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## INVITATION TO WORKSHOP

17 March 2021 | 11h00-12h30

Via Zoom

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### **Underrepresentation of Migrants as Legitimate Voices in Europe**

The best way for host countries to both benefit from immigration and provide migrants with the best opportunities to thrive is to successfully integrate them in the host community. In turn, successful integration requires quality information regarding migrants' needs based on their own experiences. Yet, this process has been systematically hindered by the underrepresentation of migrants' voices in the media and in policymaking.

Therefore, Vocal Europe aims to examine migrants' lack of representation in the European migration debate, and the role of the media in perpetuating this, by holding this online workshop. The workshop is part of the Project TAS Thesis Antithesis Synthesis Migration Labs, which is funded by the Europe for Citizens Programme of the European Union, and is aimed at young people between 18 and 30 years old. After completion of the workshop, each participant will receive a certificate of participation.

We would be delighted if you were to accept this invitation by registering below. We remain at your disposal for any further information.

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## **The Program**

- 11h00            **Welcoming Remarks**  
**Ebubekir Isik**, Research Director, Vocal Europe
- 11h05            **Introduction**  
**Clara Ohayon**, Policy Researcher, Vocal Europe
- 11h10            **Discussion**  
**Assistant Professor Koen Leurs**, Department of Media and Culture  
Studies, Utrecht University
- Jérôme Gonnot**, Research Associate, Migration Policy Centre (MPC)
- Anca Mile**, Representative, ACTA Center
- 12h00            **Q&A Session**
- 12h30            **End of the Panel**