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Interconnecting Histories and Archives for Migrant Agency





The European research project ITHACA investigates the historical causes, social transformations, and the political consequences of migration, starting from the experience of women and men on the move, through an interdisciplinary, comparative and transnational perspective.

ITHACA collects the narratives of migrants in the past and present in order to interpret them and make them available to migrants, scholars, associations, policy-makers and citizens living in Europe and beyond. To do this effectively, ITHACA is working on a digital platform that will contain an open access archive and digital tools such as apps for museums and cultural institutions.

ITHACA is composed by 11 partners – universities, international institutions and non governmental organisations – in areas of origin, transit and destination of migrants, from Africa to Asia, from Europe to the Middle East. Through a network of over 50 stakeholders, ITHACA involves migrants, researchers, archivists, workers of international institutions and non-governmental organisations, to move away from the view of migration as an "emergency", fostering an informed public debate and promoting new national and European policies of reception, inclusion and respect for human rights.







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