

Expert Workshop

**“Crossing Borders. Migration and
Citizenship Education in Europe”**

Mapping Exercise

Snapshots from previous sessions

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Which issues interest you most in the field of migration and integration (pick 3 and specify)

Social ²¹	}	27
Diversity / Demography ⁴		
Culture / Religion		2
Psychological		16
Political		20
Economic		10
Education		4
Ecological		5
Security		6
Technological		5
Normative / Values		15

A. Which are the 3 most influential factors that drive the debate on migration / integration in your country **today**? (please indicate your country of origin)

B. Which will be the 3 most influential factors that will drive the EU debate on migration / integration in your country **in 2025**?

	2016 Fear: 10	2025 Fear: 4
United Kingdom	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Inequality, Cohesion 2 Immigration, Change, Unknowns 3 Anger, fear, resentment 4 Capability of state to deliver 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Jobs + welfare 2 Security / in security 3 Fear / uncertainty 4 National identity (w/ Scotland)
Croatia	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Socio-cultural integration / homogeneity 2 Economic development 3 Security 4 Past conflicts / Own refugee experience 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Demography 2 Economy 3 Identity 4 Security
MENA	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Economy 2 Pol. stability 3 Hope: loss of ... 4 Libyan Crisis 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Economy 2 Pol. stability 3 (border) Security 4
GERMANY	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Economy / Preservation of Welfare State 2 Security 3 Identity, value system 4 Fear of future / uncertainty 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Economic wellbeing 2 Demography 3 Social clustering / transnational communities 4

Session 1: Solidarity! Why? Migration and its impact on polarisation in European societies?

- Role of the media in forming public opinion (propaganda)
- Everything is up for Grabs (moment of uncertainty and transition). Opportunity but also competition for what is up for grabs.
- Radicalisation / legitimization of violence
- Europe's global position
- Economic challenges
- The big challenge: migration and refugees are the resources of social development / the need to bridge the popular between the political rhetoric and practice
- Fear of islamisation of Europe
- Demography of Europe

Session 2: Citizenship education in societies facing migration and diversity: Do we need new approaches?

- Connecting the global level to people's daily lives
- Experience determine behavior / our mind-sets are anchored in our experience and up-bringing
- How usefull is it to allow ourselves to frame current affairs as crisis?
- We should rather construct common ideas / visions for our future than to fight over who is right or wrong
- Rational and emotional learning reinforce / complement one another – but the key question is: How?
- Focus on the process of thinking / take risks in teaching
- Can you teach future generations not to fear?
- Gaming is new teaching models: Discover what might emerge in the future (simulation)

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