

# Welcome!

Dear migration activist colleague,

Welcome to the second edition of the Ghana English language #MigrantMediaNetwork Social Media & Migration Training Field Guide kit!

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## MIGRATION RESOURCES AND INFORMATION

### **MigApp**

MigApp is an app designed by the International Organization for Migration (IOM).

<https://www.iom.int/migapp>

### **IOM (International Organization for Migration)**

Based in Switzerland, IOM is the leading inter-governmental organization in the field of migration.

[www.iom.int](http://www.iom.int)

[migapp@iom.int](mailto:migapp@iom.int)

Tel: +41 22 717 9111

### **InfoMigrants**

News and information written for migrants, to counter misinformation at all stages of the journey: before migrating, along the route, and in the destination countries. Available in Arabic, French, and English.

<https://www.infomigrants.net/en/>

### **Refugee.Info**

Covers topics relating to asylum procedures, work permissions, signing children up for school, and finding a doctor.

<https://www.refugee.info/>

Messaging option on: <https://www.facebook.com/refugee.info>

### **Alarmphone**

Hotline for boat people in distress. Offers support and organizes rescues.

The Alarmphone is NOT a rescue number, but is there to pressure others to help.

In case of emergency call +334 86 51 71 61

<https://alarmphone.org/en/about/>

### Emergency Contacts

Tunisia:+216 71 560 240

Libya:+218 21 44 46 799 or +218 21 56 30 257

Spain:+34 900 202 202 or +34 917 55 9 133

Morocco:+212 537 625 877

Italy:+39 065 908 45 27

Malta:+356 21 257 267

Greece:+30 210 41 12 500

### **Open Migration, Italian Coalition for Civil Liberties (CILD)**

Open Migration aims to provide quality information on refugees and migration, to fill a gap in public opinion and in the media. Open Migration does this through the analysis of data.

<https://openmigration.org/>

[contact@openmigration.org](mailto:contact@openmigration.org)

### **W2eu.info**

Independent information for refugees and migrants coming to Europe. Information on rights, laws, and the border situation of almost every European country (in English, French, Arab and Farsi).

<https://w2eu.info/>

### **Rumours about Germany**

The German Federal Foreign Office offers migrants reliable information to counter inaccurate information and rumors spread by smugglers and traffickers.  
<https://rumoursaboutgermany.info>

### **Trace the Face**

A number of National Red Cross Societies in Europe are publishing photos of people looking for their missing relatives in the hope of reconnecting families. Check if your family is looking for you or publish your photo to enable your family to contact you.  
<https://familylinks.icrc.org/europe/en/Pages/Home.aspx>

## **INFORMATION ON 'IRREGULAR MIGRATION' ROUTES**

### **InfoMigrants Personal Stories**

<https://www.infomigrants.net/en/stories/>

### **UNICEF: A Deadly Journey for Children: The Central Mediterranean Migration Route**

<https://www.unicef.org/reports/deadly-journey-children>

### **MIGRATION CONTROL, TAZ PROJECT**

<https://migration-control.taz.de/#en>

## **RESOURCES & INFORMATION FOR MIGRANTS IN EUROPE**

### **Couchsurfing**

<https://www.couchsurfing.com/>

### **Centre for Entrepreneurs**

<https://centreforentrepreneurs.org/networks/>

### **Give Something Back to Berlin**

<https://gsbtb.org/>

### **Mentor Project**

<http://www.mentproject.eu/>

### **Migrant Women Network**

<https://www.migrantwomennetwork.org/>

### **Migration Hub**

<https://www.migrationhub.network/joinus>

### **Kiron University**

<https://kiron.ngo/>

A free, online learning platform designed specifically for migrants.

### **Refugees on Rails**

<http://refugeesonrails.org/en/>

Teaches refugees how to program and code, which helps them find employment.

## **MIGRANT PERSPECTIVES: RETURNEE EXPERT NETWORK**

The **CIM Program** is supported by the German government. The program allows migrants who have gained skills in Germany to return home, to work as experts in their home country. CIM supports the returning migrants financially.  
<https://www.cimonline.de/en/html/returning-experts.html>

### **AFRIKA KOMMT!**

Brings together young leaders from African and German companies to learn about German corporations, share knowledge, gain skills, and build up a network of contacts. The goal is to empower young people to become agents of positive change.  
<https://www.afrika-kommt.de/>

## **INFORMATION ON STUDYING ABROAD**

### **Entervarsity**

A university search engine for students looking for detailed and reliable information on universities and colleges. Includes information on tuition, programs, locations, and extracurricular activities.  
<https://www.entervarsity.com>

### **DAAD**

<https://www.daad.de/en/>

### **Uni-assist**

<https://www.uni-assist.de/>

### **Aachen university applied science**

<https://www.fh-aachen.de/en/>

### **Arriving in Berlin**

Digital map with helpful information for refugees and newcomers to Berlin.  
<https://arriving-in-berlin.de/>

### **Make it in Germany**

The official guide to working and studying in Germany  
[www.make-it-in-germany.com/en](http://www.make-it-in-germany.com/en)

### **German Federal Office for Migration and Refugees (BAMF)**

Provides information on asylum, refugee protection procedures, and life in Germany.  
<http://www.bamf.de/EN/Fluechtlingschutz/fluechtlingschutz-node.html>

## **Opportunities to study abroad and key visa information:**

### **DAAD Ghana**

DAAD Ghana offers information regarding studying in Germany.  
<https://www.daad-ghana.org/en/study-research-in-germany/>

### **Study Portals**

Information regarding the visa needed to study in Germany.

<https://www.mastersportal.com/visa-info/167-11/students-from-ghana-to-germany.html>

### **Study in Germany**

Lists opportunities and describes the visa application process.

[https://www.timelinetrust.com/study\\_in\\_germany.html](https://www.timelinetrust.com/study_in_germany.html)

### **After School Africa Scholarships**

German scholarships for international students from Africa and developing countries.

<https://www.afterschoolafrica.com/scholarship/by-country/scholarship-in-germany/>

## **GHANA JOB SEARCH RESOURCES**

### **Student Jobs Ghana Online Platform**

Online platform where students and graduates can find internships and job opportunities.

[www.studentjobsgn.com](http://www.studentjobsgn.com)

### **African Entrepreneurs Hub**

Encouraging entrepreneurship through support and programs such as My Business Friday and iHUB.

2 Stephen Quarshie Link, East Legon, Accra, Ghana

<http://www.aehub.org/>

Tel: +233 55 324 09 98

Email: [info@aehub.org](mailto:info@aehub.org)

### **HAPASPACE**

Collaborative hub which powers startup business with technology.

The Village Building (same building as GN Bank), opposite the STC station

Adum, Kumasi, Ghana

<https://hapaspace.com/>

Tel: +233 20 171 3002

Email: [info@hapaspace.com](mailto:info@hapaspace.com)

### **HOP in ACADEMY**

A nonprofit educational organization based in Tamale, Ghana designed for students to “hop in and hop out,” rather than having strictly organized timetable structures. Offers training, mentorship, event space, meet-ups, and more!

Catholic Guest House Road, Just before SWAD fast food, Tamale, Ghana

Tel: +233 024 046 69 23

<http://www.hopinacademy.org/>

[info@hopinacademy.org](mailto:info@hopinacademy.org)

### **MEST Incubator**

MEST is a nonprofit, Pan African training program, seed fund incubator, and hub. Their mission is to create jobs and wealth in Africa by training, supporting, and investing in the continent's most promising software entrepreneurs.

No. 20 Aluguntugui Street, Ambassadorial Enclave, East Legon, Accra, Ghana

accra@meltwater.org

<https://meltwater.org/>

Phone: +233 30 274 2921

### **iCODE**

Meet. Learn. Build. IT training & mentorship, incubator for entrepreneurship and technology, co-working space and private offices with 24/7 4G internet. 3 Kumasi Rd, Takoradi, Ghana  
+233 54 038 9600

info@icodegh.com

<http://icodegh.com/>

### **TANOE**

Hub of Hope for African Entrepreneurs. Offers business development, capacity building, digital marketing, Start-Up 101, financial management, leadership training and incubator for entrepreneurs.

+233 55 774 0130

<https://tanoe.org>

info@tanoe.org

### **WORKSHED AFRICA**

Consulting, coworking, private offices, and events space.

47 Nungua Link Baatsona

Spintex Road, Accra +233 303 969 845

joinus@ourworkshed.com

[www.ourworkshed.com](http://www.ourworkshed.com)

### **Start Finder**

Find opportunities, advice and help on the following topics:

- Planning to return to your homeland?
- Searching for new opportunities in your country?
- Seeking advice in your native language?
- Looking for options for regular migration to Germany?

<https://www.startfinder.de/en/home>

### **Ghanaian-German Centre for Jobs, Migration and Reintegration (MIAC)**

Provides on-site help regarding job and vocational training opportunities in Ghana.

Gnat Heights Building, Ground Floor 30 Independence Avenue, Accra

migrationadvicecentreghana@giz.de

Tel:+233 556 7585 16

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### **Kumasi Hive**

Kumasi Hive is an Innovation and Entrepreneurship hub which provides comprehensive support to local innovations and business start-ups.

<https://www.facebook.com/kumasihive/>

<https://kumasihive.com/>

## **CASE STUDY: ENTREPRENEURSHIP TO FIGHT POVERTY**

### **World Economic Forum on Ghana's growing economy:**

<https://www.weforum.org/agenda/2019/05/ghana-is-set-to-be-the-worlds-fastest-growing-economy-this-year-according-to-the-imf/>

**Open Learning Guide** by the **r0g\_agency** offers an introduction to open learning resources.

<https://openculture.agency/open-learning-guide/>

<https://openculture.agency/outcomes/open-hardware-guide/>

### **Class Central entrepreneurship courses:**

<https://www.class-central.com/subject/entrepreneurship>

**MOOC** list provides more than 100 courses:

<https://www.mooc-list.com/tags/entrepreneurship?static=true>