

Call for Panels

LDE GMD 10th Anniversary Conference ***The Governance of Migration and Diversity*** ***Past, Present and Futures***

Wednesday 29 October 2025

We are excited to invite panel proposals for the **2025 LDE Governance of Migration & Diversity (GMD) – 10th Anniversary Conference**. This milestone gathering will unite GMD alumni, students, and scholars with policymakers, practitioners, and societal stakeholders to reflect on the past, the present and envision futures in migration and diversity governance. Especially in these times of uncertainty and contestation, this anniversary conference provides a solid occasion to reflect to come together and look forward.

We invite concise, 60-minute panel sessions that spark dialogue on collaborative research and/or education across universities, innovative policy initiatives, or generating discussion. Proposals that meaningfully involve GMD alumni, students, and societal actors are especially welcome. We also encourage panels that adopt an LDE approach, integrating perspectives from Leiden, Delft and Erasmus researchers within a trans-disciplinary framework.

Conference Information

- **Date:** Wednesday 29th October 2025 (10:00 – 18:00)
- **Location:** Theatre Walhalla Rotterdam [Sumatraweg 9, 3072 ZR Rotterdam](#)
- **Admission:** The conference is free of charge for registered participants
- **Language:** English

Panel Proposal Guidelines - Include the following information:

- **Panel Title & Description:** Include the panel's general objective
- **Organisers:** Provide names and contact details of the organisers.
- **Co-organisers/panellists Information:** Institutions/organisations and/or fields (We encourage an LDE approach, transdisciplinary framework, and involvement of GMD alumni, GMD students, and societal stakeholders)
- **Panel Format:** Describe the envisioned format for the 60-minute panel session.
- **Abstract:** A ±200-word abstract that could be utilised for communication

Submission Details:

- **Deadline:** Submit your proposals by **July 11**.
- **Submission:** Email proposals to info@gmdcentre.nl and y.c.huang@essb.eur.nl.
- **Result:** Before August 1st, we will contact applicants via email, and by mid-August, we will announce the panels to participants