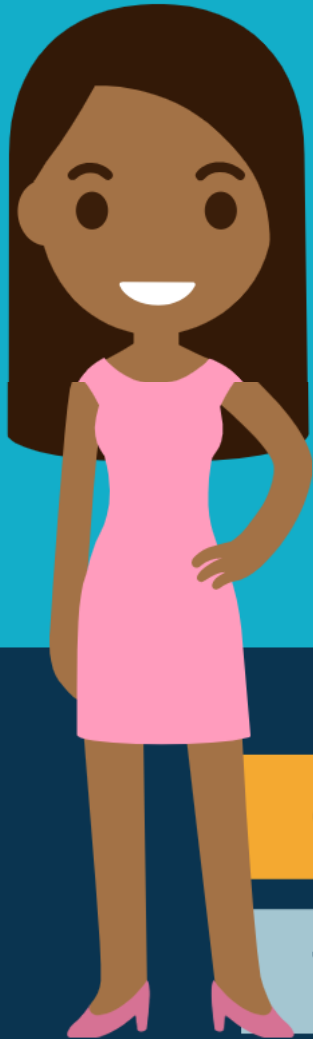


# THE AMERICAN DREAM - A REFUGEE'S HOPE

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Refugees fleeing from their home country where the state of affairs has become unsafe find solace in acceptance into the United States. Those who choose to stay in the United States integrate into the workforce in a variety of ways. With the increased acceptance of refugee or recently integrated people by business incubators, a higher percentage of this demographic can become more successful in their transition into life in the United States.



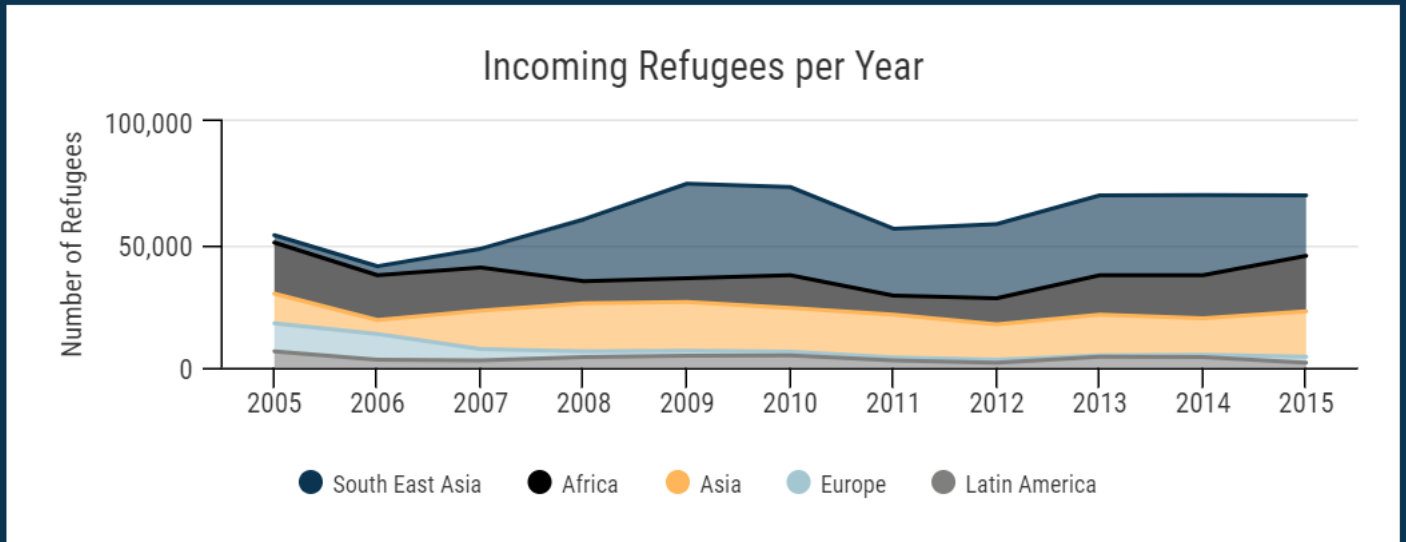
**14.5%**  
Of all immigrants are  
refugees

**63% of refugees** flee from countries in Asia

**72% of refugees** are between 20-50 years old

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The United States averages **50,000 to 75,00** new refugees per year.



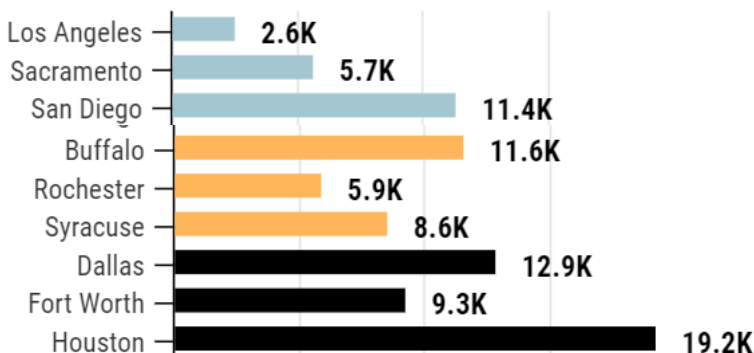
Refugees are given **authorization to work** and can apply for a green card after a year of residency. After **five years**, they can **apply for citizenship**.

Brandon Gaille states that **57% of entrepreneurs** are under the age of 44 and **29%** are between the ages of 20-34.

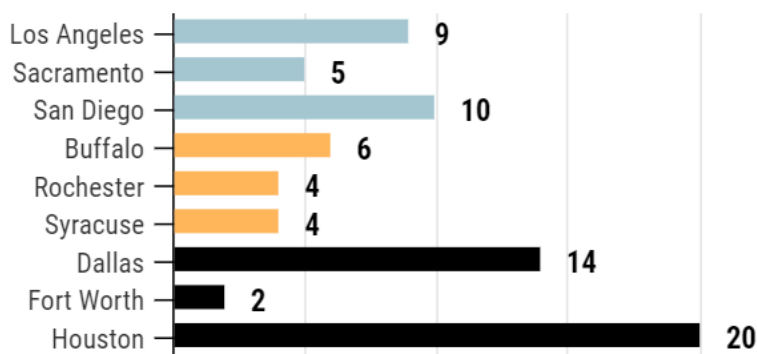
**1,400**

**Business Incubators  
in the United States**

Number of Refugees in Popular Cities



Number of Incubators in Popular Cities



California

New York

Texas



**Business Incubators** are a program that individuals are accepted to and devote time like a university.



**Classes** are offered to know how to **start and manage a business**



**Venture capital** for certain opportunities can **jumpstart new businesses**



**Work spaces** are often available to **begin businesses without having to purchase property**



**Business incubators** make dreams happen and **transform normal people** into **expert business-makers**



By focusing more acceptances by business incubators on **refugees**, more refugees can launch into the workforce sooner.

With **more refugees incoming** into the United States, **more economic flow** can happen the **faster refugees settle** into the United States and the **more education the refugees have to make smart business choices**.

For more information on **business incubators**, visit: <https://inbia.org/>  
For more information on **refugee resettlement** in the United States, visit: <https://www.acf.hhs.gov/orr>