

# MOBILE IDENTITIES:

## Migration and integration in transnational communities

**Project Number:** HOME/2012-13/EIFX/CA/CFP

**Duration:** January 2014 – June 2015

**Total planned expenditure:** 8 956,22 €

**Type of the Project:** European Integration Fund of the EU

**Implemented by:** Faculty of Arts / Department of Social Studies and  
Ethnology

*It is a transnational project financed by the European Commission, DG Home, European Integration Fund that aims at evaluating the impact of existing policies on integration in fostering the well-being of migrants involved in temporary or circular migration or in different kinds of transnationalism. The project intends to explore the existing links between the different kinds of circular/temporary migration and integration processes in European countries. Most European integration policies are in fact rooted on the idea of a long-term permanence of migrants. The logic behind these policies is to consider origin and destination countries as two alternative poles of the migration path. In recent years, many European Governments have regarded circular migration as one possible solution to the challenges posed by the integration of immigrants. In particular, circular migration seemed to provide the opportunity of a “Win-Win-Win approach”, i.e., favoring all interested parties: origin and destination countries as well as migrants and their families. The overall aim of the project is to evaluate the impact of existing policies on integration in fostering well-being of migrants involved in temporary or circular migration or in different kinds of transnationalism.*



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