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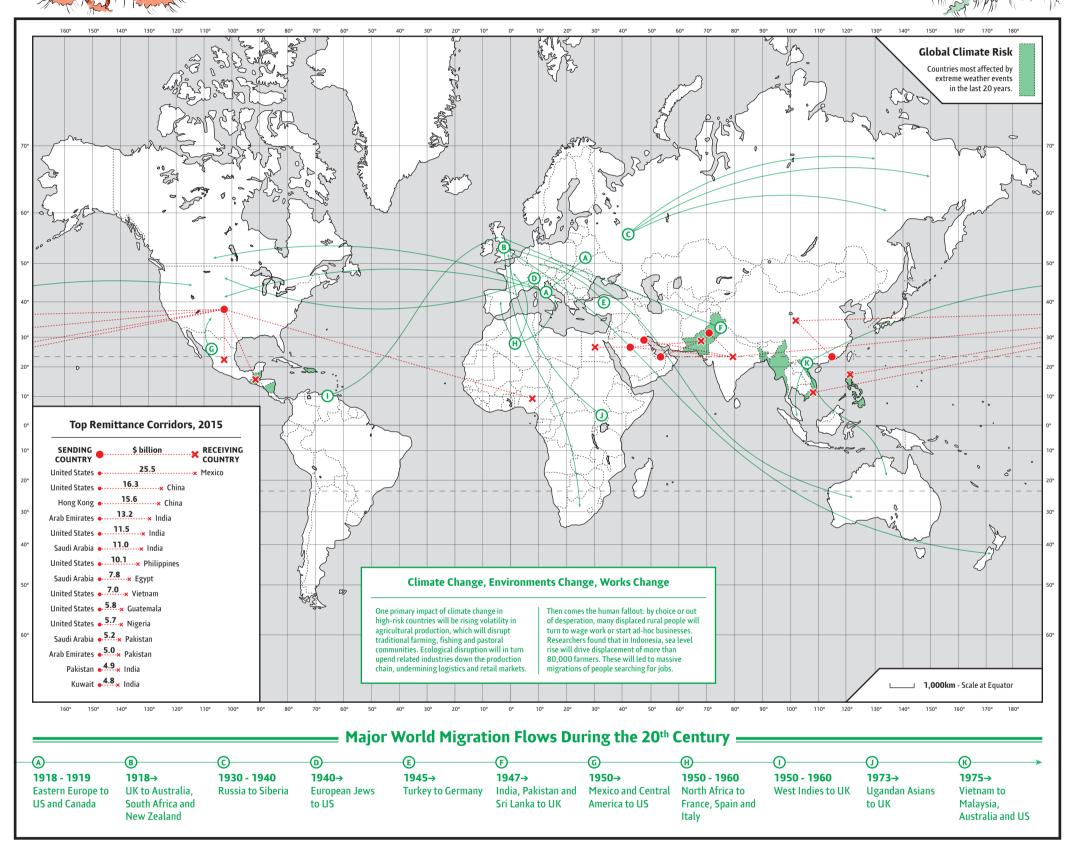


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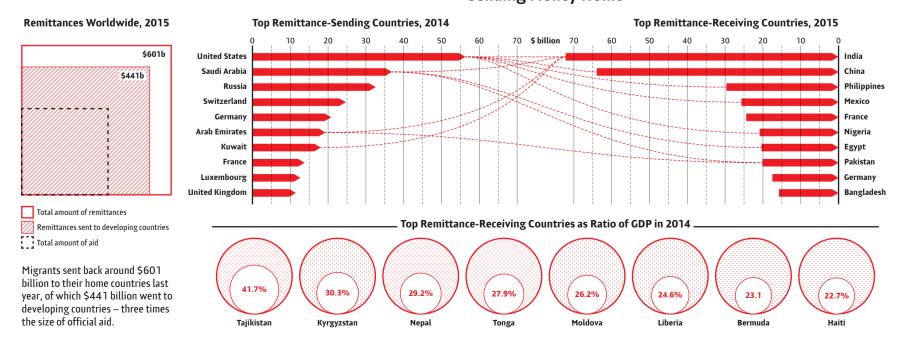
After we analyzed the shift of production centers from a country to another last week in **ISSUE 04**, let's now focus on the economic and social impacts resulting from the movement of human beings. By allowing workers to move to where they are more productive, **international migration** results in an increase in aggregate output and income. **Remittances** generally

reduce the level and severity of poverty and lead to higher human capital accumulation, greater health and education expenditures, reduced child labor and better preparedness for **adverse shocks** such as droughts, earthquakes, and cyclones. Diasporas can be an important source of trade, capital, technology, and knowledge for countries of origin and destination.





Sending Money Home



Globally, sending remittances costs an average of 7.37% of the amount sent. Cutting prices by at least 5 percentage points can save up to \$16 billion a year.

\$44.3b

Average Remittance Price

7.37%

In US Millennials Are **About to Leave Cities** As businesses and governments have struggled to understand the so-called millennials - born between roughly 1980 and 2000 one frequent conclusion has been that they have a unique love of cities. But there's mounting evidence that millennials' love of cities was a passing fling that became a shotgun wedding thanks to the Great Recession. Millennials don't love cities any more than previous generations, the counterargument goes – they've just been stuck there longer, pining for the suburbs all the while

Youth Displacement

University of Bologna

Asylum application students

academic year 2015/2016.

Refugee Camp

At the end of 2015 the graffiti artist Banksy has

created a new artwork

in the so-called Jungle

refugee camp in Calais

depicting the late Steve

Jobs, whose father was

in Calais

Syrian-born.

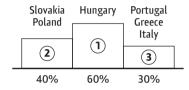
will be able to matriculate with

total exemption of taxes for the

While in Europe...

On average, 23 percent of Europeans aged between 18 and 24 years old are contemplating moving to another country to escape the financial situation at home, according to a report by Intrum Justitia, Europe's biggest debt collector.

Ranking by number of young migrants



Geneva, 30/03/16: Conference on Syrian Refugees

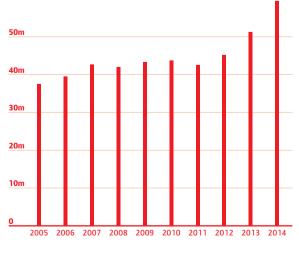
Only 6,000 places more for resettlement of Syrian refugees. The increase was modest bringing the total to about 185,000.

Worldwide Migratory Routes ~

Conflict, persecution, generalized violence and violations of human rights continued to cause forced displacement around the world. Fighting across parts of the Middle East and Africa, Asia and South America, millions of individuals are forced to flee either within or outside their country.

2014 saw the highest levels of global forced displacement on record: 8.3 million more people than the year before.

People Displaced by War



59.5 million.19.5 million of them were refugees.

At the first place for number of refugees there was Syrian Arab Republic, with almost 3 million of people.

In January 2016 the number has increased to **4.8 million**.

Syrian

Refugees

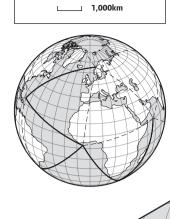
2012 2013

Registered Syrian Refugees
(Last Updated 16 March 2016)

2014 2015 2016 Syrian Asylum Application (Last Updated January 2016)

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Map: Airocean World by Jason Davies – in the style of Buckminster Fuller's Airocean World Map.



shows that immigrants started more than half of the current crop of US-based startups valued at \$1 billion or more.

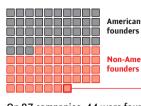
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Immigrants Founded

51% of US Billion-

Dollar Startups

A study from the National



On 87 companies, 44 were founded by immigrants. These companies are collectively valued at \$168 billion and create an average of roughly 760 jobs per company.

The study also estimates that immigrants make up over 70% of key management or product development positions at these companies.

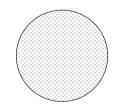
Toward Open Door Migration

In the US, in deindustrialised cities that are being depopulated, political leaders have launched pioneering initiatives designed to attract migrants: repopulating Detroit with Syrian refugees is a perhaps utopian yet generous and pragmatic idea proposed by American researchers.

50,000 Extra Visas

While Europe deals with 4 million Syrian refugees, in America the Gov. Rick Snyder (a Republican) asked the Obama Administration to use its executive powers to designate 50,000 extra visas to the Detroit metro area for high-skilled immigrants.

Welcoming Refugees



Refugees hosted in neighboring countries Jordan, Lebanon and Turkey 4,000,000 refugees



Refugees hosted in wealthy countries Europe 185,000 refugees

In the face of Europe's economic crisis and demographic decline (especially in Germany and Italy), which threatens to bring about a fall in the active population by 2030, immigration could be a real asset, helping to stimulate economic activity and to pay the pensions of the baby boomers. The migrants could find their place in EU countries, revitaling the economic and social life of the many small towns and rural areas abandoned. Europe's political community and society needs to bring a revolution in their way of thinking and to realise that the arrival of migrants, far from being a burden or a catastrophe, can represent an opportunity.

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Job and Immigration

The Minister of Immigration,

warned by his officials that

there's an increasing use of

of skill shortages

migrant labour in low paying

jobs despite no strong evidence

Michael Woodhouse, has been

in New Zealand

Bruxelles, 18/03/16:

Turkey-EU Agreement

The refugees arrived in Greece

sent back to Turkey.

after the 20th March have to be

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