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Institute for Migration Research and Faculty of Political Science of Zagreb University invite you to a

Round Table Discussion

From Recruitment to Integration: Labour Migration Between the Philippines and Croatia

17 March 2026, 11.00 – 13.00 CET

Institute for Migration Research, Trg Stjepana Radića 3, Zagreb

Conference hall of the Croatian Heritage Foundation, 2nd floor

Welcome notes:

Marina Perić Kaselj, Director of the Institute for Migration Research

Davor Štern, Honorary Consul General of the Republic of the Philippines to Croatia

Andrei P. Bauzon, First Secretary and Alternate Representative, Philippine Embassy and Permanent Mission to the United Nations and other International Organization in Vienna

Dunja Sičaja, Head of the Eurasia and Oceania Sector, Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs, Republic of Croatia

Panellists:

Jules Gerard Arceo, Far Eastern University, Manila [online]

Labour Migration Governance and Migrant Protection for Filipinos in Croatia

Melquiades Acomular Jr., Far Eastern University, Manila [online]

The Emerging Filipino Labour Presence in Croatia: Drivers, Trends, and Impacts

Marta Zorko & Ružica Jakešević, Faculty of Political Science, University of Zagreb

Geopolitical patterns of (Non)movement: Foreign Policy and Power of Global, Regional and Local Borders (in SEEurope and SEAsia)

Margareta Gregurović, Institute for Migration Research, Zagreb

Foreign Workers in Croatia: The Filipino Integration Experience

Moderators: Sanja Klempić Bogadi and Robert Mikac

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