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## International Mobilities Today

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## International migration is a global phenomenon that is growing in scope, complexity and impact.

## UN-DESA / Population Division

http://www.un.org/en/development/desa/population/theme/international-migration/



## World Population: Trends

- Current 7.4 billion (Aug 2016)
- World population is rising; Europe is the exception
- Urbanisation is a key driver of population mobility





### **PERCENTAGE OF THE WORLD POPULATION**



Source: MSU's Global Center for Food Systems Innovations



## International Migration

- International migrant:
- Global migrant stock 2015:
  244 million
- Migration is both regional and global

**Migrant flows between regions of the world** 2010–2015











# International tourist arrivals grew by 4.4% in 2015 to reach a total of 1,184 million in 2015, according to the latest UNWTO World Tourism Barometer. Some 50 million more tourists (overnight visitors) travelled to international destinations around the world last year as compared to 2014.

### UNWTO

http://media.unwto.org/press-release/2016-01-18/international-tourist-arrivals-4-reach-record-12-billion-2015





### TURNING ONE BILLION TOURISTS INTO ONE BILLION OPPORTUNITIES

In 2012, a record one billion tourists crossed international borders in a single year. Another five to six billion are estimated to travel in their own countries every year.



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### INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS WORLDWIDE SELECTED YEARS



SOURCE: OECD EDUCATION AT A GLANCE, 2013



- Immigration country since the end of the cold war
- Majority of immigrants from former SU & Europe: family, ethnic returnees, refugees, labout, students
- Emigration patterns very different for different national groups
- No systematic national migration policy, a bit more on intergration
- Immigration policitized in 2010s





## Foreign Born 1990 ■ MUUT EU(28) MAAT ■ MUU EUROOPPA AFRIKKA AMERIKKA AASIA OSEANIA TUNTEMATON

#### Foreign Born 2015





## Conclusion

- Today's mobilities have many faces
- Global mobility may rise significantly in the future
- The big question: climate change?