



# A Europe that truly protects:

How EU decision makers can deliver a more effective response to forced displacement

## A Europe that protects and empowers

Despite longstanding commitments to policy coherence for development, alignment between the EU's various external policies still remains insufficient, while commitments to build long term outcomes for crisis-affected populations are often deprioritised in favour of short-term interventions.

## A Europe that protects and welcomes

People always have and always will move across borders - pushed out by violence, persecution and conflict or attracted elsewhere by work, study or family ties. With the right systems in place, migration can be managed in a way that brings benefits for both new arrivals and local communities. The void currently left by the lack of agreement around the reform of the Common European Asylum System is in no one's interests. -hean