



AFGHANISTAN

MOBILIZING THE

GLOBAL LEGAL COMMUNITY



PILnet

THE GRF LEGAL COMMUNITY PLEDGE



Over **100 legal actors** have joined the **GRF Legal Community Pledge**

Mainly **Private and public legal institutions** - including global and local law firms, legal aid and empowerment organizations, bar associations, refugee law clinics, clearing houses and other entities.

In early 2021, **two Refugee Led Initiatives** – the Global Refugee-led Network – MENA and the Asia Pacific Network of Refugees (APNOR) joined the Pledge.

Co-hosted an **Urgent Consultation on Addressing the Legal Needs of Arising from the situation in Afghanistan** on 25 August.

URGENT CONSULTATION

- Over 250 legal actors attended to:
 - Better understand the legal needs of the Afghan community,
 - Better understand legal pathways available and being created across multiple jurisdictions,
 - Better understand existing referrals pathways and possibly to create or strengthen others.

The Asia Pacific Network of Refugees (APNOR), the Global Refugee Network (MENA), members of the GRF Legal Community Pledge, and PILnet are calling an urgent consultation on meeting legal needs arising from the Afghanistan situation.



Please join us!

WEDNESDAY, 25 AUGUST

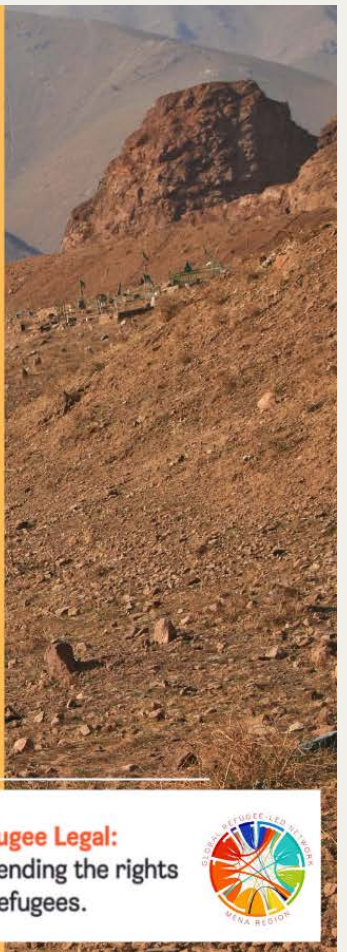
5.00am Los Angeles | 8.00am New York
2.00pm CET | 3.00pm | Nairobi 4.30pm
Kabul 8.00pm Hong Kong | 10.00pm Sydney

If you are unable to participate on Wednesday, but are interested or have information to share, please respond by email to: apnor.refugees@gmail.com and jsimperingham@pilnet.org.

In partnership with:



Refugee Legal:
Defending the rights
of refugees.



NEXT STEPS

01

Consolidate Legal Resources

- Work with partners (ATLAS Women / Fordham University) to consolidate country - level legal information.
- Promote information on a global platform.

03

Strengthen RLO and legal aid capacity

- Capacity building/training.
- Donor matching/Fundraising.
- Link to pro bono support.

02

Facilitate Collaboration and Coordination

- Map pro bono availability + referral pathways.
- Support development of collaborative pro bono projects.
- Create platforms for dialogue/coordination.

04

Support access to Legal Pathways

- Support advocacy for increased legal pathways.
- Build pro bono projects to increase legal assistance.

NEEDHELP

Submit a pro bono request at our
matching portal.

GRF legal community pledge

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PROMIDEHELP

Complete our [legal resource mapping survey](#) and receive referrals or help build or become part of a collaborative pro bono project.



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Forced Displacement

To help meet the urgent legal needs arising from the Afghanistan situation, [contact us](#) and take our [legal resource mapping survey](#).

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SUPPORT ACCESS TO LEGAL PATHWAYS TO EUROPE

- Join us to connect with women refugee led organizations and others advocating for safe pathways for women at risk.
- Discuss how the legal community can support these efforts and provide legal assistance to ensure access to safe pathways
- 1pm CET / 7th October 2021

CONNECTING & COUNSELLING

ENSURING SAFE PATHWAYS FOR WOMEN AT RISK

**7TH Oct 2021
Online- 1pm CET**

JOIN US!
Register [Here](#)

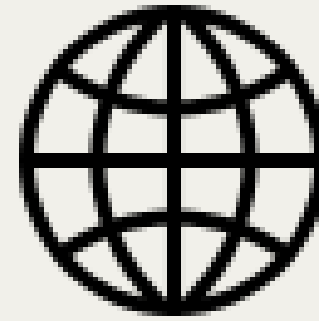
New Women CoNectors
for inclusion & social justice



SEEK **#NOTHING ABOUT US WITHOUT US** **#WITHUS #BYREFUGEES** **PILnet** **European Coalition of Migrants and Refugees (EU-COMAR)** **A Key For Inclusion** **GLOBAL REFUGEE-LED NETWORK** **Contact :**
<https://www.europeancoalition.org>
<https://www.newwomenconnectors.com>

OTHER WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

<https://www.pilnet.org/our-work/forced-displacement/>



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