

SOCIO-ECONOMIC SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES



GLOMIG

Global Migration from the Eastern Mediterranean and Eurasia: Security and Human Rights Challenges to Europe

The main objective of GLOMIG was to foster international cooperation between the EU and the INCO countries by organising workshops, forming expert groups, and providing policy recommendations to officials and other stakeholders on global migration. The project focused on the Western Balkans, Caucasus, Russia, Eastern Mediterranean and Turkey. More specifically, the project proposed to contribute to the European Research Area through the creation of a common platform to share insights, experiences, and know-how on migration. The Egyptian participant was in the steering committee for the project, and participated in planning the project's framework. The Egyptian participant brought into the consortium expertise on migration issues from the security point of view and nominated other Egyptian experts to attend the workshops organized by GLOMIG, most of which were held in Turkey.

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- FP6: CITIZENS-2004-8.3.3 Promoting international research and policy co-operation in social sciences and humanities, CITIZENS Citizens and governance in a knowledge-based society
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RAMSES II

Network of Research Centres in Human Sciences on the Mediterranean Area

To enhance the scientific value of research concerning the Mediterranean area and extend its impact to other countries, the RAMSES project brought together well-established research centres from Europe and countries of the southern and eastern Mediterranean. The creation of such a network was a response against the fragmentation of research and aimed at establishing communication between specialists and research teams that are spread in the pole of excellence. Workshops and conferences with topics such as “Commercial Routes in the Mediterranean in the 19th Century” and “Alexandria City of Nostalgia” were held as part of the series of discussions on the relationship between Egypt and the Mediterranean countries. The broader objective of such workshops was to help understand why the Mediterranean is a major zone of tension and to explore to what extent the EU-Mediterranean partnership policy could provide appropriate ways of dealing with these conflicts.

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