



MAPS

Migration and Displacement Action Plan for Sub-Saharan Africa
Developing Policy-Oriented Research on Migration and Displacement in the Sub-Saharan Region

2nd summer school

Dar es Salaam 02-06 February 2026

Research Methods and Strategies, Data Collection and Analysis

Mon 2nd Feb Introduction to Qualitative Research Methods

9:00-10:00 Opening Session and Introduction

Maombi Mkenyeleye

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10:00-13:00 Introduction to qualitative methods

Giovanna Gianturco

Sapienza University of Rome

Mihaela Gavrila

Sapienza University of Rome

10:45-11:00 Coffee Break

13:00-14:00 Lunch

14:00-17:00 Working Groups

Facilitated by

Giovanna Gianturco

Sapienza University of Rome

Mihaela Gavrila

Sapienza University of Rome

15:30-15:45 Coffee Break

Tue 3rd Feb Qualitative Research Methods and Mixed Methods

9:00-10:45 Analysis and interpretation of qualitative data

Araceli Muñoz García

Universitat de Barcelona

10:45-11:00 Coffee Break

11:00-13:00 Choosing the right research methodology: from qualitative to mixed methods

Mihaela Vancea

Universitat de Barcelona

13:00-14:00 Lunch

14:00-17:00 Visit to the University of Dar es Salaam

The University of Dodoma

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Wen 4th Feb Quantitative Data Collection and Analysis

9:00-10:45 **Data sources in migration studies**

Alessandro Feraldi
Sapienza University of Rome

10:45-11:00 Coffee Break

11:00-13:00 **Modelling quantitative data on migration**

Martin Pius
The University of Dodoma

Ramkumar T. Balan
The University of Dodoma

13:00-14:00 Lunch

14:00-15:30 **How to take decision from data**

Claudio Carnevale
Università degli Studi di Brescia

Sabrina De Nardi
Università degli Studi di Brescia

15:30-15:45 Coffee Break

15:45-17:00 **Scenario building and data collection for future analysis: identifying data needs to assess environmental, social, and economic impacts**

Giovanna Grossi
Università degli Studi di Brescia (online)

Marco Peli
Università degli Studi di Brescia (online)

Thu 5th Feb Quantitative Data Collection and Analysis

9:00-10:45 **Climate change and spatial dynamics: methodologies for vulnerability assessment**

Domenico Patassini
University luav of Venice

Gianfranco Pozzer
University luav of Venice

10:45-11:00 Coffee Break

11:00-13:00 **Spatial data analysis**

Vincenzo Nardelli
Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore Roma

13:00-14:00 Lunch

14:00-17:00 **Sampling of informal population QGIS. Case study: Refugee Camp in Tanzania**

Hamid Reza Oskorouchi
University of Palermo

15:30-15:45 Coffee Break

Fri 6th Feb Research Projects Harmonisation and Ethical Issues

9:00-13:00 **Wrap up on harmonised research project**

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Cristina Giudici
Sapienza University of Rome

Hamid Reza Oskorouchi
University of Palermo

10:45-11:00 Coffee Break

13:00-14:00 Lunch

14:00-17:00 **Research protocol and ethical issues. Data management and protection issues**

Lucy Njiru
Amref International University

Josephat Nyagero
Amref International University

Natal Ayiga
Kabale University

15:30-15:45 Coffee Break

17:00-17:20 **Conclusions**

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