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# THE POLITICS OF MIGRATION

## A policy-oriented Summer School

12-17 July 2025 - San Vito di Cadore (Dolomites)



### SUNDAY 12TH JULY

Introduction to the Summer School and getting to know each other (2h)  
Organizing Committee  
Welcome Dinner & Evening Activities

### MONDAY 13TH JULY

9:00-13:00

**Academic Session 1**  
*Introduction to International Migration* (2h)  
**Academic Session 2**  
*International Migration and Borders* (2h)

14:00-18:00

**Career oriented session 1** (2h)  
*Working in NGOs in the field of migration*  
(session involving practitioners from International NGOs)

**Applied Skills Session 1** (1h)

*How to write an effective policy brief*

**Group Work 1** on Policy Briefs (1h)  
Identifying topic and target (supervised by one lecturer)

**Evening Activities**  
*One of many - and yet, one of a kind*

### TUESDAY 14TH JULY

9:00-13:00

**Academic Session 3**  
*Public Policies and Migrant Inclusion* (2h)

**Group Work 2** on Policy Briefs (2h)  
Discussing policy options

**Career oriented session 2** (1h)  
*Should I apply to a PhD? How?*

14:00-18:00

*Short hiking in the Dolomites with 'Outdoor Seminar' on Migration to and from Mountainous Areas* (1h)

**Evening Activity**  
Screening of the movie "The Milky Way" or "Io Capitano"

### WEDNESDAY 15TH JULY

9:00-13:00

**Academic Session 4**  
*Citizenship policies and politics* (2h)

**Career oriented session 3** (2h)  
*Finding a job in international organizations in the field of migration*  
(with two practitioners from international organizations working on international migration)

14:00-18:00

**Academic Session 5**  
*Migration Politics* (2h)

**Group Work 3** on Policy Briefs (2h)  
Defining the structure of the policy brief and planning group work (with supervision of one lecturer during the first hour)  
[In parallel: **scholarly coordination meeting**]

**Evening Activity**  
Meeting or roundtable with local policymakers and NGOs working in the migration policy field

### THURSDAY 16TH JULY

9:00-13:00

**Academic Session 6**  
*Migration and International Relations* (2h)

**Group Work 4** on Policy Briefs (2h)  
Writing session

14:00-18:00

**Applied Skills Session 2** (2h)  
*Communicating Policy Ideas Effectively: Strategies for Impactful Presentations*  
Speakers from International Organizations

**Group Work 5** on Policy Briefs (2h)  
Preparing the final presentation

**Evening Activity**  
Screening of the movie "The Order of Things" or another movie

### FRIDAY 17TH JULY

9:00-13:00

Students' mock presentations of their policy briefs and feedback (4h)

Following confirmation of participants, the summer school coordinators will conduct a brief survey to gauge their prior knowledge and will adapt the level and content of the academic sessions accordingly.

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