



EUROPAHUIS  
RYCKVELDE

THUIS IN EUROPA

# The refugee crisis

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Workshop Ryckvelde



## Part 1: Context

## Part 2: <sup>What?</sup> What does the EU do?

- The Convention of Geneva

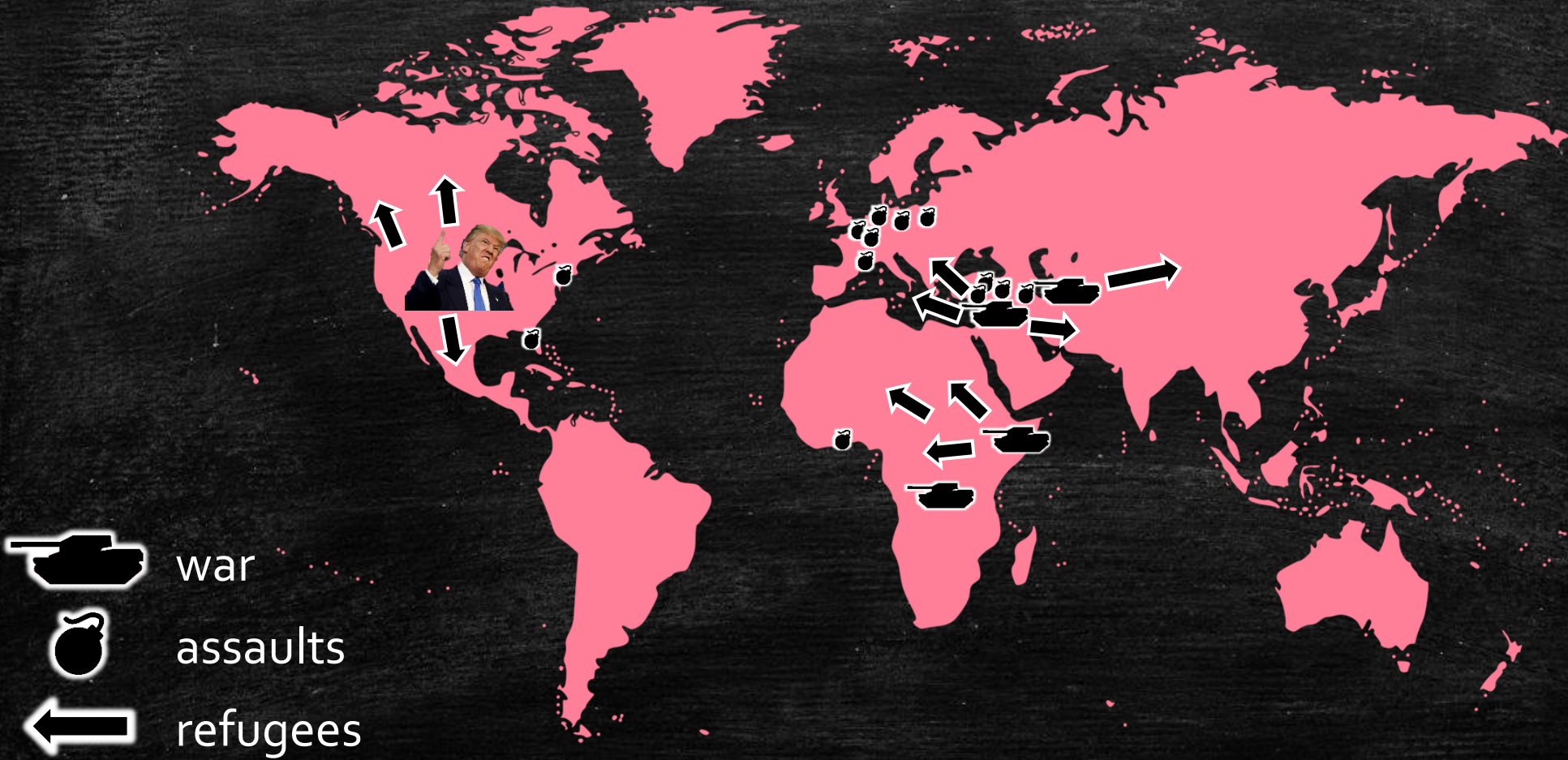
## Part 3: <sup>What's in a name?</sup> And the member countries?

- Why Europe and how do they come to Europe how do they do that?
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# Where?

MAP OF THE WORLD

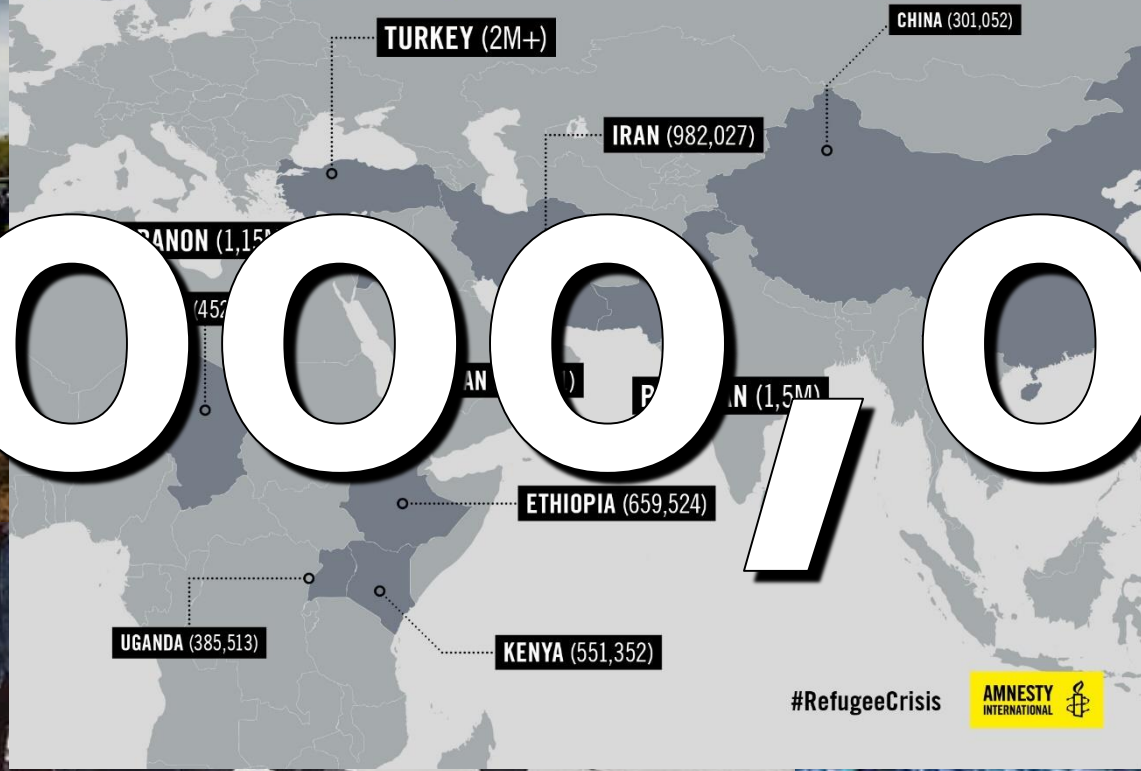




What?

65,000,000

**THE WORLD'S TOP 10  
REFUGEE HOST COUNTRIES**



#RefugeeCrisis AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL





First time in history?

MAP OF FRANCE





# First time in history?

CALAIS

World War I (1914)



Today (2014)





# Part I: Context

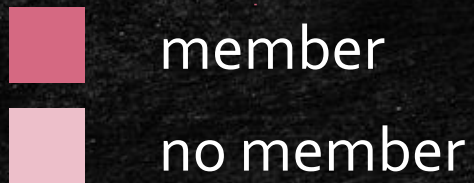
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# The Convention of Geneva

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**Almost 150!**





# Part I: Context

- What?
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  - What's in a name?
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# What's in a name?

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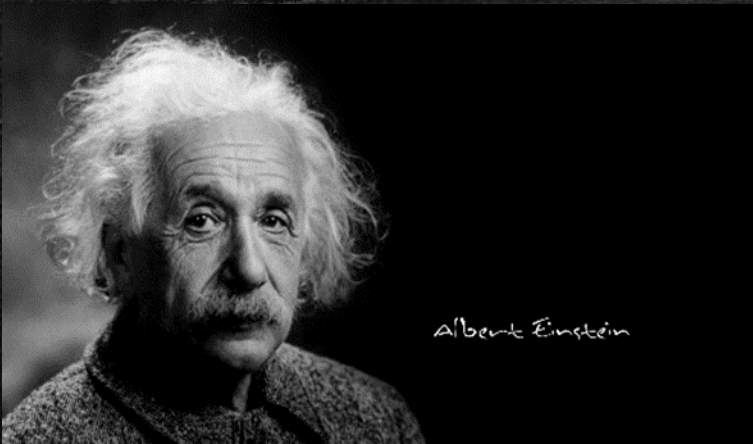
- migrant
  - ✓ leaves country
  - ✓ long period (mostly the rest of his/her life)
  - ✓ ~~Convention of Geneva~~
- refugee
  - ✓ flee to another country (LGBT)
- war refugee
  - ✓ are on the run because of war & persecution
  - ✓ temporary
- asylum seeker
  - ✓ asks acceptance to be a refugee
  - ✓ Convention of Geneva



What's in a name?

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MIGRANTS



Albert Einstein

REFUGEE



Edward Snowden

ASYLUM SEEKER



Mika

WAR REFUGEE



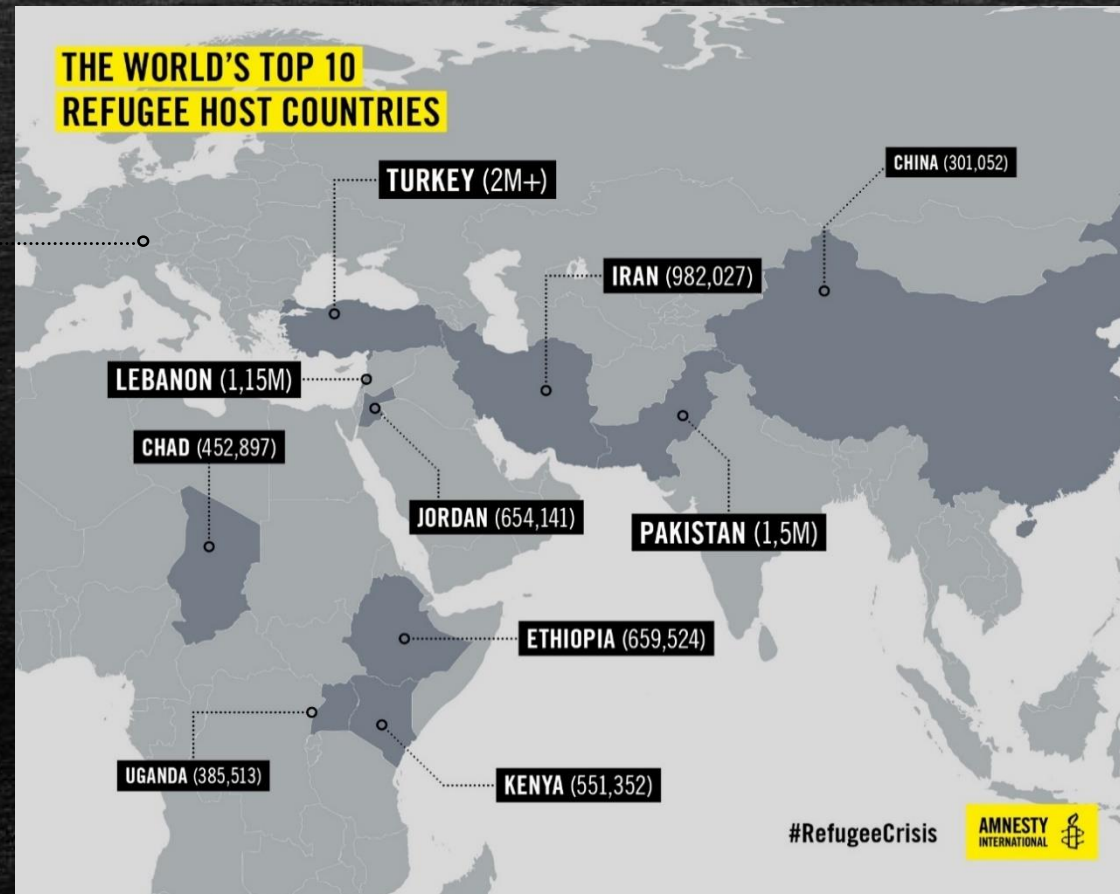
# Part I: Context

- What?
  - The Convention of Geneva
  - What's in a name?
  - How many and refugees come to Europe and how do they do that?
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# How many refugees come to Europe?

EUROPE (7%)





How do they come to Europe?

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**Why illegal?**



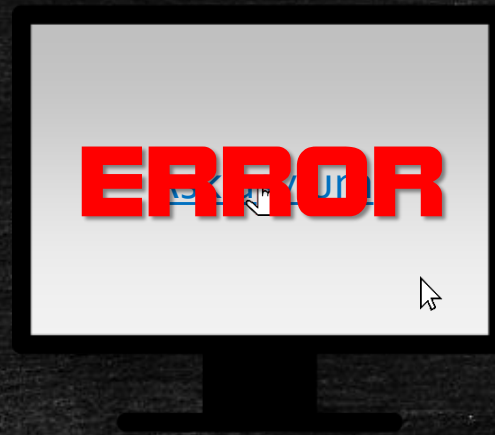
# How do they come to Europe?

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## EU BLUE CARD

THE EUROPEAN UNION WELCOMES  
HIGHLY EDUCATED PROFESSIONALS

- **Created to Reduce Skills Shortage:** All highly educated can apply for a renewable, two-year visa.
- **Targeted at U.S. Students:** Foreign-born graduates of world-leading U.S. colleges and universities will be heavily recruited to "go Blue."
- **Easy and Fast Process:** Application process will take 1-3 months.





QUIZ

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<https://play.kahoot.it/#/k/d9777fef-738d-48bc-ado5-1875dc69d122>





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Break!

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Part 1: Context

Part 2: What does the EU do?

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# Some common European rules

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- Minimum norms :

Bed



Bath



Bread





## Some common European rules

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- Refugees have **one chance** to apply for asylum
- **Shelter** = responsibility of country of arrival
- Common rules about return



# Crisis measures

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1. A temporary **distribution plan**
2. Revising **Dublin?** → a permanent distribution plan
3. A better fight against **smugglers**



## Crisis measures

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4. More border control by **Frontex**
5. Rescue operations **Titron** (Italy) and **Poseidon** (Greece) picking up refugees
6. Speeding up the **return** of refugees



## Crisis measures

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7. Deal with Turkey
8. Deal with 16 countries in Africa and the Middle East
9. Support countries of origin



Part 1: Context

Part 2: What does the EU do?

Part 3: And the member countries?

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Thank you for listening!

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