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## Migration Management – New Forms of Multi-Level Government Granada (Spain)



The last conference of the series will synthesise all the topics discussed in the 2004–2007 conference series. This conference starts out addressing and questioning the paradigm of the manageability of international migration flows. Next, the role of international organisations in channelling migration and supporting integration and settlement processes is analysed. The impact of multi-level approaches on local governments, agencies and institutions involved in the management of migration will be a major topic of the conference. Trends and possible consequences of the multi-level reality of migration management will be identified: the shift of political authority from the national level down to the regional, provincial and communal levels and upwards to the European level will be addressed. The

redistribution of governmental functions and their consequences for European migration politics will be assessed. Last, but not least, this last conference of the series will identify pressing issues and topics within migration research and identify research gaps. In this context the participants are invited to reflect critically on their role and responsibility as migration researchers and practitioners.

### Programme

#### Thursday

Morning Seminar	<i>The Paradigm of Migration Management: About the manageability of migration flows</i>
Evening Workshop	<i>Social and Political Tensions in Migration Processes</i>

#### Friday

Morning Seminar	<i>The Role of International Organisations in Channelling Migration Flows and Supporting Integration and Settlement Processes</i>
Evening Workshop	<i>Managing Integration and Settlement of Migrants and Refugees: The politics of international NGOs and QuANGOs</i>

#### Saturday

Morning Seminar	<i>Migration and Gender: Gender-sensitive research approaches in the fields of migration and asylum</i>
Evening Workshop	<i>The Role of the Researcher: Migration research, political responsibility and social engagement</i>

#### Sunday

Morning Seminar	<i>Research Gaps in International Migration Research: Identification of Information Needs</i>
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