# ABA International Refugee Law Committee Weekly HOT TOPICS DIGEST 10 April 2017

# **NEWS**

**Vienna Migration Conference 2016 Publication**, https://www.icmpd.org/fileadmin/user\_upload/ICMPD\_ViennaMigrationConference2016\_ConferencePublication.pdf

ICMPD Working Paper 12: International Refugee Protection and European Responses, https://www.icmpd.org/fileadmin/user\_upload/Wagner\_Kraler\_VMC\_IntProt\_WP\_12\_15112016-FINAL.pdf

**Refugee Reception and Perception: U.S. Detention Camps and German Welcome Centers** https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract\_id=2942965

**To Help Syrians, Trump Should Let Refugees Into US** http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/immigration/2017/04/to-help-syrians-trump-should-let-refugees-into-us.html

**Refugee as a "Cringeworthy Racial Term"** http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/immigration/2017/04/refugee-as-a-cringeworthy-racial-term.html

A Perspective on the Vietnamese Community and the Cognitive Dissonance of Refugees http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/immigration/2017/04/a-perspective-on-the-vietnamese-community-and-the-cognitive-dissonance-of-refugees.html

**More than 6,000 flee fresh South Sudan violence into Uganda** http://www.unhcr.org/news/latest/2017/4/58e792134/6000-flee-fresh-s-sudan-violence-uganda.html

Europe's refugee crisis is making headlines, but Latin America's is just as alarming http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/immigration/2017/04/europes-refugee-crisis-is-making-headlines-but-latin-americas-is-just-as-alarming.html

**Pro-Life Attorney Named Director of Office of Refugee Resettlement** http://www.asylumist.com/2017/04/06/pro-life-attorney-named-director-of-office-of-refugee-resettlement/

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Litigation Documents & Resources Related to Trump Executive Order on Immigration https://lawfareblog.com/litigation-documents-resources-related-trump-executive-order-immigration

Frequently Requested Statistics on Immigrants and Immigration in the United States http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/immigration/2017/03/frequently-requested-statistics-on-immigrants-and-immigration-in-the-united-states-1.html

# **EVENTS/CALLS TO ACTION/JOBS/TRAINING**

The ABA SIL International Refugee Law Committee is calling for submissions on refugee and asylum topics for "The Refuge" Submission Deadline: Cut-off is the 20th of each month. Contact the editors at irlcrefuge@gmail.com.

**ASIL Annual Meeting, 12-15 April, Washington, DC** https://www.asil.org/annualmeeting

**E-learning: PROMOTING MIGRANT AND REFUGEE INTEGRATION** (3 May-13 June) http://www.hrea.org/learn/elearning/promoting-integration/

**Summer School on Global and Regional Migration Governance in Geneva** (deadline 1 May 2017) https://www.genevasummerschools.ch/programme/courses-2017/global-and-regional-migration-governance

**Professional Certificate in Strategic Migration Management** (15-19 May 2017) http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/immigration/2017/02/professional-certificate-in-strategic-migration-management.html

**Call for papers: 'Migration and International Law: Beyond the Emergency?'** deadline 15 April https://migreflaw.wordpress.com/2017/03/12/call-for-papers-migration-and-international-law-beyond-the-emergency/

**Call for Submissions: The 20th anniversary of the Guiding Principles on Internal Displacement** (deadline 31 July 2017) http://ilreports.blogspot.co.at/2017/03/call-forsubmissions-20th-anniversary.html

**Register for UNHCR Asylum Conference on December 5th** http://www.unhcr.org/news/latest/2017/3/58d2a7468/register-for-unhcr-asylum-conference-on-december-5th.html

KARAMAH welcomes applications for the 2017 Law and Leadership Summer Program from July 10th-July 28th, 2017 (deadline May 30, 2017) http://karamah.org/programs/law-leadership-summer-program/application-process

**Contemporary Challenges in Human Rights Conference, 17 April** http://www.law.ucla.edu/centers/international-law-and-human-rights/international-and-comparative-law-program/events/contemporary-challenges-in-human-rights-conference/

**THE BENACH COLLOPY ASYLUM SUMMER FELLOWSHIP 2017** (deadline 30 April) http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/immigration/2017/03/the-benach-collopy-asylum-summer-fellowship-2017.html

**University of Baltimore Law: Clinical Fellow Opportunities** (deadline April 20) http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/immigration/2017/03/university-of-baltimore-school-of-law-clinical-fellow-for-civil-advocacy-clinic.html

**Call for Papers: Lewis & Clark Law Review Immigration Symposium** http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/immigration/2017/03/call-for-papers-lewis-clark-law-review-immigration-symposium-.html

Immigrant Rights Attorney Position at Rutgers Law School http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/immigration/2017/03/immigrant-rights-attorney-position-at-rutgers-law-school.html

Center for Forced Migration Studies (CFMS) Summer Institute on Refugee Protection and the Rights and Process of (Re)Settlement (Aug. 1-11, 2017) http://buffett.northwestern.edu/programs/migration/Summer%20Institute/index.html

Barnard Responds to Syrian Crisis Through Creation of the Ann and Andrew Tisch Scholarship for Refugee Women https://barnard.edu/news-tisch-scholarship-refugee-women-2017

AMERICAN IMMIGRATION LAW: THE NEW COLOSSUS Texas A&M Law Review Symposium (21 April) http://law.tamu.edu/current-students/academics/law-journals/the-new-colossus

**SURVEY: Assessing the Impact of Recent Immigration Policy Changes on Survivors** (deadline 25 April) https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/S3MHS2C

**Fulbright-Schuman 70th Anniversary Migration Research Award** (1 Aug. 2017) http://lawprofessors.typepad.com/immigration/2017/04/fulbright-schuman-70th-anniversary-migration-research-award.html

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### MONTHLY MEETING SCHEDULE

Every 2nd Tuesday:

April 11

May 9

June 13

July 11

August 8