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meetings of the Global Forum on Migration and Development (GFMD). As such this research project reflects on the outcomes of earlier GFMD meetings and hopefully helps advance the GFMD process. Above all, it intends to trigger further research, review and action by relevant stakeholders.

Pursuant to this review, THP has made the following recommendations:

On ensuring continuity, the GFMD should prepare a compendium of terms, to ensure consistency and common understanding of terminology. In addition to that, a more permanent operational and secretarial capacity is required for the GFMD, to ensure continuity between meetings and avoid overlap and repetition. Our analysis has also ident

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All in all, the experiences of businesses and cities with migration can not only facilitate governing bodies formulate better policies, but also take an active stand in the public debate on this