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**MIGRATION AND HUMAN RIGHTS<sup>2</sup>**  
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Tuesday, 27 June 2006  
United Nations Headquarters, New York

**PROGRAMME**

9:00 – 9:15 a.m.	<b>Registration</b>
9:15 – 9:30 a.m.	<b>Opening Remarks</b> <i>Mr. Jorge Bustamante, UN Special Rapporteur on the Human Rights of Migrants</i>
9:30 – 12:00 p.m.	<b>Panel I: From state control to shared responsibility: international migration and human rights</b> <b>Chair: Ms. Colleen Thouez, Chief, UNITAR New York</b>
	<b>Realizing migrants' rights (a civil society perspective)</b> <i>Mrs. Mary Robinson, President, Realizing Rights -The Ethical Globalization Initiative, New York, former High Commissioner on Human Rights</i>
	<b>2006 OLA treaty event on 'crossing borders'</b> <i>Mr. Nicolas Michel, Under-Secretary-General, The Legal Counsel, Office of Legal Affairs (OLA), New York</i>
	<b>Improving the protection of human rights of all migrants: experiences from the field</b> <i>Ms. Gabriela Rodríguez, IOM Santiago, former Special Rapporteur on the Human Rights of Migrants</i>
	<b>A human rights based approach to migration and development: exploring synergies</b> <i>Mr. Naresh Singh, Executive Director, Secretariat of the High Level Commission on Legal Empowerment of the Poor, New York</i>
12:00 – 2:00 p.m.	<b>Lunch Break</b>

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<b>2:00 – 3:15 p.m.</b>	<b>Panel II: Sharing responsibility: different perspectives</b> <b>Chair: Ms. Sarah Rosengärtner, Coordinator Migration Series, UNITAR New York</b>
	<p><b>Ensuring migrants rights: the roles and responsibilities of states</b>  <i>Ms. Mariana Olivera, Third Secretary, Permanent Mission of Mexico to the UN</i></p> <p><i>Mr. Peter Lilius, Consul (Immigration), Canadian Consulate General, New York</i></p> <p><b>A human rights based approach to poverty reduction and development: making migration a choice</b>  <i>Ms. Carola Hausotter, Legal Consultant, Poverty Group/Democratic Governance Group, United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), New York</i></p>
<b>3:15 – 3:30 p.m.</b>	<i>Coffee Break</i>
<b>3:30 – 5:15 p.m.</b>	<b>Panel III: Migration and Children’s Rights</b> <b>Chair: Mr. Luca Dall’Oglio, Permanent Observer, IOM New York</b>
	<p><b>Protecting the rights of children affected by migration</b>  <i>Mr. Andrea Rossi, Child Trafficking and Migration, Programme Division Child Protection, United Nations Children Fund (UNICEF), New York</i></p> <p><b>Protecting the rights of refugee children</b>  <i>Mr. Brian Gorlick, Senior Policy Adviser, United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR), New York</i></p> <p><b>Trafficked children: The legal status of victims - protection and assistance</b>  <i>Ms. Kristina Touzenis, Consultant, IOM</i></p> <p><b>Migrant youth and human rights: risks and opportunities for young migrants</b>  <i>Ms. Anna di Mattia, Associate Social Affairs Officer, UN Programme on Youth, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA)</i></p>
<b>5:15 – 5:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Closing Remarks</b> <i>Mr. Luca Dall’Oglio, Permanent Observer, IOM New York</i>