

# Safe Migration and Labour Rights for Ethiopian migrant domestic workers

Wednesday 25th of November, 2020

11.00 – 13:00 (Addis Ababa time) / 10.00-12.00 (Beirut time)  
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**Webinar** on the research carried out on Ethiopian migrant domestic workers (MDW) towards Lebanon, looking at irregular migration, working problems in Lebanon, remittances, returns and reintegration issues. The findings of the research will be discussed by relevant stakeholders, focussing on the need to recognise labour rights of MDW and to set up safe migration corridors as in the 10.7 target of SDGs, in the Global Compact on Migration and in the new bilateral agreements signed by the Ethiopian government with some destination countries. A specific attention will be devoted to the debate on the role of development cooperation and to Covid-19 emergency in the management of migration flows.

## Opening

*Marco Aurelio Benedetti*, Project Manager CELIM, Project Coordinator SWMC

## Presentation of the Ethiopian Study on Migrant Domestic Workers

*Gutema Bulti*, researcher with CVM and CeSPI

## Discussants

*Hirut Abera*, Network of Addis Ababa Domestic Worker Association Chairperson

*Kabu Memban*, International Labor Organization (ILO) specialist

*Fisihatsion Biadgilign*, Head of social Affairs department, and *Rahel Ayele*, Head of Women Affairs department of the Confederation of Ethiopian Trade Unions (CETU)

*Meselech Assefa*, Director, Overseas Employment and Workers Safety Protection Directorate, Ministry of Labor and Social Affairs (MOLSA)

*Karim El Mufti*, Director of the Human Rights Legal Clinic, Law Faculty, La Sagesse University & Senior Researcher in Human Rights Law

## Moderators

*Marian Lambert*, CVM and *Andrea Stocchiero*, CeSPI

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