



# SHARE

Building a resettlement network for European municipalities, cities and regions [www.resettlement.eu](http://www.resettlement.eu)

## THE SHARE PROJECT


The SHARE network will facilitate structured dialogue and exchange of expertise between experienced resettlement countries planning or considering resettlement.

With a worldwide membership, staff and operations working with migrants and refugees in more than 40 countries, ICMC Serves and protects uprooted people - refugees, internally displaced persons and migrants - regardless of faith, race, ethnicity or nationality.

Since its creation in 1951, ICMC has identified and accompanied one million refugees for resettlement. Additionally, ICMC provides expert resettlement personnel through the ICMC-UNHCR Resettlement Deployment Scheme to support UNHCR resettlement activities in field offices around the world.



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## Integration Working Group in Norway

20-21 May 2015

### Day 1

Norwegian Red Cross, Hausmannsgate 7, 0186 Oslo

- 9.00-9.30 *Registration & coffee*
- 9.30-09.45 **Official welcome & introduction to the ATCR process**  
- **ATCR State Chair**  
Siw Lexau (Deputy Director General, Ministry of Justice & Public Security)  
- **ATCR NGO Focal Point**  
Annette Sørli (Norwegian Red Cross)
- 9.45-10.00 **The SHARE Network and IWG Programme**  
- Joost Van der Aalst (Chief of Mission, IOM Norway)  
- Rachel Westerby (Senior Policy & Programme Manager, ICMC Europe)
- 10.00-10.45 **Introducing the Norwegian Resettlement Quota Programme**  
- Marit Rosenvinge (Senior Adviser, Ministry of Justice & Public Security)  
- Aurvasi Patel (Senior Resettlement Coordinator, UNHCR)
- 10.45-11.30 **Participant interventions**  
*All participants introduce themselves, their work and what they hope to learn during the IWG programme*
- 11.30-11.45 *Coffee*
- 11.45-12.15 **Introducing integration in Norway**  
- Hanna Krogenaes (Adviser, Ministry of Children Equality & Social Inclusion)
- 12.15-12.45 **Preparing refugees for life in Norway: the Norwegian Cultural Orientation Programme**  
- William Kweku Paintsil (Head of Migrant Training & Integration Support Unit, IOM Oslo)



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12.45-13.45 *Lunch*

**13.45-14.30 Cooperation and collaboration with municipalities and other local stakeholders**

- Kofi Amankwah (Assistant Regional Director  
Regional Office West, Norwegian Directorate of  
Integration & Diversity)

**14.30-15.15 Reception, study & employment: integration for emergency resettlement cases**

- An Magritt Aftret (Coordinator, Introduction  
Programme - Nav Stovner social services,  
municipality of Oslo)

**15.15-15.30 The role of NGOs in resettlement and integration in Norway**

- Annette Sørliie, Norwegian Red Cross

15.30-15.45 *Coffee*

**15.45-16.30 Panel discussion: Refugee integration in Norway - refugee experiences**

*Chair: Rachel Westerby (ICMC Europe)*

*Panellists:* Ms Iman Haroun  
Mr Abduljabal Haroun Rwegamira  
Mr Abdullahi Dahir Mire  
Ms Florence J Myklebust

**16.30-17.00 Evaluation & open discussion**

All

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**19.30 Participant Dinner**

*Meet in the hotel lobby at 19.15*



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## Day 2

### Site visits in Drammen & Oslo municipalities

- 08.00 *Meet in the hotel lobby for train travel to Drammen municipality (train departs Oslo 08.29)*
- 09.30-11.30 Resettlement & integration in Drammen municipality**  
Drammen Introduction Programme Centre
- 11.30-12.50 *Return train travel to Oslo (train departs Drammen at 12:17) – sandwich lunch provided*
- 13.00-14.30 Visit to Norwegian Agency for Lifelong Learning (VOX)**
- 14.45-16.00 Visit to Primary Healthcare Workshop (PMV)**
- 16.00-17:30 Final evaluation, open discussion & reporting to the ATCR**  
All