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## Seminar on Migration and Sustainable Development

Part of the 2012 Migration and Development Series, jointly organized by UNITAR, IOM, UNFPA and the MacArthur Foundation,

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Conference Room E (NLB), United Nations Headquarters, New York

### AGENDA

3:00 PM **Welcome and Introduction**

*Ms. Yvonne Lodico, Head, United Nations Institute for Training and Research, UNITAR, New York Office*

*Ms. Ann Pawliczko, Senior Project Adviser, Population and Development Branch, United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA)*

3:20 PM **Harnessing the Human Development Effects of Migration in the Context of Sustainable Development**

**Chair:** *Ms. Yvonne Lodico, Head, UNITAR, New York Office*

**Speakers:**

- **Rio+20 Conference and the post-2015 development agenda: capitalizing on human mobility opportunities**  
*Mr. Patrick Hayford, Director of the United Nations Office of the Special Adviser on Africa*
- **Shifting paradigm: the phenomena of migration for social and economic development**  
*Ms. Michele Klein-Solomon, Permanent Observer to the United Nations, International Organization for Migration (IOM)*
- **Rural to urban migration: an adaptation strategy for environmental degradation**  
*Ms. Cecilia Martinez, Director, United Nations Human Settlements Programme, UN-Habitat, NY Office*



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➤ **Climate change and environmental induced migration: policy response and legal perspective**

*Mr. Michael B. Gerrard, Andrew Sabin Professor of Professional Practice Director, Center for Climate Change Law Columbia Law School*

4:20 PM **Questions & Answers**

4:30 PM **Closing Remarks**

*Ms. Ann Pawliczko, Senior Project Adviser, Population and Development Branch, United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA)*

4:45 PM **End of seminar**



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