

Challenges and Opportunities before Local Governments: Covid-19 and State of Affairs for Migrants

Abstract

Given the rapid pace with which the world is urbanizing, understanding the coping mechanism of contemporary urbanism becomes significant. While the national and the international policies are indeed important, it is equally crucial to acknowledge that migration governance policies involve various actors that are engaged at local levels in the entire process. Various international and multi-lateral organizations have acknowledged the migrant workers as being at the heart of urban economies and contributing socially and culturally towards the urban life. However, cities have been largely exclusionary in nature when it comes to sharing the urban prosperity with these rural poor. The RU migration is a complex phenomenon that not only requires integrative policies but also calls for huge sensitization on part of the general urban populace.