



MIRPS Regional Technical Team on Jobs and Livelihoods
Joint session with local governments, civil society organizations, and refugee-led organizations
on labor integration initiatives.

21 August 2025. 9:00 a.m. Central America time.

Agenda

9:00 am	Opening remarks <i>Ms. Gissel Torres</i> , Deputy Director of Care and Interinstitutional Liaison, Mexican Commission for Refugee Assistance (COMAR). Government of Mexico
9:10 am	Introduction to the sesión <i>Ms. Ana Valle</i> , President of the Association of Nicaraguans in Mexico
9:20 am	Labor inclusion of displaced persons: good practices and effective models <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Labor inclusion of women in various human mobility contexts: development of seed projects for self-employment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ <i>Ms. Alejandra Navarrete</i>, Deputy Director of Articulation of Migrant Women, Secretariat for Women, Government of Mexico ● Implementation of Employment Units in Costa Rica <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ <i>Ms. Fidelina Mena Corrales</i>, Center for Labor Rights without Borders (Costa Rica) ■ <i>Mr. Jonatan Monge</i>, Head, Department of Labor Migrations, Ministry of Labor and Social Security. Government of Costa Rica ● From reception to integration: Good practices in the employability of people in mobility contexts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ <i>Ms. Darla América Anguiano Soriano</i>, CAMMI (Mexico)
9:45 am	Training programs in job skills, certification of competencies, and entrepreneurship for inclusion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Good practices in the implementation of programs at the local level in municipalities of Guatemala <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ <i>Ms. Cesia Noguera and Ms. María José Samayoa</i>, Municipality of Guatemala ■ <i>Ms. Bárbara Najarro</i>, Municipal Directorate for Women, Municipality of Puerto Barrios, Izabal ■ <i>Ms. Génesis Alejandra Monserrat Ochoa Sosa</i>, Municipality of Huehuetenango ● Entrepreneurship as a process of integration into host communities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ <i>Ms. Laura Trejo</i>, Asmovilidad (Mexico) ● RASEE: Good practices in employment and entrepreneurship <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ <i>Ms. Lizbeth Mendieta Venegas</i>, Organization Sin Fronteras (Mexico) ● Safe, Dignified Return and Sustainable Reintegration: The case of the REDII program in Honduras and El Salvador <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ <i>Mr. Carlos García</i>, USCRI (experiences El Salvador – Honduras)
10:20 am	Regional good practices on integration and livelihoods <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ <i>Ms. Sabrina Lustgarten</i>, Executive Vice President of HIAS Key challenges and opportunities in joint work to facilitate access to formal employment from an intersectoral perspective

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Ms. María Isabel Sánchez</i>, Specialist in Labor Migration and Mobility, International Labour Organization Office for Central America, Haiti, Panama, and the Dominican Republic
10:40 am	Questions and comments
10:55 am	Closing remarks <i>Ms. Gissel Torres</i> , Mexican Commission for Refugee Assistance (COMAR). Government of Mexico