**PLENARY MEETING BETWEEN THE**

**REGIONAL CONFERENCE ON MIGRATION (RCM) AND THE**

**SOUTH AMERICAN CONFERENCE ON MIGRATION (SACM)**

**May 8-9, 2018, Montevideo, Uruguay**

Venue: Salón de Actos la Asociación Latinoamericana de Integración (ALADI)

Address: Cebollatí 1461 CP 11200

**Proposed agenda**

**DAY ONE**

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| Schedule | Activity |
| 8:30 – 9:00 | Registration of participants |
| 9:00 – 9:30 | **Opening session**Welcoming words:* Representative from Panama, Presidency Pro-Témpore of the Regional Conference on Migration (RCM)
* Representative from Uruguay, Presidency Pro-Témpore of the South American Conference on Migration (SACM)
* Representative of IOM, UNHCR and ICRC
* Representative of host country
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| 9:30 – 10:00 | **Introduction of participants**[Lead: RCM PPT and SACM PPT] |
| 10:00 - 10:30 | **Background, objectives of the meeting and approval of the agenda**[Facilitator: TS] |
| 10:30– 10:45 | Coffee Break |
| *SESSION 1.- Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration*  |
| 10:45 – 13:30 | **Dialogue on the process of the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration**[Moderators: RCM TS and SACM TS]* IOM's support to the Global Compact process (OIM) *\* 5 minutes*
* Perspectives of the Negotiating Round of the Global Compact
* Advances and comments from Member Countries
* The contribution of the Regional Consultation Processes
* Complementarities between the two Pacts (UNHCR) *\* 5 minutes*
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| 13:30 – 14:30 | Lunch |
| *SESSION 2.- Meeting spaces between the RCM and the SACM* |
| 14:30 – 16:00 | **Dialogue: Future Commitment between the RCM and the SACM*** Contributions for a common agenda
* Identification of strategic topics
* Mechanisms of communication between the Troikas and Technical Secretariats
* Strategy to structure commitments and future collaborations

Participants: All countries[Moderators: RCM PPT and SACM PPT] |
| 16:00 – 16:30 | Coffee Break |
| 16:30 – 17:00 | **Summary of agreements**[Lead: RCM PPT and SACM PPT]  |
| 17:00 | End of Day One |

**DAY TWO**

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| *SESSION 3.- Extra-regional and extra-continental migrant flows in both regions* |
| 8:30 – 10:00 | **Country updates on their situation regarding extra-regional and extra-continental migration flows, either as countries of origin, transit and destination of this population (countries to be determined).** Questions and answers.*8 minutes per delegation*[Lead: All countries]* RCM presentation on the Ad Hoc Working Group on extra-regional migrants
* Presentation of the RCM PPT on the situation of extra-regional migratory flows in Panama
* Presentation on extra-regional migration flows in the region of the SACM
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| 10:00 - 10:30 | Coffee break |
| 10:30 - 12:30 | **Open dialogue:**Dialogue between RCM and SACM Member Countries, and observer organizations on inter-regional cooperation mechanisms to face extra-regional and extra-continental flows. [Lead: All RCM and SACM Member Countries and invited organizations] |
| *SESSION 4.- Construction of new and implementation of previous agreements on extra-regional and extra-continental flows* |
| 12:30 - 13:30 | **Presentation of existing collaboration projects****Work plans to approach extra-regional and extra-continental flows*** Baseline: Existing Work plans of the RCM and the SACM
* Plan to strengthen the governance of extra-regional migrant flows in Mesoamerica (IOM)

[Facilitators: SACM PPT / RCM PPT / SACM TS / RCM TS] |
| 13:30 - 15:00 | Lunch |
| 15:00 - 16:30 | **Plenary session*** Identification of possible next steps for the creation of new and implementation of previous agreements on extra-regional and extra-continental flows
* Construction of new agreements and definition of a bi-regional strategy
* Bi-regional strategy for the humanitarian approach of extra-regional, bi-regional and extra-continental emergent migration flows

Participants: RCM and SACM Member Countries[Moderators: RCM PPT / SACM PPT] |
| 16:30-16:45 | Coffee break |
| 16:45 – 17:15 | **General conclusions and summary of agreements**[Lead: RCM PPT / SACM PPT]  |
| 17:15 – 17:45 | **Closing session****Participants:**Representative of the SACMRepresentative of the RCM |