## Theme 1: Ensuring an enabling environment for migrants and diaspora to contribute to sustainable development

### The Global Compact for Migration
- **Objective 1**: Collection of accurate and disaggregated data for evidence-based policies
- **Objective 3**: Provide accurate and timely information at all stages of migration
- **Objective 16**: Empower migrants and societies to realize full inclusion and social cohesion
- **Objective 17**: Eliminate all forms of discrimination and promote evidence-based public discourse to shape perceptions of migration
- **Objective 19**: Create conditions for migrants and diasporas to fully contribute to sustainable development

### The Global Compact on Refugees
III. Programme of Action
- B. Areas in need of support / 3. Solutions

### New York Declaration for Refugees and Migrants
- Para 46. Positive and profound contribution to economic and social development done by migrants. Para 47. ensure that all aspects of migration are integrated into global, regional and national sustainable development plans

### Agenda 2030
- **SDG 1**: End poverty in all its forms everywhere
- **SDG 16**: Promote peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development, provide access to justice for all and build effective, accountable and inclusive institutions at all levels
- **SDG 17**: Strengthen the means of implementation and revitalize the global partnership for sustainable development

### Corresponding GFMD Government Days theme
- Government Roundtable 3.2: *Beyond Remittances: leveraging the development impact and promoting the transnational engagement of diaspora and migrants*

### Migration Week – thematic links:
- Diaspora Development Dialogue
- Peoples Global Action – Workshop 4 Migration and Development
- UN Side events
  - IOM (N°14): Leveraging Technology to Provide Information and Coordinate Engagement of migrants and Diasporas (8 Dec)
  - International Center for Trade and Sustainable Development (ICTSD), International Organization for Migration (IOM), European Center for Development Policy Management (ECDPM), National Center for Competence in Research (nccr-on the move), OPC Policy Center: FAO, UNDP, UNHCR, WFP (N°24): *Migration, Trade and Global Economy* (8 Dec)
Overseas Development Institute (ODI); Center for Global Development (CGD); London School of Economics (LSE) Institute of Global Affairs (IGA); IOM; Contributing Member States (side event N°43): *From global policy to national and local action: innovative proposals and instruments to maximise the potential of migration to achieve development outcomes* (9 Dec)

- Global Mayoral Forum