

User Guidelines for the Online Library



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on Migrant Smuggling and Related Conduct

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The SHERLOC portal is an initiative to facilitate the dissemination of information for the implementation of the UN Convention against Transnational Organized Crime and its three Protocols.

Case Law Database

A comprehensive case law database that allows users to see how Member States are tackling organized crime cases in their courts.



Database

An electronic repository of the requirements of the Convention and the Protocols.

CNA Directory

A directory of competent national authorities that have been designated to receive, respond and process requests pertaining to mutual legal assistance, extradition and transfer of sentenced prisoners, smuggling of migrants and trafficking in firearms.



Bibliographic

An annotated bibliography of key articles that are searched using research methods and is under development and research on migrant smuggling.

(Account needed to access the Directory. For more information click [here](#).)

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User Guidelines for the Online Library: Annotated Bibliography

Welcome to the Annotated Bibliography on Migrant Smuggling and Related Conduct!

The annotated bibliography is a public resource that is useful for finding key articles related to migrant smuggling. The online database offers critical insight into the main arguments and structure of the publications, as well as the value added to the discussion on migration. UNODC compiled over 300 articles relevant to migrant smuggling, and in particular focused on smuggling of migrants around and out of Southeast Asia.

Sherloc allows users to search the publication summaries, provided by UNODC, and offers useful key terms that make generating specific search results simple.

Bibliography

The screenshot shows a search interface with a search bar containing the word 'migrant'. Below the search bar, there are several sections of search results categorized by search criteria. The results are as follows:

Search Criteria	Search Term	Number of Results
in Keywords	Profiles of irregular migrants	39 found
	Profiles of smuggled migrants	29 found
	Smuggler- migrant relationship	22 found
in Content	migrant	119 found
	migrant's	2 found
	migrant,	1 found
in Content	migrant-receiving,	1 found
	migrant-recruitment	1 found
	migrant-sending	2 found
	migrant-sending,	1 found
	migrant.	4 found
	migrants	110 found
	migrants"	1 found
	migrants'	13 found
	migrants)	2 found
	migrants,	26 found
	migrants.	37 found
	migrants/smugglers	1 found
	migrants;	1 found
	migrants'	10 found
	migrants"	1 found

Additional search criteria visible on the right side of the interface include: 'criteria x', 'na', 'year: 2010', 'tion from ports, @state.gov.', 'nation on with a', 'Show more', 'year: 2006', 'ugh the issue nizers of the', and 'Show more'.

This user guideline will go through the possible search options to help users identify sources that will be most useful.

Searching an article

Publication summaries can be searched using the single field search form, which will provide 'intelligent' auto completion of terms suggesting sources. The search term suggestion pop ups propose matching search terms and meta data fields indicate the number of hits to the right hand side; this grants the maximum space to search result details.

Bibliography



Another way to search the publication summaries is by selecting the search criteria from the tabs on the left side of the homepage.

The screenshot shows the SHERLOC website homepage. The logo 'SHERLOC' is on the left, with the tagline 'SHaring Electronic Resources and Laws On Crime'. The UNODC logo is on the right, with the tagline 'United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime'. Below the logos is a navigation bar with 'BIBLIOGRAPHY DATABASE' and 'SEARCH'. A dropdown menu is open on the left, showing search criteria tabs: 'Year of Publication (9)', 'Involved Countries / Regions (24)', 'City (24)', 'Publisher (37)', 'Original Language (4)', 'Research Method Used (5)', and 'Keywords (16)'. The main content area shows a search bar with 'migrant' and a magnifying glass icon. Below the search bar is a search result for 'migrant' with 151 abstracts found. The result is titled 'Trafficking in Persons Report' and shows a grid of country flags and names: Afghanistan, Cambodia, China, India, Indonesia, Lao PDR / Laos, Malaysia, Maldives, Myanmar / Burma, Pakistan, Singapore, Sri Lanka, and Vietnam/Viet Nam, Thailand. The year 2010 is displayed. Below the grid is a paragraph of text: 'The U.S. State Department's Trafficking in Persons Report is based on information from U.S. embassies, government officials, NGOs and international organizations, reports, research trips to every region, and information submitted via email to tipreport@state.gov. This email address can be used by organizations and individuals to share information on governmental progress in combating trafficking in persons. Meetings were held with a'.

By clicking on one of the search tabs, a dropdown menu will appear revealing the key terms that can be used to refine your search results. The more key terms you select, the more refined the search will become.

All of your search criteria selected will appear in the box under the label "Additional criteria".

Bibliography

Search Bibliographic Abstracts

Additional criteria:

- Research Method Used: Mixed X
- Keywords: Factors that fuel irregular migration X
- Involved Countries / Regions: Cambodia X

Found 4 abstracts [Clear all search criteria X](#)

The selected search criteria can be cleared by clicking on the x in the right corner of the search criteria. If you want to clear all search criteria selected so far, click on the button “Clear all search criteria”.

Remember, you can select as many criteria as you like to further refine your search

Search query results

Following the selection of your search criteria, the results of your search will show up in the order of relevance to your selection choices.

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BIBLIOGRAPHY DATABASE SEARCH

Bibliography

Search Bibliographic Abstracts

Additional criteria:

- Keywords: Concepts X
- Keywords: Human social costs of smuggling X

Found 63 abstracts [Clear all search criteria X](#)

Chinese Human Smuggling in Transit year: 2006

China

This book explores the phenomenon of Chinese migrant smuggling to and through the Netherlands. The purpose of this study is to provide more information on this issue through empirical research. The focus of the research lies primarily on the organizers of the smuggling process.

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World Migration Report 2008 year: 2008

Within the report's overall topic of labour mobility, this chapter discusses irregular migration across the globe. The chapter examines methods of measuring irregular migration, gives an overview of current patterns of movement across the world, and provides a survey of common policy strategies against irregular migration. Case studies from IOM missions worldwide are provided throughout the chapter. Statistics are taken from the IOM Global

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Afghanistan	Cambodia	China
India	Indonesia	Lao PDR / Laos
Malaysia	Myanmar / Burma	Pakistan
Singapore	Sri Lanka	Thailand
East Asia	South Asia	South-East Asia

You can scroll through the search results by using the scroll on the right side of the results. Sherlock provides a no paging, natural endless scrolling; this means that more results are retrieved automatically as the user scrolls to the end of the list.

The results will display the name of the article, the author and publication, the relevant countries and regions mentioned, and the beginning of the summary.

Basic Education for Awareness Reforms and Empowerment (BEFARE) 2009

Baseline study on illegal migration human smuggling and trafficking in Pakistan

Factors that fuel irregular migration Fees and payment for smuggling

Human social costs of smuggling Irregular migration Methodology

Modus operandi of smuggling Profiles of irregular migrants Profiles of smuggled migrants

Smuggling Trafficking flows

 **Afghanistan**  **India**  **Myanmar / Burma**

 **Pakistan**  **South Asia**

This report presents the baseline research required for the project "Promotion of Rights, Capacity Building Measures and Initiatives to Curb Illegal and Temporary Migration, Including Human Smuggling and Trafficking" (C-PRISM) in Pakistan. The research was to help fill the empirical research gap on irregular and smuggled migrants as well as trafficked persons; it provides information on estimated numbers.

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To view the whole summary and citation information, double click on the article. This will bring you to a new screen providing all details of the article, and how it is structured in the annotated bibliography.

World Migration Report 2008

Bibliographic Reference

Author: **International Organization for Migration** Publication Year: **2008**

Original Title: **World Migration Report 2008** [International Organization for Migration](#)

Involved Countries / Regions

 **Afghanistan**  **Cambodia**  **China**

 **India**  **Indonesia**  **Lao PDR / Laos**

 **Malaysia**  **Myanmar / Burma**  **Pakistan**

 **Singapore**  **Sri Lanka**  **Thailand**

 **East Asia**  **South Asia**  **South-East Asia**

Keywords

- Concepts
- Factors that fuel irregular migration
- Fees and payment for smuggling
- Human social costs of smuggling
- Irregular migration
- Methodology
- Modus operandi of smuggling
- Quantitative assessment
- Routes
- Smuggling
- Trafficking flows

Research Method Used:

Quantitative

Summary:

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To view the summary of the article without leaving the page, click on the “show more” button in the right corner of each article.

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Search Bibliographic Abstracts

Additional criteria:
 Keywords: Concepts X Keywords: Human social costs of smuggling X

Found 52 abstracts [Clear all search criteria x](#)

Chinese Human Smuggling in Transit

China year: 2006

This book explores the phenomenon of Chinese migrant smuggling to and through the Netherlands. The purpose of this study is to provide more information on this issue through empirical research. The focus of the research lies primarily on the organizers of the smuggling process.

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Clicking on the show more will prompt the summary while still displaying the other articles available.

Search terms available

Sherloc is designed to enable users to search for migrant smuggling related reports, collected based on key word searches, which can be further utilized by the user. There are a total of eight tabs available, which can be combined with each other to make specific articles easier to find. Each of the eight tabs has a dropdown menu to allow the user to select the search criteria.

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 - Human social costs of smuggling (56)
 - Irregular migration (210)
 - Methodology (9)
 - Modus operandi of smuggling (80)
 - Organisation of smuggling (35)
 - Profiles of irregular migrants (41)
 - Profiles of smuggled migrants (43)
 - Profiles of smugglers (24)
 - Quantitative assessment (20)
 - Routes (119)
 - Smuggler-migrant relationship (23)
 - Smuggling (175)
 - Trafficking flows (67)