

European Patterns: Migration of Birds and People



2021



*Europe can you hear us
Love is calling from the bottom of the sea
You sold us your dream
You said we could be free
(...)*

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JAN





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*I'm standing on the country border
Looking back at my past
I see a little girl running through soft grass.
(...)*

*I can't see her now, it's only me on this quiet ground.
Crossing the border and entering my future
warm tear slips from my eye.*

*I crossed the line
Only leaving one tear and my past on the Croatian ground.*

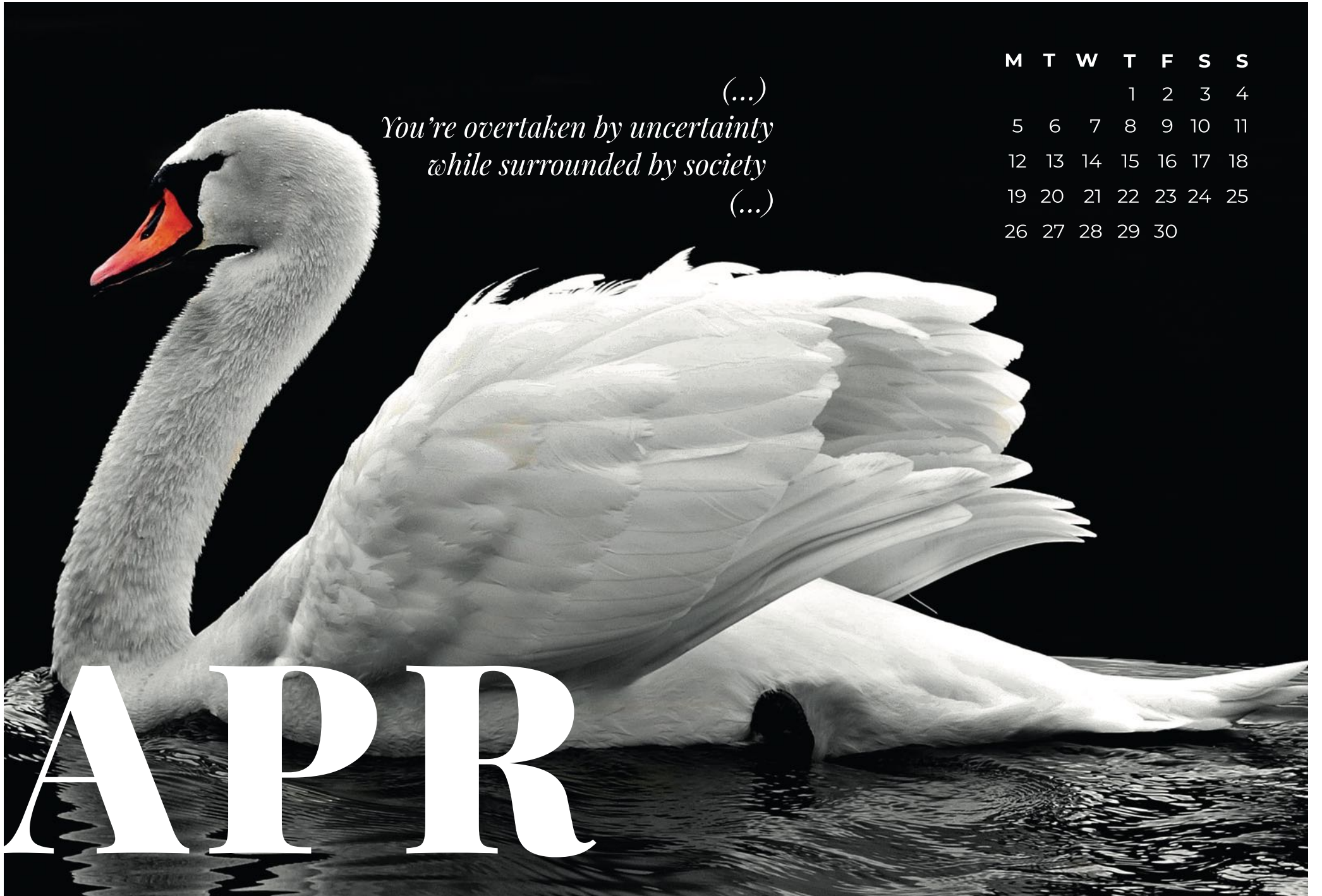
FEB

*Homeland
Can be
Attacked by terrorists
Therefore accept refugees in
Germany*



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*You're overtaken by uncertainty
while surrounded by society*

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APR

*Freedom was taken away
Or we just came here to earn a living.
Refugees or just people?
Energy is all we have.
Immigrants – that is what you call us.
General kindness can't be expected.
Never give up!
Everywhere present
Refusal and prejudices.*



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*What I carry
I carry tears in my eyes:
good-bye dad, good-bye mum
I carry soil in small bags:
may home never fade in my heart
I carry names,
stories, memories of my village, fields, boats
I carry scars from wars of greed
I carry my island sinking under the sea
I carry my hands, feet, bones, hearts
and minds for a new life
I carry my dreams
I carry my hopes
I carry my tears in my eyes good-bye mum,
good-bye dad*



JUN

*Refugees
Don't flee
From their beloved
Home countries without good
Reason*

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JUL



(...)

I believe that people who decide to emigrate should choose a country with a culture that they are able to live with as their own, whose citizens they would like to become.

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Windrush

*I didn't come here under a lorry
with bin liners over my head
so the carbon dioxide readers
cannot sense my breath
(...)*

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SEP



*I have spent
most of my life
away from the Polish country.*

(...)

*I didn't have a problem
to settle in
because I was
a very openminded person.*

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DATA SHEET

NAME	<i>Sergey</i>
AGE	<i>47</i>
PLACE OF BIRTH	<i>Armenia</i>
PROFESSION	<i>Doctor</i>
MARITAL STATUS	<i>Married</i>
FAMILY	<i>Two sons</i>
HEALTH	<i>Hepatitis C</i> <i>Anxiety attacks</i>
STATUS	<i>Asylum refused</i>
CURRENT ADDRESS	<i>Homeless</i>

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*My father lives in the USA;
he works there as a sailor.*

*(...) I think that migration has
good and bad sides.*

*If you have family,
it is important to earn money for them.*

*But on the other hand, I would like
to spend more time with my father.*

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