



Call for Contributions – HGRA Blog & Working Papers Series

The HGRA Project (EnHancing manaGement and studies on migRation in libyA) invites researchers, practitioners and experts to contribute to its Blog and Working Papers Series on migration-related issues in Libya. This initiative aims to enhance research visibility, foster collaboration, and expand knowledge on key contemporary migration dynamics in the region.

The HGRA project seeks to improve the capabilities of Libya to manage and mitigate the impact of the challenges of migration, both as a destination country and as a country of origin, by strengthening the Higher Education Institutions system.

Themes

We welcome contributions on migration governance issues in Libya, including (but not limited to):

- Migration studies and the role of Higher Education Institutions
- Human trafficking and migrant smuggling
- Forced migration and internal displacement
- Climate change and environmental displacement
- Local migration policies and integration approaches
- Labour migration
- The legal status of migrants in Libya

Submission Modalities

We offer two formats for contributions:

1. Blog contributions

- Aimed at providing **concise and up-to-date analysis** of migration issues.
- Length: **2–3 pages** (approximately **800–1,200 words**).
- Submission: **Final blog articles** should be submitted directly for editorial review

2. Working Papers

- Intended for **in-depth academic or policy research** contributions.
- Length: **10–15 pages** (Word format, **Times New Roman 12, single-spaced**).
- Submission: **300-word abstract required** before submission of the full paper.
- A **detailed style guide** will be provided to accepted authors

Publication and visibility

While this is an unpaid collaboration, accepted contributions will be published on the [HGRA Website](#), as part of the HGRA Blog and Working Paper Series, offering authors with academic visibility and opportunities to contribute to policy discussions on migration in Libya.

How to Submit

Interested researchers should submit their papers in Word format **before May 15, 2025** to project.hgra@hgra.lib. This email address may also be used for any inquiries.

We look forward to your contributions!