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## „Investing in people, by investing in higher education and skills in Africa“



### MAINSTREAMING MIGRATION INTO INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION & DEVELOPMENT

INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR MIGRATION REGIONAL OFFICE FOR THE EEA, THE EU AND NATO



#### Sustainability & Synergies

##### Knowledge Management for sustainability and synergies

- Building on lessons learned from current practice and existing models of mainstreaming migration
- Participatory processes to ensure institutional and policy sustainability

##### 3 Pillar Approach:

**Pillar 1:** Collecting information and consolidating into Knowledge Products

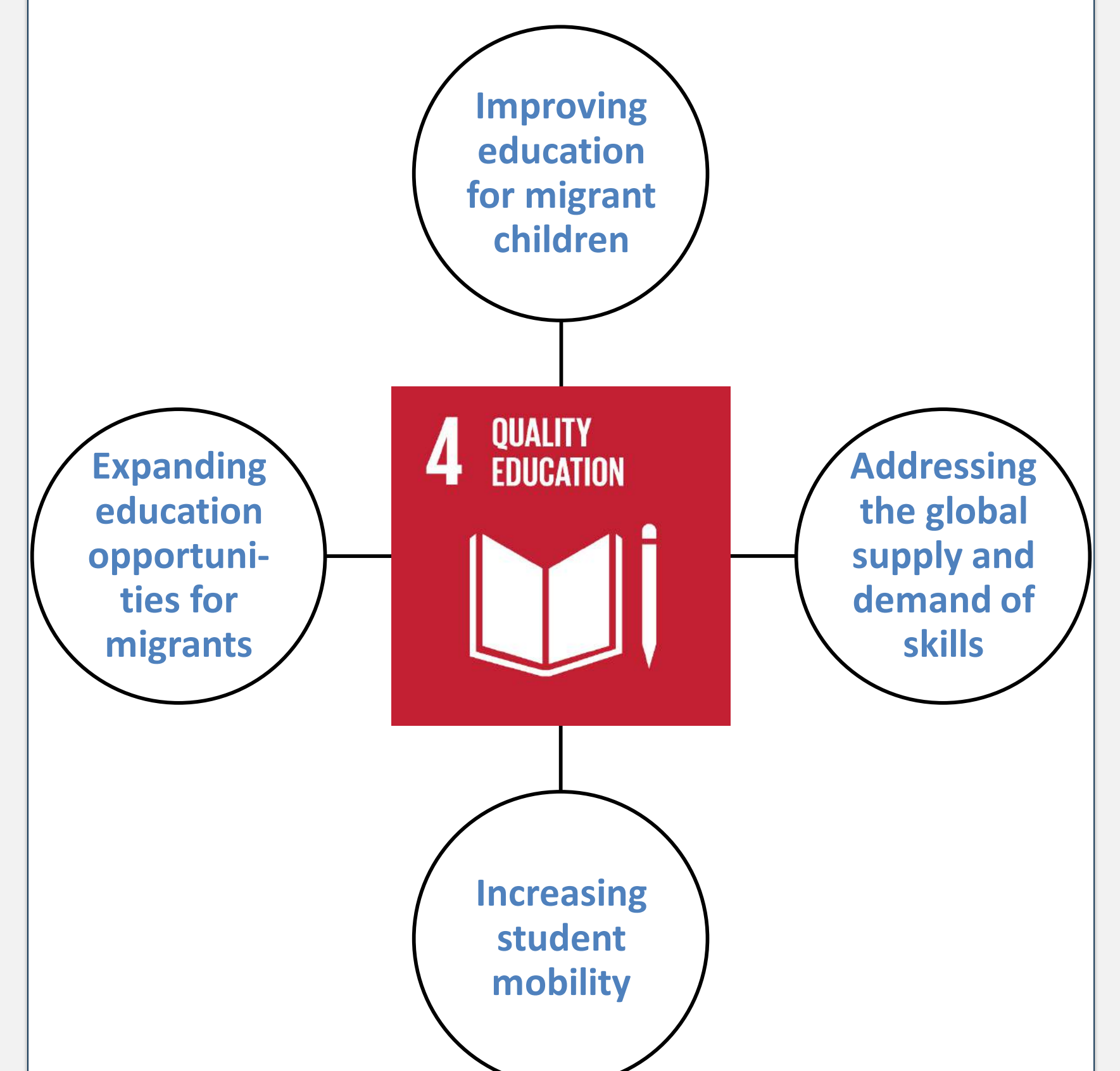
**Pillar 2:** Capacity building for donors and relevant stakeholders

**Pillar 3:** Coherency of approaches for integrating migration into cooperation and development policies and programmes

#### EXPLORING CROSS-CUTTING CONNECTIONS



**10.7 Facilitate orderly, safe, regular and responsible migration and mobility of people, including through implementation of planned and well-managed migration policies**



#### Project Presentation

**Donor:** European Union (EU)

**Management Site:** RO Brussels

**Geographical coverage:** Global, piloting in Ecuador, Madagascar, Nepal

**Target Audience:** Development practitioners including EU institutions and delegations, bilateral and multilateral donors, development partners and government authorities in partner countries.

**Timeline:** February 2017 - January 2021

IOM is working with the European Commission's Directorate-General for International Cooperation and Development (DG DEVCO) to strengthen the integration of migration into international cooperation and development policies and programmes, with special attention paid to those of the EU.

During the piloting phase (2019-2020), key development sectors will be prioritized in the pilot countries in order to test the draft guidelines and support efforts to integrate migration into sector-specific policies and programmes in country.

##### Phase 1: Development of Mainstreaming Migration Guidelines and Training Tools

Development of practical tools on how to integrate migration into nine development sectors based on concrete examples and lessons learnt from other initiatives.

##### Phase 2: Piloting the Tools in Selected Sectors in Latin America, Africa and Asia

Integration of migration into policies and programmes of the targeted countries through capacity building, technical assistance and exchanges of practices.



#### Project Activities

##### 1. GUIDELINES AND NINE SECTOR GUIDES

The guidelines provide practical guidance and tools for development practitioners to integrate migration into policies, plans, programmes and projects in 9 development sectors.



##### 2. TRAINING ON MAINSTREAMING MIGRATION INTO INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT

The trainings provided under the project aim to enhance the capacities of development practitioners, so they are better able to integrate migration in policy planning, and programming.

##### 3. PILOT COUNTRIES ACTIVITIES

In close collaboration with DG DEVCO, three countries have been selected to pilot the project tools, in two sectors per country (See picture above). The project foresees the following piloting activities:

1. Trainings
2. Country Assessments
3. Stakeholder Workshops
4. Capacity-building/Technical Assistance
5. Exchange of Practice

##### 4. COMMUNICATION AND KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT

Nine videos reflecting successful stories of migration mainstreaming in specific sectors, as well as the tangible benefits of integrating migration into sector policies and programmes are being developed and will be used as training tools.

Moreover, through a short animation, the project explains the linkages between migration and the SDGs while revealing the development potential of migration when well-managed.

#### Project Results

1. Guidelines and training for mainstreaming migration into international cooperation and development
2. Pilot partner countries are aware of the importance of mainstreaming migration, have received capacity building, and have sufficient tools at their disposal to mainstream migration in selected development sectors.

#### Information

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