Guided by a knowledge mobilization strategy [https://bit.ly/2TfIJDU t](https://bit.ly/2TfIJDU)hat focuses on knowledge exchange between partners, capacity building and knowledge synthesis, partners in each city network have already produced numerous and diverse KM products. Space does not allow an exhaustive inventory of the partnership’s KM products so we have listed only the major products. A complete list of KM products including all presentations, media reports, theatrical activities and other products is available on the BMRC/IRMU website at [http://bmrcirmu.info.yorku.ca/km-products/](http://bmrc-irmu.info.yorku.ca/km-products/)

The complete inventory includes information about our initial experiments with non-traditional forms of dissemination such as a theatrical performance that took place at the Capitol Theatre in Windsor in January, 2018 as well as the ongoing efforts of the partnership to organize panel discussions, poster presentations, and workshops.

The scope of these activities is evident from the program for **The** **Resilience, Migration and Settlement: Knowledge Exchange** that took place on June 5 and 6, 2018 at the Ralph Thornton Community Centre, 765 Queen St. East, Toronto, ON that is available at [https://bit.ly/2OLGHI3.](https://bit.ly/2OLGHI3)

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