This bibliography does not pretend to be exhaustive. It tries to identify some major publications and recent literature relating to:

- UNHCR's mandate and activities;
- Refugee protection and durable solutions;
- Refugee situations and forced displacement.

It also provides a list of core UNHCR guidelines and manuals relating to the protection and assistance of refugees as well as titles of academic journals and a series on refugee issues.

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GEOGRAPHICAL TERMS : Europe; Africa; Latin America; Asia

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GEOGRAPHICAL TERMS : Africa; Americas; Middle East; Asia; Europe

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GEOGRAPHICAL TERMS : Europe; Africa; Asia; Americas

Also available in French and other languages
Previous editions: A humanitarian agenda, 1997; In search of solutions, 1995; The challenge of protection, 1993

INDEX TERMS : refugees; asylum seekers; internally displaced persons; returnees; international refugee law; conflict resolution; mass exodus; settlements; human rights; protection; treaties; history; World War 2; flight; asylum policy; armed conflict; refugee camps; durable solutions; voluntary repatriation; humanitarian assistance; UNHCR; NGOs

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First published by the Institute of Jewish Affairs, New York (1953); reprinted by UNHCR in 1997

INDEX TERMS: refugees; CSR51; refugee definitions; refugee rights; refugee duties; refugee status; exclusion clauses; cessation clauses

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GEOGRAPHICAL TERMS: Europe; Africa; Latin America


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INDEX TERMS: refugees; internally displaced persons; refugee definitions; international refugee law; international instruments; international and national law; state responsibility; refugee status procedures; persecution; international protection; non-refoulement principle; expulsion; extradition; illegal entry; rescue at sea; asylum; influx; voluntary repatriation; resettlement; local settlement

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