WEBINAR

SECONDARY MOVEMENT: HIDDEN CHALLENGES

Despite increased discussions and activities on complementary pathways into protection into the EU in recent years, one issue has emerged but rarely been discussed: **the secondary movement of beneficiaries of complementary pathways.**

While the secondary movement of asylum seekers is well-known, the secondary movement of beneficiaries of complementary pathways raises a number of important questions regarding

- target groups and their aspirations;
- programme set-up;
- reception and integration;
- remedial action.

As complementary pathways expand and multiply, the interactive webinar "**Secondary movement: hidden challenges**" for practitioners, experts and those wanting to become either in the area of complementary pathways will consider this important issue.

The webinar is organised by the <u>Churches' Commission for Migrants in Europe</u> (CCME) as part of the COMET project.

<u>COMET (COMplementary pathways nETwork)</u> is an interlocking system of legal channels for migration into Europe. It is a transnational partnership involving organisations from Italy, Spain, France, Germany, the Netherlands, Belgium and United Kingdom. The **network's diverse channels** offer potential beneficiaries an enhanced prospect of **successful integration**, appropriately setting expectations, matching them to a location with which they have a genuine connection and to a scheme which **maximises their potential** and thereby **minimises the likelihood of secondary movement.** Through structured exchange, a common set of tools and procedures and careful monitoring and evaluation, the project embeds good practice and minimum standards for all participating pathways.

COMET will provide a model for Europe by fostering collaboration between different stakeholders at a transnational level in order to develop a network of diverse legal pathways across Europe for people in need of protection trapped along the Central Mediterranean Route.

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<u>Agenda</u>

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