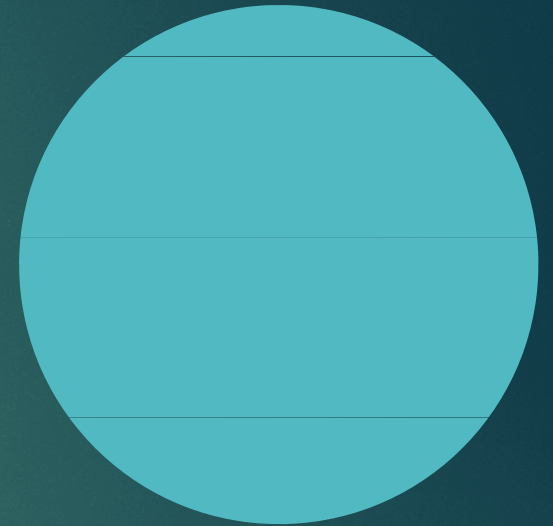
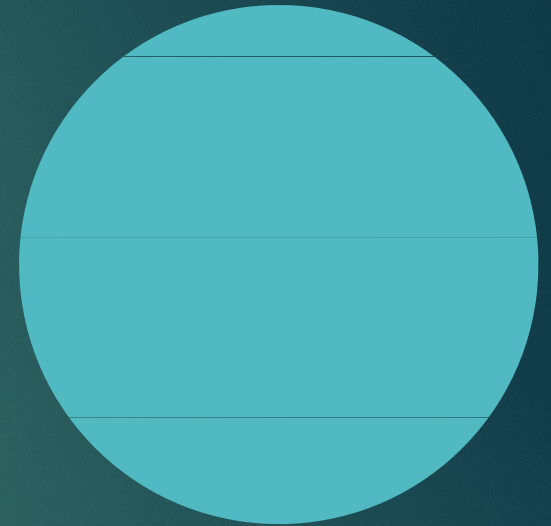


Refugees



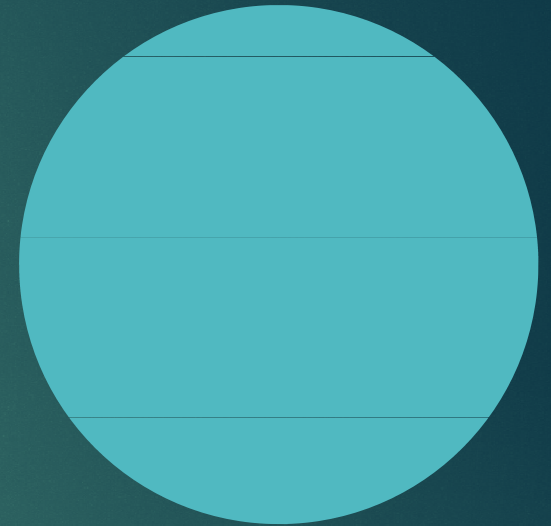
Terminology

- ▶ Asylum seeker
- ▶ Migrant
- ▶ Refugee



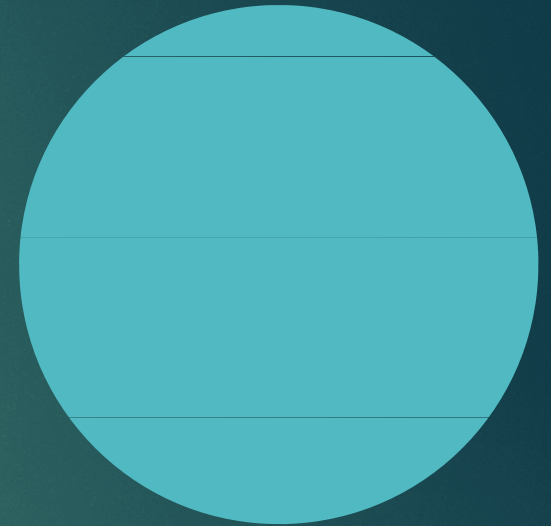
Reasons

- ▶ Military intervention?
- ▶ Instability not because of the intervention?
- ▶ Islam?



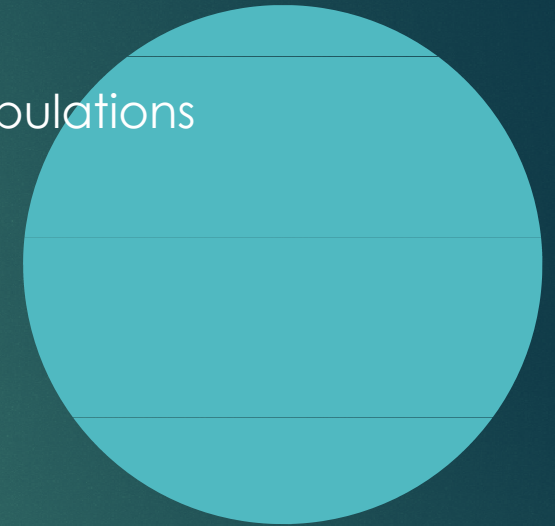
Why now?

- ▶ the ongoing violence
- ▶ the worsening of conditions
- ▶ the continued lack of opportunities
- ▶ geopolitical changes



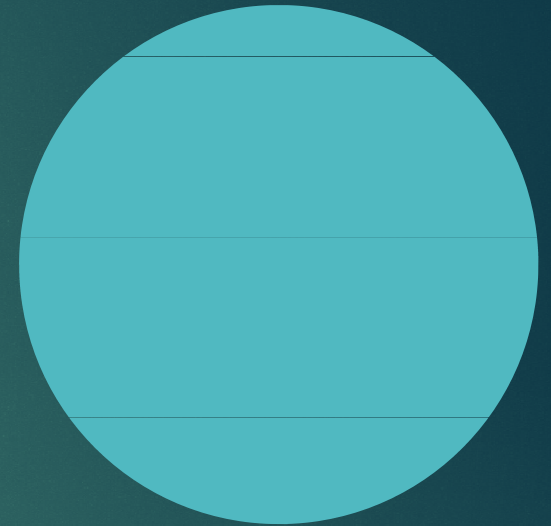
Why This Crisis Is So Difficult to Tackle

- ▶ focusing on the “care and maintenance” of refugee populations and with little focus on long-term, sustainable solutions
- ▶ no sharing with hosting countries in conflict regions
- ▶ territorially based national asylum systems

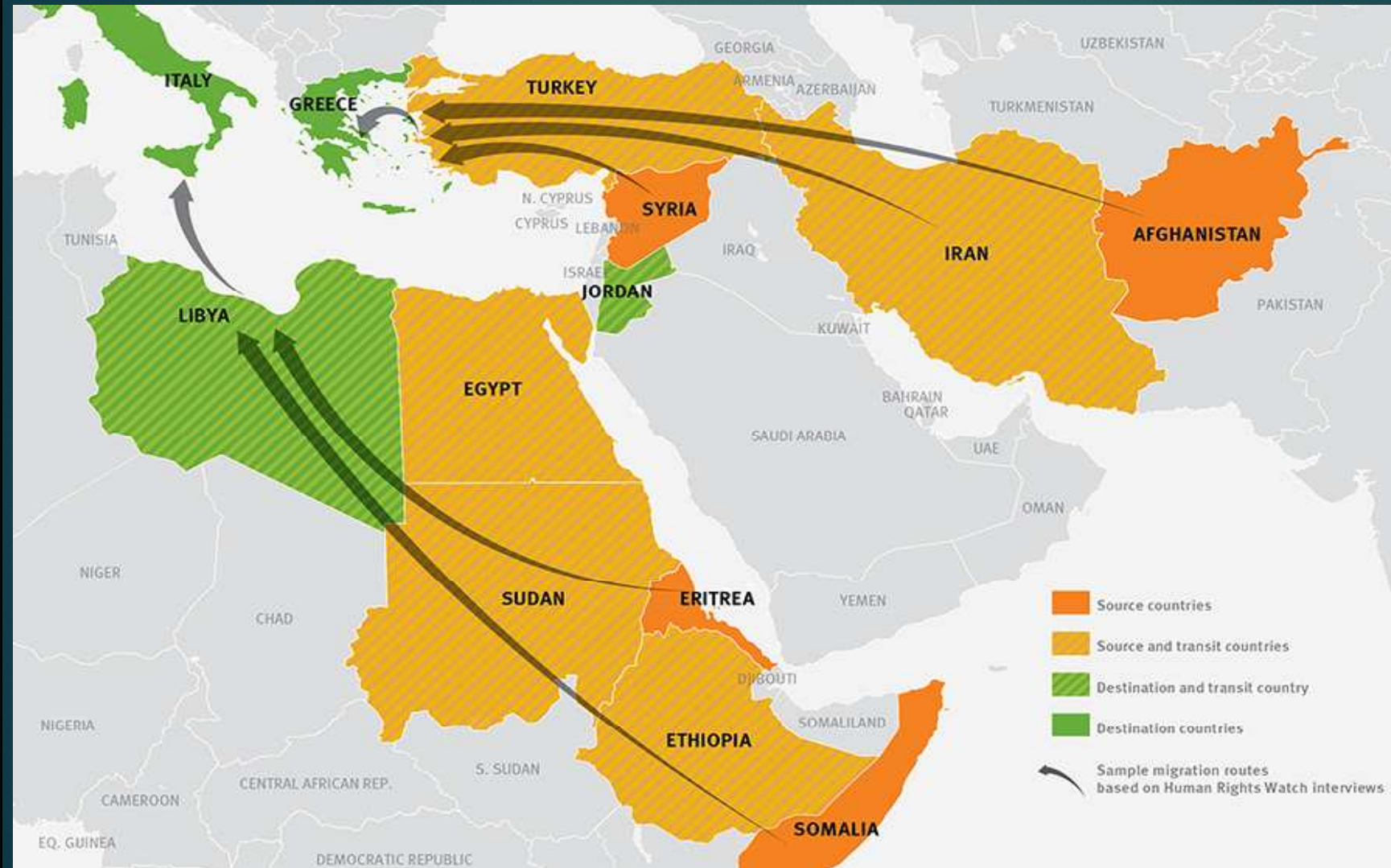


Main Routes

- ▶ **Central Mediterranean Route (Italy and Malta)**
- ▶ **Eastern Mediterranean Route (Greece/Aegean Sea)**
- ▶ **Western Balkans (Hungary)**



Main Migratory Routes

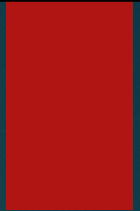


<http://www.businessinsider.com/animated-map-migrant-refugee-crisis-syria-2015-9>

European migrant crisis or European refugee crisis

The Schengen Agreement = internal Schengen borders are abolished.

Dublin regulation – who is responsible to examine an assylum application?





Germany

Sweden

2/3 of EU's
= asylum applications =

Syria

Afghanistan > half of total

Hungary

Iraq

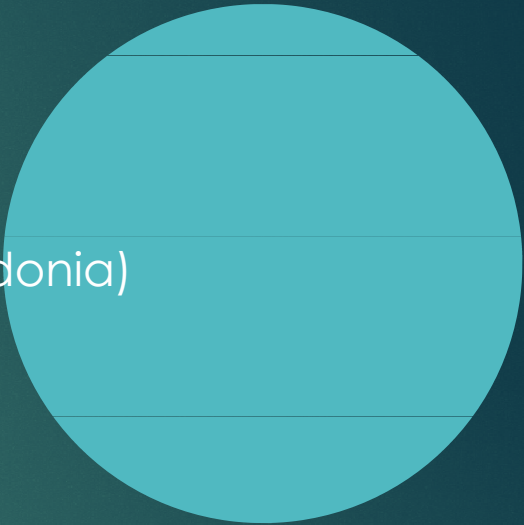
Austria

3,771 people were registered as having died at sea - 2015



Domino Effect of Border Closures



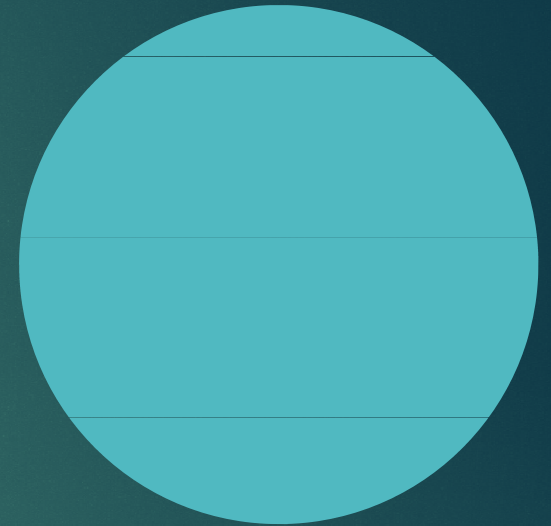
- ▶ 2012 Greek fence with Turkey
 - ▶ 2013 Bulgarian fence with Turkey
 - ▶ 20/8 2015 FYROM (Former Yugoslavian Republic of Macedonia) closed border with Greece
 - ▶ 16/9 2015 Hungary – closed borders with Serbia
– closed borders with Croatia
 - ▶ 11/11 2015 Slovenian fence with Croatia
 - ▶ 18/11 2015 Slovenia, Croatia, Serbia and FYROM – allow nationals from Syria, Afghanistan and Iraq
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Media

▶ <http://blisty.cz/art/79011.html>

Role of media in society:

- flow of information
- interpreter of information
- watchdog fiction





▶ To mark International Migrants Day on Friday 18 December the Ethical Journalism Network has published a report on media and the global migration and refugee crisis.

▶ The report, *Moving Stories*, reviews media coverage of migration in the European Union and in 14 countries across the globe and finds that journalists often fail to tell the full story and routinely fall into propaganda traps laid by politicians.

▶ <http://ethicaljournalismnetwork.org/assets/docs/127/166/e9f107f-311f4a6.pdf>



Vocabulary...

- ▶ <http://www.migrationobservatory.ox.ac.uk/reports/migration-news>
- ▶ <https://www.online.muni.cz/veda-a-vyzkum/6912-media-odlidstuj-migranty-tvrdi-odbornici>

Migrants in the newspapers: An influx of illegal, failed economic terrorists?

Social Media



- ▶ Arab Spring
- ▶ Migrants use social media to plan, warn and prepare
- ▶ Journalist use images, text and video to depict the plight of migrants
- ▶ The public use digital to galvanise support from citizens across Europe

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- ▶ <http://www.aljazeera.com/news/2016/02/macedonia-greek-border-faces-humanitarian-challenge-160228135807844.html>
 - ▶ <http://www.unhcr.org/pages/4ac9fdae6.html> - Camps
<http://www.unhcr.org/pages/4ac9fdae6-page2.html>
 - ▶ <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pfyaOAZ4pNI> 24 min