ICMPD has a long lasting cooperation with Ukraine, which in 1995 was formalised in a form of a trilateral cooperation agreement and materialised in a number of bi- and multilateral projects. The commitment was renewed in 2019: ICMPD signed the two important agreements on cooperation with Ukrainian migration and border management authorities which paved the way for even closer cooperation. Ukraine is an active participating state in two Migration Dialogues – the Prague and Budapest Processes, to which ICMPD serves as a Secretariat.

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- State Border Guard Service of Ukraine
- State Migration Service of Ukraine
- Ministry of Internal Affairs
- Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine
- State Customs Service
- State Service of Ukraine on Food Safety and Consumer Protection

**Key Policy Documents**

- 2019 Integrated Border Management (IBM) Strategy 2020-2025
- 2018 Action Plan for 2018-2021 for the Implementation of the Strategy of the State Migration Policy of Ukraine for the period up to 2025
- 2017 Strategy of the State Migration Policy of Ukraine for the period up to 2025
- 2015 Law on External Labour Migration
- 2014 Law on Ensuring the Rights and Freedoms of Internally Displaced Persons
- 2011 The Concept of State Migration Policy
- 2011 Law on the Legal Status of Foreigners and Stateless Persons
- 2011 Law on Refugees and Persons in Need of Subsidiary Protection or Asylum
- 2001 Law on Citizenship of Ukraine
- 2001 Law on Immigration

**Thematic focus**

- Policy Development and Recommendations
- Combating Trafficking in Human Beings
- Asylum and International Protection
- Human and Fundamental Rights
- Migration Media & Education
- Migration and Development
- Legal and Labour Migration
- Internally Displaced People
- Migration Risk Prevention
- Personal Data Protection
- Migration and Mobility
- Diaspora

**Methodology**

- Training
- Workshop
- Study Visits
- Consultation Meetings
- Working group Meeting
- Awareness Raising Activities and Information Campaigns
- Analysis, Research and Studies

**Factsheet**

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**Cooperation with ICMPD since**

1995

**Legal agreements on cooperation with ICMPD**

2019 Cooperation Protocol between ICMPD and the Administration of the State Border Guard Service of Ukraine

2019 Memorandum on Cooperation between ICMPD and the State Migration Service of Ukraine

Status Agreement
ICMPD Projects in Ukraine

**Migration Media Training Academy (MÔMENTA I and II)**
**Objective:** contributing to an informed migration decision-making through a balanced and evidence-based reporting in EaP countries (Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova, Ukraine) and Russia (in the I phase) on legal migration to the EU.
**Implementing Agency:** ICMPD
**Donor:** German Federal Foreign Office
**Duration:** June – December 2019 (I phase) and April - December 2020 (II phase)

**EU Support to Strengthening IBM in Ukraine (EU4IBM)**
**Objective:** Ukrainian citizens benefit from increased mobility and economic operators are better integrated into the world economic exchange flows, while a high level of security and prevention of cross-border crime is ensured.
**Implementing Agency:** ICMPD
**Donor:** European Union
**Duration:** December 2019 – June 2022

**Assistance to Manage Internal Displacement in Ukraine (AMID-Ukraine)**
**Objective:** fostering institution building & policy development on issues related to IDPs in Ukraine
**Implementing Agency:** ICMPD
**Donor:** Ministry of Interior of the Czech Republic
**Duration:** December 2015 – September 2016

**Eastern Partnership (EaP) Integrated Border Management Capacity Building Project (EaP IBM CaBuIPro)**
**Objective:** facilitating the movement of persons and goods across borders in the six EaP countries, while at the same time maintaining secure borders through the enhancement of inter-agency cooperation, bilateral and multilateral cooperation among the target countries, EU member States and other international stakeholders.
**Implementing Agency:** ICMPD subcontracted by IOM
**Donor:** European Union
**Duration:** July 2014 – December 2018

**Strengthening the Surveillance Capacity on the Green and Blue Border between the Republic of Belarus and Ukraine (SURCAP)**
**Objective:** strengthening surveillance capacity at the green and blue borders between Belarus and Ukraine.
**Implementing Agency:** ICMPD subcontracted by IOM
**Donor:** European Union
**Duration:** May 2012–November 2014

**Support to the Creation of an Electronic System of Pre-arrival Information Exchange between the Customs Authorities of Belarus and Ukraine (PRINEX)**
**Objective:** facilitating the movement of goods and means of transport across the common borders of Ukraine and Belarus.
**Implementing Agency:** ICMPD subcontracted by IOM
**Donor:** European Union
**Duration:** April 2013–April 2016

**Eastern Partnership – IBM Flagship Initiative Training Project (EaP IBM FIT)**
**Objective:** facilitating the movement of persons and goods across borders in the six EaP countries through the enhancement of inter-agency cooperation, bilateral and multilateral cooperation among the target countries, EU Member States and other international stakeholders.
**Implementing Agency:** ICMPD
**Donor:** European Union
**Duration:** January 2011 – June 2013

**Post-Arrival Assistance to Ukrainian Nationals Returning from the Netherlands (UA PAA/PAA AMIF)**
**Objective:** contributing to the sustainable return and medium-term reintegration of Ukrainian migrants returning to Ukraine who have no legal right to reside in the Netherlands and promoting their socio-economic reintegration through referral to competent Ukrainian authorities, services, agencies and other organisations.
**Implementing Agency:** ICMPD
**Donor:** Repatriation and Departure Service, Ministry of Justice of the Netherlands
**Duration:** 2010 – 2016

**Strengthening capacities and co-operation in the identification of forged and falsified documents in Ukraine**
**Objective:** contributing to an increased effectiveness in the fight against illegal migration by the Ukrainian authorities
**Implementing Agency:** ICMPD in partnership with the Czech Republic: Ministry of Interior; Department for Asylum and Migration Policy; Alien and Border Police; Finland; Ministry of Foreign Affairs; Hungary: National Police; Netherlands: Dutch Royal Marechaussee and the Ministry of Justice; Poland: Ministry of Interior and Administration; Slovakia: Border and Alien Police, Ministry of Interior; Spain: General Commissariat for Aliens, Borders and Naturalization, Ministry of Interior and Centre for the Democratic Control of Armed Forces (DCAF)
**Donor:** European Commission
**Duration:** January 2007 – May 2009

**Capacity Building and Technical Support to Ukrainian Authorities to Effectively Respond to Irregular Transit-Migration (GDISC ERIT Ukraine)**
**Objective:** supporting the development of an efficient end-to-end migration management system using the method of close state-to-state co-operation and experience exchange by providing targeted capacity building, technical support and focused training by EU experts. The project in particular contributed to enhancing the reception capacities and technical improvement of screening centres, especially on the Eastern border.
**Implementing Agency:** Ministry of Interior of the Czech Republic, Home Office of the United Kingdom, Office of Immigration and Nationality of Hungary, Ministry of Justice, Immigration and Naturalisation Service of Netherlands, Office for Foreigners of Poland, Migration Office of the Ministry of Interior of Slovakia and ICMPD.
**Donor:** European Commission and six EU Member States (the Czech Republic, Hungary, Netherlands, Poland, Slovakia and United Kingdom)
**Duration:** February 2008 – May 2010