People on the MOVE

Globally, one in every 122 is now either a refugee, internally displaced, or seeking asylum.

UNHCR, 18

In 2015, 24.4 million people lived outside their country of origin. The majority of migrants cross borders in search of better economic and social opportunities. UN Population Fund, 2015.


Continuing the Conversation for Spring Semester

CIIE started this discussion during International Education Week with the installation and sessions entitled, Journey from Despair to HOPE. This semester the CIIE continues the conversation with co-sponsored events, Cultural Dialogues, and its Gerald H. Read Lecture Series. The data shared above helps us to ask these questions:

⇒ How do these data affect the children in the schools today?
⇒ How do these data affect the social agencies and medical issues for tomorrow?
⇒ How does this movement of masses of people change the new location?
⇒ With new languages and cultures in democratic governments, how does this movement change policies and practices?
⇒ Does my field of study address this worldwide phenomenon and its impact on my area of research?
⇒ Are we preparing our students to be ready to fully engage in this new global community?
International Leaders in Education Program secondary teachers help us understand PEOPLE on the MOVE and the impact on their countries. Refreshments are provided. All events will be in Room 200, White Hall, at 12:00. Flash Perks Available for Students!

Thursday, February 4, PEOPLE ON THE MOVE: Mexico and Brazil
Ana Maria Fernandes Alves, Ricardo Marques Jaco, Sandra Fonseca Cruz, Maricarmen Ruvalcaba, & David Lopez Gonzalez

Wednesday, February 10, PEOPLE ON THE MOVE: Morocco and Egypt
Rachid Meftah, Rachid Moussaid, Ayoub El Idrissi, Ramadan & Osama Abdelrahman

Thursday, February 18, PEOPLE ON THE MOVE: Senegal and Ghana
Propser Agordzo, Theophilus Appiah, Yamar Diack, & Cheikh Diouf

Tuesday, February 23, PEOPLE ON THE MOVE: Indonesia and The Philippines.
Dewi Susilawati, Fidalia Warid, Muhamad Ridwan Helmy, Kristina Nepomuceno, & Marlyne Villareal

Non-Profit Spotlight Speaker Series:
Illuminating the Way for Refugees & Immigrants

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