

**ASEAN COMMITTEE ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ASEAN DECLARATION ON THE PROTECTION AND PROMOTION OF
THE RIGHTS OF MIGRANT WORKERS (ACMW)**

WORK PLAN 2016-2020

ASCC Vision 2025	An ASEAN Community that engages and benefits the peoples and is inclusive, sustainable, resilient, and dynamic
ASCC Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Enhance commitment, participation and social responsibility of ASEAN peoples through an accountable and inclusive mechanism for the benefit of all.B. Promote equitable access to opportunity for ASEAN people, as well as promote and protect human rights.C. Promote social development and environmental protection through effective mechanism to meet the current and future needs of the people.D. Enhance capacity and capability to adapt and respond to social and economic vulnerabilities, disasters, climate change as well as emerging threats, and challenges.E. Strengthen ability to continuously innovate and be a protective member of the global community.
Overall Objective of ALM' Work Programme 2016-2020	A better quality of life for ASEAN people through workforce with enhanced competitiveness and engaged in safe and decent work derived from productive employment, harmonious and progressive workplace, and adequate social protection.
Key Result Area 2 of the ALM' Work Programme 2016-2020 (outcome level)	Productive Employment

<p>Intermediate Targets by 2020 of the Key Result Area 2 that are contributed by ACMW</p>	<p>i. Improved level of employment and reduced levels of unemployment and under-employment in ASEAN Member States ii. Increased support for workers in rural employment and Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs)</p>			
<p>Thematic Area 2.1 of the ALM' Work Programme 2016-2020</p>	<p>Governing mechanisms of labour mobility (e.g. recruitment, job placement, reintegration programme)</p> <p>Contributing to the ASCC Blueprint 2025's Strategic Measures B.3.IX: Enhance regional initiatives in accordance with the ASEAN Declaration on the Protection and Promotion of the Rights of Migrant Workers to improve the protection and promotion of the rights of workers and migrant workers.</p>			
<p>Project Title</p>	<p>Timeline</p>	<p>Indicative Budget</p>	<p>Country Coordinator</p>	<p>Potential Collaborator</p>
<p>1. Workshop on best practices in protecting migrant workers(carried over activity of the ACWM Work Plan)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Workshop on educational incentives for migrant workers (2018) 	<p>back-to-back with ACMW Meeting, as needed</p>		<p>ACMW Chair</p> <p>Singapore (2018)</p>	<p>TBC</p>
<p>2. ASEAN Forum on Migrant Labour (carried over activity of the ACMW Work Plan)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9th AFML • 10th AFML: Theme: Protection of Domestic Migrant Workers 	<p>Annual</p> <p>2016</p> <p>2017</p>		<p>ACMW Chair</p> <p>Lao PDR</p> <p>Philippines</p>	<p>ILO, IOM, TFAMW, UN WOMEN, UN ESCAP</p>
<p>3. ACMW review mechanism of AFML recommendations</p>	<p>Regular at ACMW Meeting</p>			

4. Publication of a compendium of safe migration information material from AMS (carried over activity of the ACMW Work Plan)	2016-2017		The Philippines (concept) AMS (information provision) ASEC (publication)	E-READI
5. Reintegration programme for returning migrant workers	2017-2018		Indonesia	UN ESCAP, IOM, ILO
6. (a) Study on the demand and supply of migrant workers in receiving and sending countries in ASEAN	2017-2020		Viet Nam	ILO (ASEAN Triangle Project), IOM
(b) Capacity building and sharing best practices on labour market	2018-2019		Indonesia	ILO IOM

Key Result Area 4 of the ALM' Work Programme(outcome level)	Expanded Social Protection			
Intermediate Targets by 2020 of the Key Result Area 4 that are contributed by ACMW	i. Strengthened social protection systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raised awareness on social protection • Expanded coverage, affordability, availability, quality, equitability and sustainability of social protection ii. Reduced incidence of workers in vulnerable situations, including forced labour, in ASEAN Member States			

Thematic Area 4.1 of the ALM’ Work Programme 2016-2020	Social protection of migrant workers in ASEAN				
	Contributing to the ASCC Blueprint 2025’s Strategic Measures B.3.IV: Support accelerated implementation among ASEAN Member States to extend coverage, accessibility, availability, comprehensiveness, quality, equality, affordability and sustainability of social services and social protection.				
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	7. Study on portability of social security for migrant workers across ASEAN Member States	2018		Thailand	ILO (ASEAN Triangle Project)
	8. Collaboration with SOMHD on addressing health risk of migrant workers including those affected by emerging infectious diseases	2016-2020		ASEC (intermediary between ACMW and SOMHD)	SOMHD ASEAN-OSHNET IOM
Thematic Area 4.2 of the ALM’ Work Programme 2016-2020	Protection and promotion of the rights of migrant workers				
	Contributing to the ASCC Blueprint 2025’s Strategic Measures: B.3.V. Enhance the effective implementation of relevant ASEAN declarations and instruments related to human rights B.3.VII. Enhance regional initiatives and stakeholder participation to promote the elimination of all forms of discrimination – institutionalised or otherwise – exploitation, trafficking, harmful practices, and violence and abuse against children, women, persons with disabilities, youths, migrant workers, elderly/older persons, and victims/survivors of trafficking in persons, ethnic minority groups, and vulnerable and marginalised groups. B.3.IX. Enhance regional initiatives in accordance with the ASEAN Declaration on the Protection and Promotion of the Rights of Migrant Workers to improve the protection and promotion of the rights of workers and migrant workers.				

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9. Finalisation of the ASEAN instrument on the protection and promotion of the rights of migrant workers	2016-2017			
10. (a) Research on migrant worker rights-based on standard employment contracts (b) Research on gender dimension of migration (including exploitation and mistreatment) (c) Seminar/conference to socialize the research results to AMS and beyond	2017-2018 2018-2019		Indonesia Indonesia	IOM, ILO, UN ESCAP E-READI Dialogue partners, ILO, IOM, UN Women
11. Public campaign on safe migration	2017 2018-2019		The Philippines Indonesia	E-READI ILO IOM
12. Repository of legislations and policies on migrant workers of AMS – carried over activity (carried over activity of the ACMW Work Plan)			AMS (English text submission) ASEC (uploading to website)	

Thematic Area 4.3 of the ALM' Work Programme 2016-2020	Labour dimension of trafficking in persons			
	<p>Contributing to the ASCC Blueprint 2025's Strategic Measures:</p> <p>B.3.V. Enhance the effective implementation of relevant ASEAN declarations and instruments related to human rights</p> <p>B.3.VII. Enhance regional initiatives and stakeholder participation to promote the elimination of all forms of discrimination – institutionalised or otherwise – exploitation, trafficking, harmful practices, and violence and abuse against children, women, persons with disabilities, youths, migrant workers, elderly/older persons, and victims/survivors of trafficking in persons, ethnic minority groups, and vulnerable and marginalised groups.</p> <p>B.3.IX. Enhance regional initiatives in accordance with the ASEAN Declaration on the Protection and Promotion of the Rights of Migrant Workers to improve the protection and promotion of the rights of workers and migrant workers.</p>			
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<p>Collaboration with SOMTC under the framework of ASEAN Plan of Action against TIPs especially Women and Children:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prevention of TIPs • Protection of victims • Regional and international cooperation and coordination • Prosecution 				
<p>13. Workshop on investigation and prosecution related to labour dimension of TIPs in ASEAN <i>(follow-up of the ASEAN workshop on improving border controls and strengthening the capacity of law enforcement authorities to address irregular migration and TIPs, 2016, Manila, the Philippines)</i></p>	2017 onwards		The Philippines	SOMTC and other relevant ASEAN sectoral bodies ILO, IOM UNODC E-READI

14. Workshop on labour protection of migrant workers through an ASEAN networking forum on labour inspection	2016-2018		Indonesia	SLOM-WG ILO, IOM E-READI Dialogue Partners
15. Workshop on strengthening the capacity of labour officials in the prevention of TIPs	2018-2019		Lao PDR	SOMTC SOMSWD ILO, IOM UNODC E-READI

Monitoring and Evaluation Mechanism

ACMW's monitoring and evaluation mechanism:

- a. ACMW Chair to report the annual progress of the implementation of the ACMW Work Plan 2016-2020 to the annual meeting of SLOM.
- b. ACMW to complete the output-level monitoring checklist and report it regularly to SLOM.
- c. Outcome-based mid-term and final reviews of the ACMW Work Plan 2016-2020 to be conducted together with the mid-term and final reviews of the ALM' Work Programme by SLOM (every 2.5 years).
- d. Capacity building on monitoring and evaluation for ACMW (criteria of evaluation would be set for each project in terms of its strategic fit and its alignment to the ASCC Blueprint 2025's strategic measures)

Resource Mobilisation Strategy:

ACMW's resource mobilisation strategy

- a. Cost-sharing among ASEAN Member States; and/or
- b. Support from ASEAN Dialogue Partners and/or external parties through resource mobilisation efforts by the Country Coordinators and/or with the support of the ASEAN Secretariat.