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ROMANIA WILL RECEIVE SUPPORT FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PACT ON MIGRATION AND ASYLUM. WHAT DOES THE HELP CONSIST OF?

Ziare.com, 01.08.2024

Romania will receive technical support from the European Commission to implement the Migration Pact, as part of a pilot project launched in March 2023. This support includes operational, technical, and financial assistance, aimed at more...

"TATA": DOCUMENTARY ON GENERATIONAL TRAUMA AND MIGRANT WORKER EXPLOITATION PREMIERES AT TIFF TORONTO

Jurnalul.ro, 10.08.2024

The documentary Tata, directed by Lina Vdovii and Radu Ciorniciuc, will premiere at the Toronto International Film Festival. It examines the complex relationship between a daughter and...

NEARLY HALF OF ROMANIAN YOUTH INTEND TO EMIGRATE

HotNews.ro, 16.08.2024

A study conducted by CURS between April and June 2024, commissioned by the Ministry of Family, Youth, and Equal Opportunities, reveals that nearly half of Romanian youth aged 14 to 35 express the intention to emigrate. The primary reasons...

See the full *Media Monitoring Report* on dim.politice.ro.

DIM'S ACTIVITY

MIGRATING INTO BOOKS

NEW BOOK REVIEW by Adriana Casandra CIOCĂRLAN-COLLIE

Zülfü LIVANELI. 2011. *Serenade*. Humanitas Fiction Publishing House. Translated in Romanian in 2021 by Luminița Munteanu as *Serenadă pentru Nadia*

EVENTS PLANNED FOR NEXT MONTH

- New podcast with the DIM Talks project;
- New book review.



M.A. PROGRAMME UPDATES

2024 **September** Admission for the M.A. Programme in International Development and Migration

Calendar:

- Online Registration Period: September 5-16, 2024
- Online Interview Sessions: September 17-19, 2024
- Announcement of Results: September 20, 2024
- Enrolment Period: September 23-24, 2024

Check out our website for regular updates about the admission process.

EDITOR'S CHOICE

The Limits and Constraints of the Refugee Convention

by Gabriela Roxana IROD

The 1951 [Refugee Convention](#) is the only universally applying legal document that establishes the status of refugees. It was written in the context of post WW2 Europe in order to offer a legal status for those forcefully displaced from their homes and ensure a standard set of rights that they are entitled to even across international borders.

Up until today, the Convention was modified only once through the 1976 amendment which removed the geographic and time constraints mentioned in its original format that only recognised as refugees the Europeans who were displaced due to events occurring before 1 January 1951.

This change opened the path for the 1951 Refugee Convention to become a truly universal legal document that is the cornerstone of the way we define and treat refugees today. Even so, an issue arises if we ask ourselves if a document established for the particular circumstances of post WW2 Europe can properly respond to the needs of the present?

See the full analysis on our *Editor's Choice of the Month* special issue on dim.politice.ro.