



Now what?

Actions to continue remapping...

As you continue remapping the way you think about refugees and borders, here are actions you can take:

- Keep listening and learning.
- Use the [Borderstory](#) film in your classroom or with friends.
 - [Contact](#) Dr. Erin Goheen Glanville for classroom and community resources to complement the film.
- Do something with what you know.
 - Check out [these](#) practical ideas to get you started...
- Read a book, a short story, what great hearts and minds have to offer.
 - Here's a starter list of [recommended literature](#).
 - Ted Alden's book, [The Closing of the American Border](#), on the aftermath of 9/11 and the formation of the Department of Homeland Security, is still relevant.
 - The best book Ted's read on European borders is [Fortress Europe](#) by Matthew Carr.
 - Keep your eye open for Hassan al Kontar's soon to be released (May 2021) titled **Man@the_airport**.
 - Kristi recommends this short, powerful (and funny!) story [Borders](#) by indigenous writer Thomas King.
 - Chapter Four "Borders" in Pope Francis' recent [Encyclical Letter FRATELLI TUTTI on Fraternity and Social Friendship](#)
- Listen to a podcast
 - The series by RAICES called [Homeland Insecurity](#) brings the border story up to the present.
- Welcome people crossing borders for refuge and protection as friends and family.
- Volunteer with community organizations that welcome refugee claimants, privately sponsored, and government assisted refugees. Become a regular donor to support their ongoing work.

- The Canadian Council for Refugees offers its [list of member organizations](#) (sorted by Canadian province)
- Follow the panellists:
 - **Hassan Al Kontar** - known as the Man from the Airport, a former Syrian refugee living in Canada, and refugee activist ([bio](#) | Twitter: [@Kontar81](#))
 - **Efrat Arbel** - UBC law professor, examines legal rights in liminal spaces like borders, detention centres, and prisons ([bio](#) | Twitter: [@earbel](#))
 - **Kristi Pinderi** - LGBTQ+ Support Worker at DIVERSEcity and refugee advocate / activist living in Metro Vancouver ([bio](#) | Twitter: [@KristPinderi](#))
 - **Edward Alden** - American journalist, author, and the Bernard L. Schwartz senior fellow at the Council on Foreign Relations ([bio](#) | Twitter: [@edwardalden](#))
 - **Carlo Handy Charles** - Doctoral scholar researching migration, sexuality, and race at McMaster University and Université des Antilles ([bio](#) | Twitter: [@carlo_handy](#))
- Follow up with event organizers.
 - Erin Goheen Glanville (creator of [Borderstory](#))
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 - [Kinbrace](#)
 - Loren Balisky, loren@kinbrace.ca, Director of Engagement,
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