes,
- build capacities of local and regional authorities to enhance statistical data,
- provide conceptual framework to analyze longer term demographic and migratory profiles for improved datasets,
- organise workshops and stakeholder focus groups to draft local, national and regional strategies, stakeholder focus groups.

OUTPUTS

ANALYSIS

- **Review of the theoretical models** of migratory, labour market and human capital processes,
- **Analysis of national historical profiles,**
- **Detection of the shortcomings of existing data** production systems.

DATA ENHANCEMENT

- **Collection of key data, filling data gaps** in the SEE regions and creating a **complementary dataset** for this area,
- **Implementation of two pilot studies** in Hungary and Serbia to present methodological best practices for future surveys and to complete existing databases,
- **Action plans and trainings** to enhance data supply and collection.

FORESIGHT

- **Overview** of mainstream population projections,
- **Foresight exercise** to produce future scenarios of major migration, demographic and labour market processes,
- **Recommendations** for the future enhancement and use of foresight and projection methodologies.

STRATEGY

- **Capacity building** for public administrations,
- **Policy recommendations** to promote evidence-based decision-making and strategy building.