

2nd Joint Migration Policy Workshop -Towards sustainability and adoption
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The MICADO approach to Service Design and Social Integration

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MICADO Service Design & Integration

Challenges and Aims

Challenges

- Complex: 3 target groups (PA, CSO, migrants), 4 application areas (housing, labour, health, education), 4 EU cities
- Access to, and productive involvement of diverse target and stakeholder groups

Aims

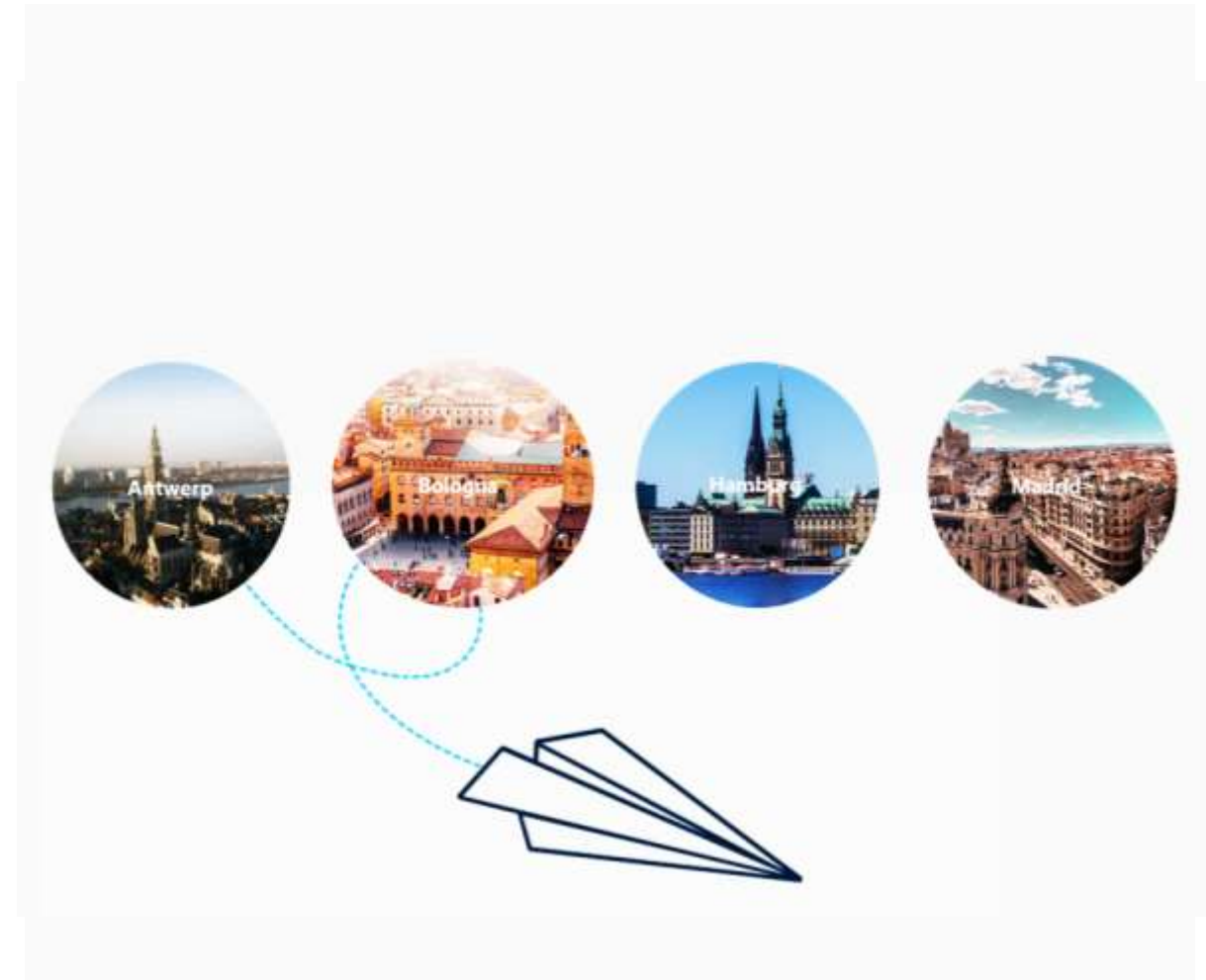
- Comprehensive collection, analysis and streamlining of highly diverse requirements from local stakeholder groups
- Creation of a unified solution / services that address key local demands and use cases



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Measures & methods

- Contingent organisation structure incl. Local Expert and Stakeholder Committees (LESCs)
- Agile co-creative process (design thinking) extended to IT service and platform development
- Parallel pilot application in 4 cities (2021) and feedback for responsive technical improvement of platform



MICADO Methodological Innovation

A New Co-creation and Convergence Process



MICADO Pagoda Methodology

Co-creative Divergence, and Convergence into MVP

Co-creation of demands and requirements

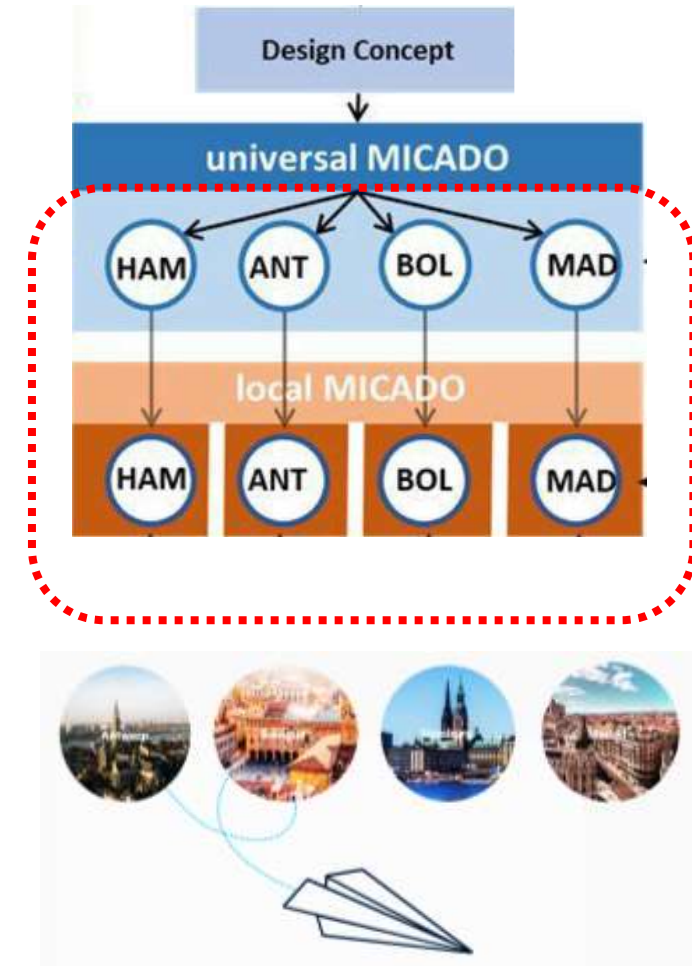
- Parallel collection of demands and requirements via LESCAs
- Formulation of Use Cases, User Stories
- Comprehensive Logbook for development

Conceptual convergence (universal solution)

- In depth assessment of Use Cases and User Stories
- Targeting requirement analysis to 1 universal solution
- Definition of Minimal Viable Product

Differentiation into local solutions

- creation of multiple MICADA in response to specific conditions
- embedding the solution into local organisational settings



MICADO Assessment of requirements

Priorising Use Cases / User Stories



Use Cases by Criticality / Data Availability

Priority	Description
0 irrelevant (for development)	These user stories refer to needs of MICADO's target groups, which are however described in a very general way (for example learning a language or finding a flat) and focus more on structural issues the app cannot (or only indirectly tackle). These user stories were broken down into more concrete user requirements and added with a new categorisation to the table.
1 debate	These user stories can be applied to technical features and are feasible from a technological perspective; however, they might require major changes in the application's structure or technological background. It needs to be discussed whether such adaptations should be done in order to address the specific user story.
2 possible	These user stories are achievable and doable, while not being part of the MVP (Minimum Viable Product). Therefore they can also be potentially dismissed.
3 necessary (MVP)	These user stories refer to the basic functions of the MVP, meaning that they need to be realised in order to create a working application. These stories have the highest priority and need to be addressed by the development team adequately.

User Stories by possibility / necessity for technical MVP development




MICADO Assessment of requirements

Cross-city Perspective

Demands of:



Develop a digital databank of all organizations, projects or available data regarding integration. An overview of all existing resources, counselling offers, locations and information, and likewise more general networking of all available actors		
Transversal	PA	
Provide a web-based version of the app, as members of public authorities are not provided with smartphones		
Transversal	PA	
Map the existing resources for migrants/projects by geographical location and by themes (e.g. language courses [education], vocational training [employment], legal counselling [legal]) to identify which are the predominant intervention areas and which areas seem to receive less attention from public authorities		
Transversal	PA	

	 critical	Antwerp Hamburg Bologna
	 critical	Hamburg
	 critical	Madrid

MICADO Requirements Assessment Logbook for Development



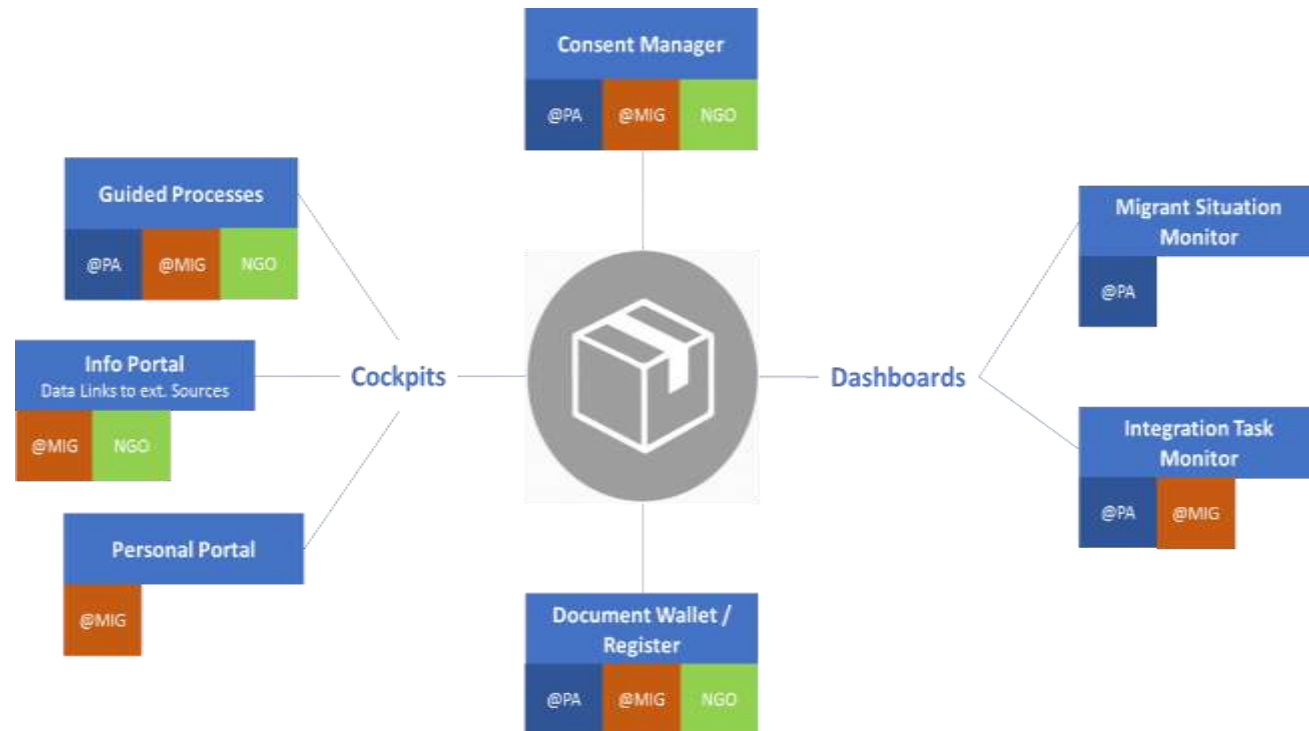
Workshop Handbook

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<p>Information should be provided in the simplest possible way. Conceptual and visual maps, avoiding long and excessively "legal" texts</p> <p>Transversal M/R</p>	<p>Information on rights and obligations as tenants. Sample of a contract with a simple explanation</p> <p>Housing M/R</p>	<p>Information on coverage of state-subsidized prescribed medicines for low-income families / information on eligibility for free treatment and about ways to obtain an exemption from payments</p> <p>Health M/R</p>	<p>Announcement board for users to promote events /Collect requests and offers</p> <p>Participation M/R</p>
<p>A glossary for each thematic area (terms/concepts)</p> <p>Transversal M/R</p>	<p>Information on alternative housing/ways to find a flat: cooperatives, social housing, student housing, bonds by friends</p> <p>Housing M/R</p>	<p>Advise on how to self-insure for self-employed migrants</p> <p>Health M/R</p>	<p>Include a tool that enables migrants to reach each other and engage with the local community</p> <p>Participation M/R</p>
<p>Data should be constantly updated</p> <p>Transversal M/R</p>	<p>Information about the requirements to qualify for e.g. social housing and government benefits such as rental subsidies</p> <p>Housing M/R</p>	<p>Information on which treatment or medication is paid for by the insurance and what needs to be paid by oneself</p> <p>Health M/R</p>	<p>Access to announcements of volunteer activities</p> <p>Participation M/R</p>
			<p>Information on free professional training and certificates offered by the Public Employment Services</p> <p>Education M/R</p>
			<p>Information regarding the most demanded employment sectors in the region, in order to guide their own formation</p> <p>Labour M/R</p>

MICADO Minimal Viable Product (MVP)


Universal Solution / Generic Services




 **Migration in figures**
Overview of local migration statistics


 **Migrant account management**
View and manage accounts

 **CSO account management**
View and manage accounts

 **Step-by-step guides**
View and edit step-by-step processes

 **Useful information**
View and edit information and services for migrants

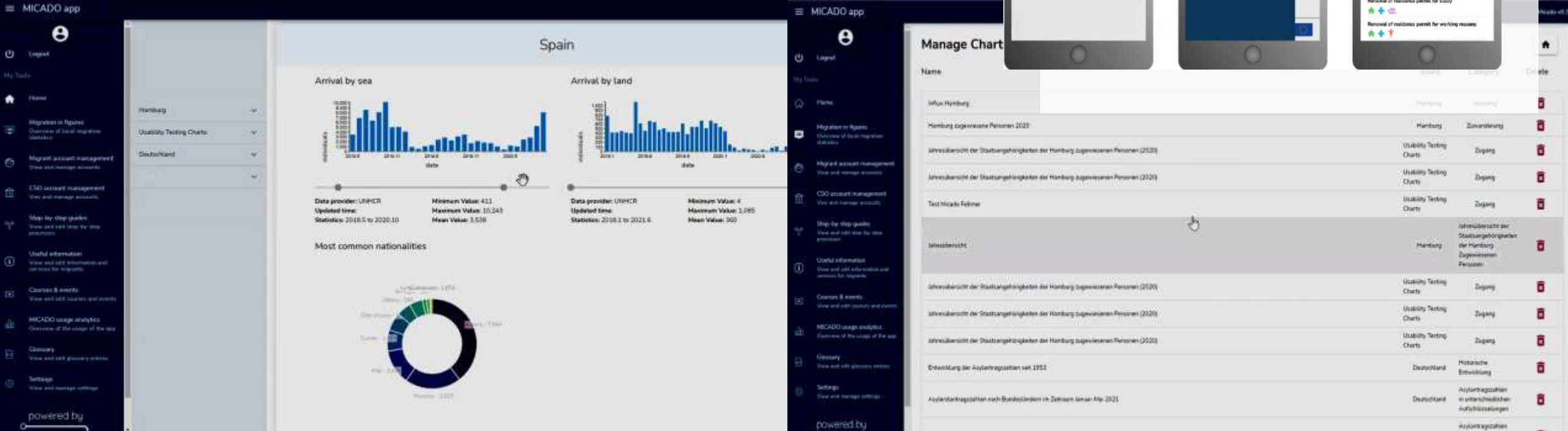
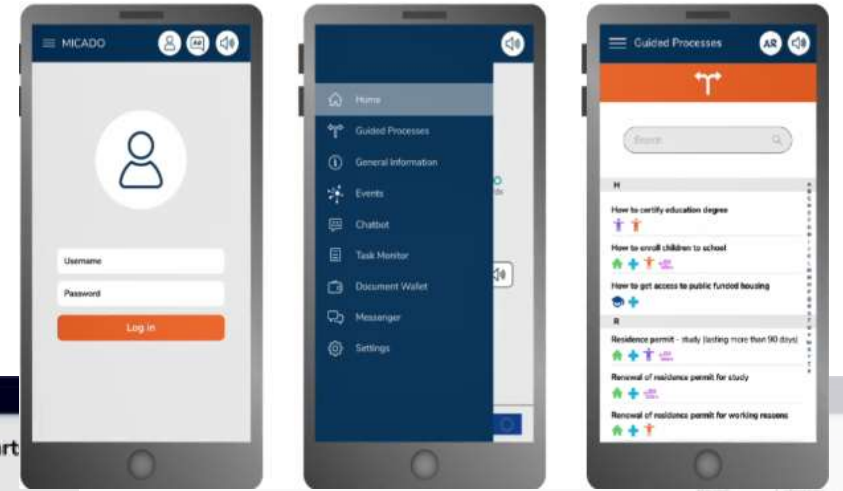
 **Courses & events**
View and edit courses and events

 **MICADO usage analytics**
Overview of the usage of the app

 **Glossary**
View and edit glossary entries

 **Settings**
View and manage settings

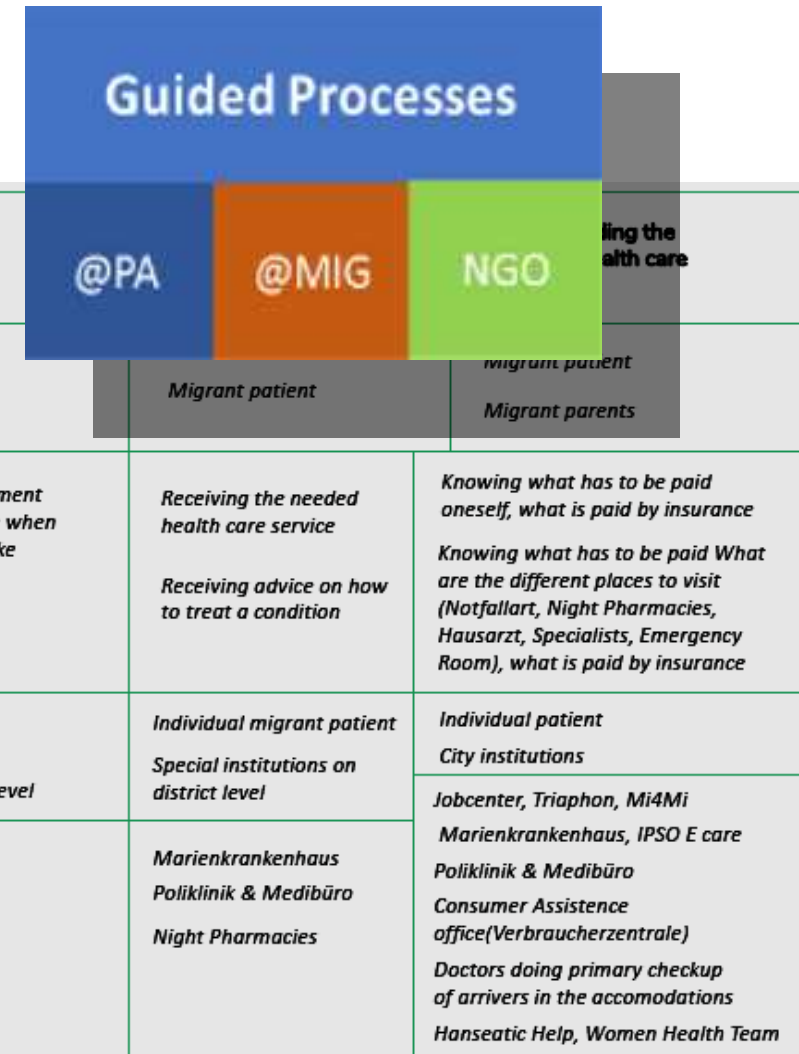
MICADO Universal Solution Platform launch January 2021



MVP component: Migrant Situation Monitor

MICADO Adaptation to local contexts

Local specification of services



Housing Bologna	Search apartment to rent	To Candidate for a social house	procedures for emergency housing	Health (Migrant Perspective)	getting an appointment	Receiving the needed health care
Main actors	Migrants Rent app agencies Online platform	Migrants ACER (Social housing institution in Bologna region)	Migrants Social services ASP (Housing transition)	Main Actors	Migrant patient Doctor's practices	Migrant patient Migrant parents
Goal as perceived by participants	Find the best housing solution available	Get access to the social housing paying a cheap rent	find a temporary solution in the shortest possible time that can mitigate the housing emergency	Goal as perceived by participants	Getting an appointment as quick as possible when in an emergency (like tooth ache)	Receiving the needed health care service Receiving advice on how to treat a condition
Level of organisation	Municipality level Digital level	Metropolitan level housing institution level	Metropolitan Level (metropolitan city of Bologna) Municipality level	Level of organisation	Individual/doctor's offices level Individual/patient level	Individual migrant patient Special institutions on district level
Stakeholders involved	Migrant social network Local community Association/third sector	ASP Social workers Association (Ex: Sunia)	Social workers	Stakeholders involved	Doctor's offices Hospital's emergency rooms Pharmacies	Marienkrankenhaus Poliklinik & Medibüro Night Pharmacies Jobcenter, Triaphon, Mi4Mi Marienkrankenhaus, IPSO E care Poliklinik & Medibüro Consumer Assistance office(Verbraucherzentrale) Doctors doing primary checkup of arrivers in the accomodations Hanseatic Help, Women Health Team

MICADO Adaptation to local contexts

Local-specific personas

User Personas



Men asylum seekers (sometimes also Dubliners)		
 Asylum seeker	 Limited knowledge and usage	 Bologna
Women asylum seekers (sometimes also Dubliners)		
 Asylum seeker	 Limited knowledge and usage	 Bologna
Women/Men asylum seekers outside of the reception centers (sometimes "Dubliners")		
 Asylum seeker or Irregular migrant	 Limited knowledge and usage	 Bologna

Guided Processes

@PA

@MIG

NGO

	Legal migrant status with low knowledge of the language, professional level. They normally have a job.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Access to a limited range of job Housing problem, in particular after family reunification Uncertainty about future due to the resident permit procedure
	Normally women who arrived in Bologna through the family reunification procedure. No knowledge of the language, low educational level, no professional skills.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Social isolation and fear Highly illiterate No knowledge of the country of arrival Work at home
	Young men and women arrived in Bologna when they were child or born in Bologna from a migrant family
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Subject to migration laws even if they born in Italy or they arrived very young. risk of being repatriated to a country of origin never seen before embedded between two cultures, that of origin and that of Italy, forced to act in the name of tradition or repudiated by families

MICADO Adaptation to local contexts

Local Users Sampling for Pilot Testing

Target group	Subgroup/personas	
Migrants*	Refugees and asylum seekers	3
	Female migrants	3
	Migrants living for longer than 10 years in the immigrant country	3
	EU migrants & other categories of migrants	3
	Total	12
Public Authorities	Directors and middle management (coordinators, team leaders, etc.)	4
	1st line social workers/advisors	4
	Total	8
NGOs / Local communities**	NGOs and any other organisation working for and with migrants	4
	Civil society organisations / Volunteers	4
	Total	8
Overall total		28

*For having a representative sample, each city has to have at least 4 migrants with a low level of formal schooling, and/or basic digital skills (within the total number of participants =12), and ideally 1 participant per language available in the tool.

** For having a representative sample it will be important to have participants from organisations of the 4 main topics of MICADO: housing, health, work and education

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Lessons Learned

Benefits

- Inclusion of all stakeholder groups' requirements
- concept integration towards targeted services
- Parallel development / testing across partnership / pilot cities
- Transparency and rationality of process


Feasibility and applicability

- Co-creation & convergence process replicable (handbook, papers)
- MVP gives focus, but excludes / postpone many use cases
- Feedback / -forward needed between migration researcher / tech developers
- Differentiation into / uptake of local-specific solutions yet unclear
- Qualified language translation is a challenge, needs strong efforts

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migrant integration cockpits & dashboards

