

Migrations in Our Common Home: Causes, Effects & Responses

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Selected resources on refugees & forced displacement

A. Legal Instruments

- UN, [Convention relating to the Status of Refugees \(1951\) & Protocol \(1967\)](#)
 - UNHCR, [Note on the Mandate of the High Commissioner for Refugees and His Office](#) (October 2013)
- African Union, [Convention Governing Specific Aspects of Refugee Problems in Africa](#) (1969)
- European Commission, [Common European Asylum System](#)
- Organization of American States, [Cartagena Declaration on Refugees](#) (1984)

B. Internal Displacement

- UN, [Guiding Principles on Internal Displacement](#) (revised Sept 2004)
- Inter-Agency Standing Committee (IASC), [Framework on Durable Solutions for Internally Displaced Persons](#) (2010)
- African Union, [Kampala Convention for the Protection and Assistance of Internally Displaced Persons in Africa](#) (2009)
- [Internal Displacement Monitoring Centre \(IDMC\)](#)
 - [Global Report on Internal Displacement \(GRID\) 2021](#)

C. Disaster Displacement

- [Platform on Disaster Displacement](#)
- Nansen Initiative, *Agenda for the Protection of Cross-Border Displaced Persons in the Context of Disasters and Climate Change* (Dec 2015): [Volume I](#) and [Volume II](#)
- UNHCR, [Legal considerations regarding claims for international protection made in the context of the adverse effects of climate change and disasters](#) (October 2020)

D. Irish Resources

- Nasc & CCJHR, [Beyond McMahon – Reflections on the Future of Asylum Reception in Ireland](#) (Dec 2018)
- Katie Coyle, [Overturned on Appeal: Why Well-Founded Asylum Applications Fail in First Instance](#), UCC Centre for Criminal Justice & Human Rights, Working Paper No.11 (May 2020)
- Niamh Collins, [Ireland's Refugee Deterrence Policies](#), UCC Centre for Criminal Justice & Human Rights, Working Paper No.12 (March 2021)

E. Academic Articles & Reports

- Guy S. Goodwin-Gill, 'The Language of Protection' (1989) 1(1) *International Journal of Refugee Law* 6-18
- Graeme Hugo, 'Environmental Concerns and International Migration' (Spring 1996) 30(1) *International Migration Review* 105
- Gilbert Jaeger, 'On the History of the International Protection of Refugees' (2001) 83(843) *International Review of the Red Cross* 727-736
- James C. Hathaway, [Refugees and Asylum](#) in B. Opeskin et al (eds.), *Foundations of International Migration Law* (CUP 2012) 177-204
- Haruno Nakashiba, [Clarifying UNHCR Resettlement: A Few Considerations from a Legal Perspective](#) (Nov 2013) *New Issues in Refugee Research*, UNHCR Research Paper No.264
- Dug Cubie, [New Beginnings: Insights of Government-Assisted Refugees in British Columbia into their Settlement Outcomes](#), Immigrant Services Society of BC (2006)

F. Other Online Resources

- [Forced Migration Review](#)
- University of Minnesota: [Human Rights Library, Asylum and Refugee resources](#)
- University of Michigan: [Law School Refugee Law Programme](#)
- UN High Commissioner for Refugees:
 - [Global Trends in Forced Displacement in 2020](#)
 - [UNHCR RefWorld](#) (refugee law database)
 - [UNHCR Ireland](#)
- European resources:
 - [European Council for Refugees and Exiles](#)
 - [European Database of Asylum Law](#)
 - [European Legal Network on Asylum](#)
- Irish resources:
 - [Nasc \(Cork-based migrant and refugee rights NGO\)](#)
 - [Irish Refugee Council](#)
 - [International Protection Office](#) (Irish Naturalisation and Immigration Service)
 - [International Protection Appeals Tribunal](#)
 - [Refugee Documentation Centre](#) (Legal Aid Board)
 - See in particular their publication: [The Researcher](#)