

From Hate to Hope  
Changing the Narrative on Social

- 1) What does hate speech + disinformation look like
- 2) What are the social media platforms doing about it
- 3) What the UN, Governments, Civil Society and Community Groups are doing about it.
- 4) What about freedom of speech?
- 5) How does UNHCR handle it?
- 6) Our community management approach.
- 7) A crowdsourced solution? Backing each other up.

# Does online hate drive anti-migrant violence?

Research suggests a causal link between social media posts and physical attacks



German anti-refugee protest in 2018 © Martin Divisek/EPA-EFE/ReX/Shutterstock

Josh Jacobs SEPTEMBER 24, 2018

## Americans lack trust in social networks' judgment to remove offensive posts, study finds



## A new study found a link between the number of racist tweets and real-life hate crimes in 100 US cities



Twitter CEO Jack Dorsey. AP Images

# Civil Rights Groups Have Been Warning Facebook About Hate Speech In Secret Groups For Years

Facebook says its rules prohibit hate in secret groups, but it won't discuss how it moderated the offensive Border Patrol posts — if it did anything at all.

by Ariana Tobin, July 2, 7:20 p.m. EDT



## French online hate speech bill aims to wipe out racist trolling

Abuse on social networks pushes MP to draw up law that could be copied across Europe

Angelique Chrisafis in Paris  
06:00 Saturday, 29 June 2019  
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France's tough new law against online hatred aims to wipe out racist and homophobic trolling on social networks and could be replicated across Europe, according to the politician spearheading it as she faces daily racist abuse on Twitter.

## Newsweek FACEBOOK FUELED GENOCIDAL HORRORS FACED BY MYANMAR'S ROHINGYA MINORITY

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# FACEBOOK FUELED GENOCIDAL HORRORS FACED BY MYANMAR'S ROHINGYA MINORITY: U.N.

BY BRENDAN COLE ON 9/18/18 AT 11:42 AM EDT



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# In a private Facebook group, Border Patrol agents reportedly joked about dead migrants

An investigation by ProPublica uncovered the private Facebook group, in which Border Patrol agents reportedly posted racist and sexist memes.

By German Lopez | @germanlopez | german.lopez@vox.com | Jul 2, 2019, 11:20am EDT





NEWS RELEASE

# Hate Speech on Twitter Predicts Frequency of Real-life Hate Crimes

**Jun 24, 2019**

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NYU researchers turn to artificial intelligence to show the links between online hate and offline violence in 100 cities

According to a first-of-its-kind study, cities with a higher incidence of a certain kind of racist tweets reported more actual hate crimes related to race, ethnicity, and national origin.

A New York University research team analyzed the location and linguistic features of 532 million tweets published between 2011 and 2016. They trained a machine learning model – one form of artificial intelligence – to identify and analyze two types of tweets: those that are targeted – directly espousing discriminatory views – and those that are self-narrative –



## When Rohingya Refugees Fled to India, Hate on Facebook Followed



“Many groups demonized us on Facebook and WhatsApp, and they succeeded in whipping up a strong anti-Rohingya passion,” said Mohammad Salim, a Rohingya refugee in West Bengal, India. [Shaikh Azizur Rahman](#)

By [Vindu Goel](#) and [Shaikh Azizur Rahman](#)

June 14, 2019



# Facebook: We didn't do enough to prevent Myanmar violence



By [Euan McKirdy](#), CNN

Updated 1649 GMT (0049 HKT) November 6, 2018



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Nancy Pelosi called Trump Friday night asking him to call off ICE raids

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Rohingya refugees



What these Rohingya



Who are the Rohingya



Islamophobia on the rise



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# Social media saved Saudi asylum seeker Rahaf Mohammed. Now, it's become a 'minefield' of online threats.

By Fatima Syed in News, Politics | January 15th 2019



Following

## Rahaf Mohammed رَهف محمد

@rahaf84427714

Don't let anyone break your wings, you're free. fight and get your RIGHTS!

📍 Ontario, Canada 📍 Born 11 March

📅 Joined January 2019

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Rahaf Mohammed رَهف محمد @ra... · 2d ▾

Happy Canada Day to all Canadians 🇨🇦 ❤️

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❤️ 1,738



Rahaf Mohammed رَهف محمد @ra... · 3d ▾

When someone says Saudi women have rights

👤 taye ❤️ @ayinsane · 25/06/2019

me in public thinking about how much i want to go home



**BBC News**  
10 June at 20:51 · 🌐

'I spend three hours a day on Facebook fighting hate.'



**BBC NEWS**

[About This Website](#)

BBC.COM

**The people trying to make Facebook a nicer place**

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**STOP Funding HATE**  
10 June at 13:12 · 🌐

Guest post: Get the Trolls Out – A European Campaign to Tackle Hate Speech in Online and Conventional Media



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**Facebook fined \$2.3 million for violating Germany's hate speech law**

Germany's Federal Office of Justice alleges that Facebook under-reported complaints about illegal content.

**BY QUEENIE WONG** 🇺🇸  
JULY 2, 2019 5:35 PM PDT

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NATIONAL NSW COURTS

**Media companies liable for Facebook comments made by others, court finds**

By **Georgina Mitchell** and **Michaela Whitbourn**  
June 24, 2019 – 4:24pm

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A NSW Supreme Court judge has found media organisations are liable for allegedly defamatory comments made by third parties on their public Facebook pages, in a decision branded "ridiculous" and "out of step" with other English-speaking democracies.

**HOPE** HOPE not hate · 📺 Follow  
**Matthew Collins**: "If you're on social media and you see something that is encouraging..."

**Matthew Collins on Social**

LIVE Central London



Clip: BBC news

**FAR-RIGHT EXTREMISM**  
Concern over far-right threat following New Zealand attack

**BBC NEWS 17:41** OF COMMONS JOHN BERCOV HAS WARNED THE GOV...

**We have a responsibility, and social media companies**

-1:04 ⚙️ 🔊

# NETZ-DG

Germany's new law (Jan 2019) to prevent hate speech on social media.

Applies to any social media company with more than 2 million followers.

They are legally obliged to take action on any complaint / report within 24 hours.

Fines can be \$\$\$\$\$

Controversial - having an impact on satirists, comedians, freedom of speech.

One to watch...



# Facebook's definition of 'hate speech'

“We define hate speech as a **direct attack** on people based on what we call **protected characteristics** – **race, ethnicity, national origin, religious affiliation, sexual orientation, caste, sex, gender, gender identity and serious disease or disability.**

We also provide some protections for **immigration status.**

We define "attack" as **violent or dehumanising speech, statements of inferiority**, or calls for **exclusion or segregation.** We separate attacks into three tiers of severity.”

# Don't say ~~'Fake News'~~

- **Mis-information** is the kind of false information disseminated online by people who **don't have a harmful intent**.
- **Dis-information** is false information created and shared by people with **harmful intent**. False news reports around political candidates around some elections fall into this category, and so does their social media amplification from malicious accounts.
- **Mal-information** is the sharing of "genuine" information with the intent to cause harm. That includes some types of leaks, harassment and hate speech online.



# Disinformation + Misinformation

Dealing with ~~fake news~~ is a challenge. But what is possibly even more challenging is dealing with distorted news, that contain elements of truth

 **X TanteWaileka KAG2020 X**  
@geekiestwoman

George Soros gave \$500 million to the UN for their 'refugee credit card' program. They do it in EU and ALSO in CENTRAL AMERICA. In both areas, the goal of SOROS & UN is to DESTROY DEMOCRATIC SOCIETIES & PUSH SOCIALISM (proof we don't learn from history)



UN, EU and Soros provide migrants with prepaid debit cards to fund their trip to and through Eu...  
voiceofeuropa.com

**Misinformation** exploits a basic emotion: fear.

In particular about their own safety and that of the people they love.

- Claire Wardle, FirstDraftNews

**SATIRE OR PARODY**

No intention to cause harm but has potential to fool

**MISLEADING CONTENT**

Misleading use of information to frame an issue or individual

**IMPOSTER CONTENT**

When genuine sources are impersonated

**FABRICATED CONTENT**

New content is 100% false, designed to deceive and do harm

**FALSE CONNECTION**

When headlines, visuals or captions don't support the content

**FALSE CONTEXT**

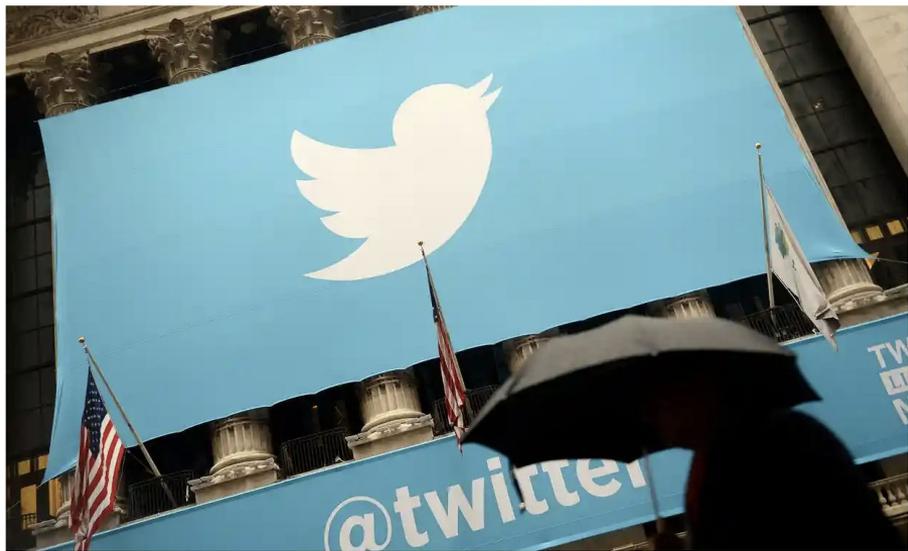
When genuine content is shared with false contextual information

**MANIPULATED CONTENT**

When genuine information or imagery is manipulated to deceive

# The Trump rule? World leaders that violate Twitter rules will get warning label

Move is a shift in efforts to balance its ideological commitment to free expression with rules against harassment and hate speech



▲ Policy will apply to government officials, candidates for elected office, and those who appear likely to assume a government official if they have more than 100,000 followers. Photograph: Emmanuel Dunand/AFP/Getty Images



BBC News  
18 December 2017 · 🌐

Twitter suspends accounts of two leaders of far-right party Britain First, shortly after revising hate speech rules.



Tweets	Following	Followers	Likes
112	5,395	29.7K	158

**Britain First**  
@BritainFirstHQ

Tweets   Tweets & replies   Media

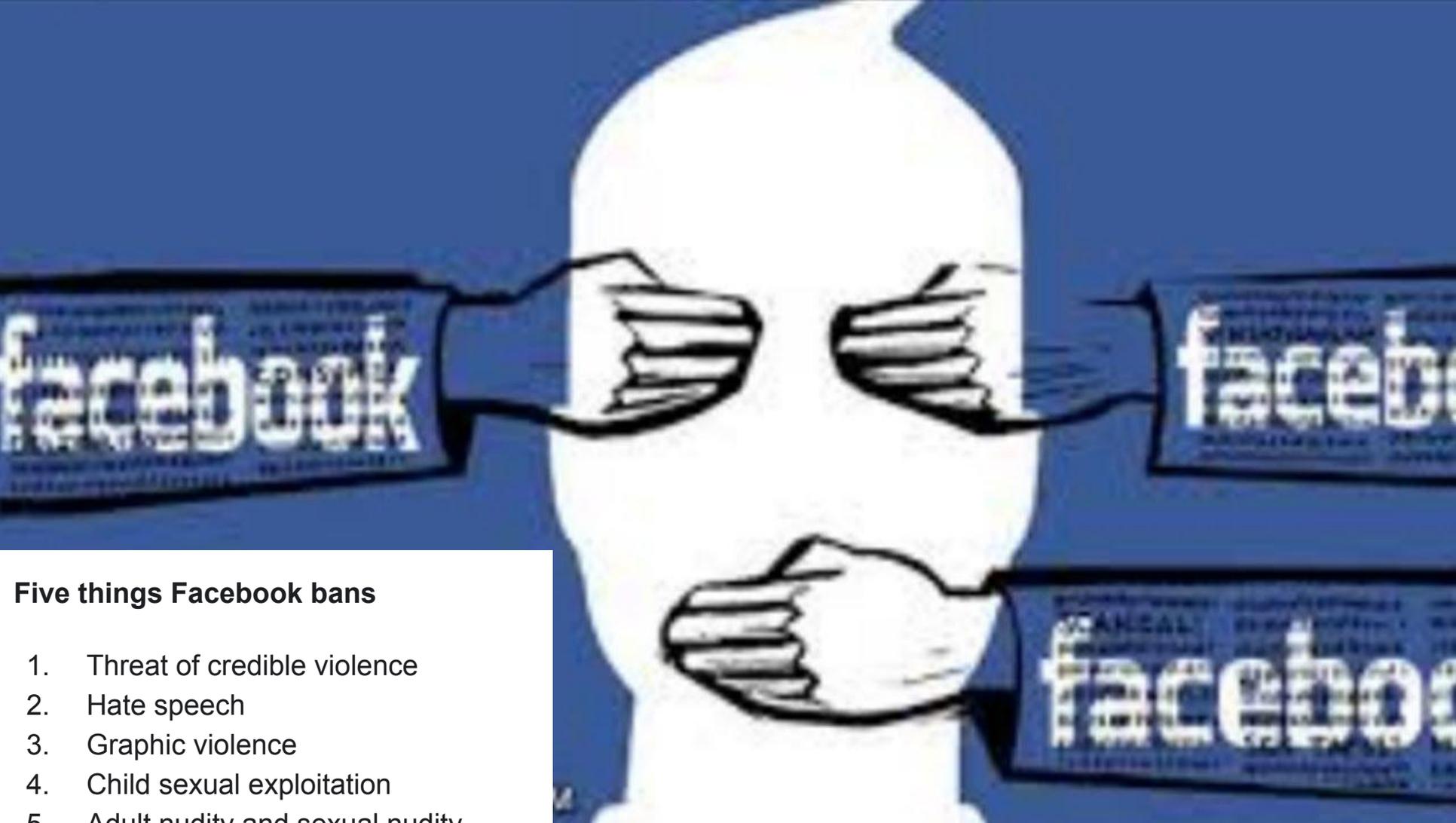
BBC.CO.UK  
Twitter suspends Britain First leaders

Technology

## Twitter adds labels for tweets that break its rules – a move with potentially stark implications for Trump’s account

The social media site will also down-rank such tweets via its algorithms to reduce circulation.





## Five things Facebook bans

1. Threat of credible violence
2. Hate speech
3. Graphic violence
4. Child sexual exploitation
5. Adult nudity and sexual nudity



## Keeping Instagram a Supportive Place

We're asking people to rethink comments that seem similar to others that have been reported.

If we made a mistake, [let us know](#).



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## Hate speech ‘on notice’ as UN chief launches new plan to ‘identify, prevent and confront’ growing scourge



**UN Photo/Rick Bajornas** | Children wearing "United Against Hate" t-shirts appear at an interfaith gathering at the Park East Synagogue in New York City in memory of Jewish worshippers who were killed in Pittsburgh in the United States. (31 October 2018)



António Guterres ✓

@antonioguterres

Following

A message to those who insist on using fear to divide communities: diversity is a richness, never a threat.

In the [@Guardian](#), I explain why hate speech is a danger to us all – and so fighting it must be a job for everyone.



As the wildfire of hate speech spreads, fighting it must be a job for everybody...

Addressing hate speech does not mean limiting freedom of speech. To prevent it from escalating, we need to treat it as we treat every malicious act

[theguardian.com](http://theguardian.com)

9:38 AM - 27 Jun 2019

371 Retweets 759 Likes



*“In recent decades, hate speech has been a precursor to atrocity crimes, including genocide, from Rwanda to Bosnia to Cambodia.*

*“I fear that the world is reaching another acute moment in battling the demon of hate.”*

APR  
2019

# DIGITAL AROUND THE WORLD IN APRIL 2019

THE ESSENTIAL HEADLINE DATA YOU NEED TO UNDERSTAND GLOBAL MOBILE, INTERNET, AND SOCIAL MEDIA USE

 CHANGES IN DATA PROVIDER METHODOLOGIES MEAN THAT DATA ON THIS SLIDE IS NOT DIRECTLY COMPARABLE TO DATA IN OUR PREVIOUS REPORTS

TOTAL  
POPULATION



**7.697**  
BILLION

URBANISATION:

**56%**

UNIQUE  
MOBILE USERS



**5.110**  
BILLION

PENETRATION:

**66%**

INTERNET  
USERS



**4.437**  
BILLION

PENETRATION:

**58%**

ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



**3.499**  
BILLION

PENETRATION:

**45%**

MOBILE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



**3.429**  
BILLION

PENETRATION:

**45%**



we  
are  
social



we  
are  
social



# How many people use these social networks?



Facebook

2.38  
billion



YouTube

1.5  
billion



Instagram

1  
billion



LinkedIn

575  
million



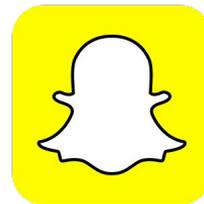
TikTok

500  
million



Twitter

330  
million

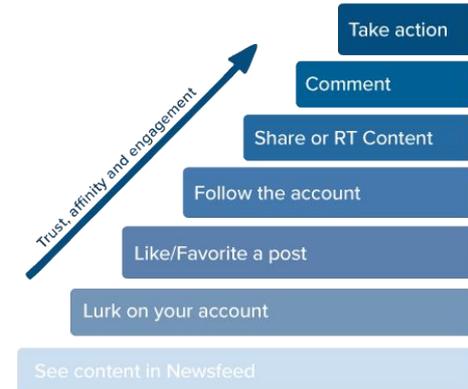


Snapchat

186  
million

- 1) UNHCR leads the refugee narrative on social media
- 2) So our presence on the world's most influential digital platforms **generates empathy**
- 3) **Inspires and mobilizes action**

The Social Media  
Ladder of Engagement



# Hate speech on UNHCR accounts



UNHCR, the UN Refugee Agency

@Refugees

Following

Right now... I would call myself Irish.



12:03 PM - 26 Apr 2019

121 Retweets 386 Likes



## Is Ireland in denial when it comes to hate speech?

Updated / Thursday, 16 May 2019 07:18



Anti-refugee and anti-immigration sentiments on social media are fuelling a normalisation of hateful content



**Irish5Life** @Life5Irish · Apr 27

Replying to @Refugees

'Right now I'm Irish'. How very telling.....



**Johnny Carey** @careyjonny2 · Apr 27

Replying to @Refugees

I don't know where ur from if you know urself, one thing is for sure you are not Irish and never will be



**Paul B** @PaulBB36 · Apr 27

Replying to @Refugees

Sorry to break it to you , you'll probably want to sit down for this,but.....you're not Irish



**Sean B.** @SeanBeinead · Apr 27

Replying to @Refugees

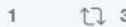
Why say ur from ireland when asked, u clearly are not as u said originally Tanzania so why not say Tanzania at the outset,ridiculous stuff ,this country is quickly going down 🤡 alley.



**Gerard Downes** @DownesGerard · Apr 27

Replying to @Refugees

All these people talking of their terrible treatment in Ireland, yet they've no problems accepting free money, homes and college places. I'm sick to my teeth of them putting down the Irish people and this country we opened our doors to them , if you don't like it go home



**mammyo** @mammyo · Apr 27

Replying to @Refugees

If you don't show pride and loyalty to the land of your forefathers why should we expect you would show it to us?



**Kvn** @Kvn54888366 · Apr 27

Benefits are no good there,they are great here that why I'm Irish ,it pays money for nothing ,I'm staying



**Jill Kerby** @JillKerby · Apr 28

Hey, Gerard. You win my Tweet of the Day award in the "Least Original Thought" category. I was going to also award you the "Unkindest Thought" award, but there's sure to be someone even meaner here. Hope you never have a loved one who seeks sanctuary...



1 more reply

# And it's a global problem - eg in China

## Common comments posted on UNHCR's Weibo account in China:

- Why do Muslim refugees have so many babies? China did not have a one-child policy to make room for them.*
- There are so many poor people in China. Why should we take in more?*
- Refugees = Muslims = terrorists. They are not welcome in China.*
- Refugees only bring crime/rape and disease. Go back to where you came from.*
- America created these wars. Why should China clean up the mess? Refugees should all go to America.*

# How UNHCR responds to it

## Our community management strategy + tactics



**Comments**

This portrait and interview are part of a photo exhibit organised by @jayucanada and sponsored by UNHCR. The exhibit shares the stories and experiences of LGBTI refugees and asylum seekers in Canada. The photos were taken by students from underserved communities in the countries.

We are committed to protecting all refugees, including LGBTI refugees around the world. Join us in saying to LGBTI refugees: You Are Safe Here.

Photo: JAYU/Radha Mestoewa

#LGBT #LGBTQ #LGBTI #LovelsLove #gay #Pride #PrideMonth #WorldPride #Pride2019

4w

Load more comments

**garaadka2** Gay is shameful act and is not good behaviour our generation and it cause the is ending. 🙄

4w 8 likes Reply

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**refugees** @garaadka2 LGBTI people are entitled to the same human rights as everybody else. Everyone deserves the right to love who they love and be who they are without fear.

4w 52 likes Reply

**refugees** You deserve to love who you want freely. Partners Miral Mokhtar (left) and Nouran Hussein fled persecution in Egypt for Canada. After discovering she was a lesbian, Miral's father wanted a virginity test and threatened to kill her. Nouran escaped after her family beat her and sent her to a mental hospital. "I'm not ashamed of being a refugee," says Nouran. Photo: © UNHCR/Chris Young

#LGBTI #lesbian #love #LovelsLove #Pride #PrideMonth #Pride2019

Edited · 4d

Top comments

**stitchingmemoris** First post that i do not like ... its wrong to be a lesbian

4d 12 likes Reply

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**refugees** @stitchingmemoris LGBTI people are entitled to the same human rights as everybody else. Everyone should have the right to love who they love and be who they are without fear.

4d 119 likes Reply

View more replies (14)



Our reply got more engagement and likes than the original homophobic one.

# Christchurch, New Zealand

 **UNHCR, the UN Refugee Agency** Following  
@Refugees

"While many uncertainties remain, it appears that this act of terror was motivated by hatred and fear of others, and that among those killed are refugees and migrants"

UN [@RefugeesChief](#) on the massacre of innocent worshippers in Christchurch, New Zealand.



**News Release**

**News comment: UNHCR's Grandi expresses shock following massacre in Christchurch**  
"It is with great sadness that I have heard the news of the horrific attacks against two mosques which took place today in Christchurch, New Zealand."  
unhcr.org

4:56 PM - 15 Mar 2019

86 Retweets 139 Likes 

 **UNHCR, the UN Refugee Agency** Following  
@Refugees

Among the victims of last week's terror attack in Christchurch was a newly arrived Syrian refugee family - who had been resettled only months ago.

Our colleague Rick Towle reflects on the two tragedies that have struck Christchurch in the past decade.



**The two tragedies that struck Christchurch: A reflection by UNHCR's Richard...**  
Rick Towle, UNHCR's Deputy Director in New York, reflects on the two tragedies that have struck Christchurch, including its refugee...  
medium.com

4:16 PM - 21 Mar 2019

23 Retweets 40 Likes 

 **UNHCR, the UN Refugee Agency (Default)** Following  
Published by Gisella Lomax (7) · 15 March · 

"While many uncertainties remain, it appears that this act of terror was motivated by hatred and fear of others, and that among those killed are refugees and migrants. This is deeply shocking."

"At a time of growing hostility towards diversity, the humanity and compassion of New Zealand authorities and people of New Zealand have shown in the face of tragedy a truly laudable."

United Nations Refugee Chief Filippo Grandi on the massacre in Christchurch, New Zealand.

 **UNHCR, the UN Refugee Agency (Default)** Following  
Published by Mahak Morsawala (7) · 20 March · 

"They are us," said Prime Minister Ardern when speaking of former refugee and migrant victims of the tragic attack in Christchurch on Friday.

New Zealand has provided a safe and welcoming home to generations of new Kiwis. Its diversity is its strength.

Kia kaha, New Zealand. As-salamu alaykum, Christchurch. We stand with you in mourning and in solidarity.



**UNHCR**  
The UN Refugee Agency

**News comment: UNHCR's Grandi expresses shock following massacre in Christchurch**  
"It is with great sadness that I have heard the news of the horrific attacks against two mosques in Christchurch, New Zealand."

70,968 People reached 2,018 Engagements

   Gisella Lomax and 527 others 23 comments



To show compassion, solidarity and hope in the face of tragedy

# Censorship or safe place?

Should UNHCR platforms be a “safe space” where people can go and not see hate speech?

Or should they be a real space - where people see that post messages of hate **being responded to, castigated + condemned by our community.**

# Community Management

The ultimate social media bible - 2019

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ONGOING CONCERNS/QUESTIONS

## ONGOING CONCERNS/QUESTIONS

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KEY MESSAGE

FACEBOOK/INSTAGRAM RESPONSE

TWITTER RESPONSE

### General questions about UNHCR's work/communications

What does UNHCR do?

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We work to:  
Save lives  
Protect human rights  
Build a better future

For millions forced to flee their homes.

Including: refugees, forcibly displaced communities and stateless

Hi there, UNHCR works to save lives, protect human rights, build a better future for millions forced to flee their homes. These include refugees, forcibly displaced communities and stateless people. Learn more about who we help: <http://www.unhcr.org/who-we-help.html>

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What is the difference between refugees and migrants?

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Refugees are persons fleeing armed conflict or persecution in their home countries. They are looking for safety because their lives are in danger.

Migrants choose to move to improve their lives. For example: by finding work, for education, or family reunion.  
<http://www.unhcr.org/news/latest/2016/7/55df0e556/unhcr-viewpoint-refugee-migrant-right.html>

Hi there, thanks for asking. Refugees are persons fleeing armed conflict or persecution in their home countries. They are looking for safety because their lives are in danger. Migrants choose to move to improve their lives. For example: by finding work, for education, or family reunion. Find out more: <http://www.unhcr.org/news/latest/2016/7/55df0e556/unhcr-viewpoint-refugee-migrant-right.html>

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Where are you currently working? How many countries receive your support?

Y

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Our dedicated staff work in 128 countries around the world, from major capitals to remote and often dangerous locations.

Hi there, our dedicated staff work in 128 countries around the world, from major capitals to remote and often dangerous locations. Thanks.

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Why are there refugees?

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Refugees are people who have fled wars, conflict, or persecution in their home countries. And who can't go home, because of the risks.  
<http://www.unhcr.org/refugees.html>

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An unprecedented 68.5 million people around the world have been

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NATURAL DISASTERS

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# When our community hits back at the haters

 **yuusuf\_mohomud** He is praying 5 times a day and He is a Gay!

7w Reply



**mahoya\_3** @yuusuf\_mohomud yes very strange

6w Reply

 **umm\_muhammad\_maryam\_ibrahim** Muslim, pray 5 times a day and a gay. That's nonsense! He can't be a Muslim, our religion doesn't allow such awful things. How can a man live with a man? When god created a man and a woman, to live and make a family

7w Reply

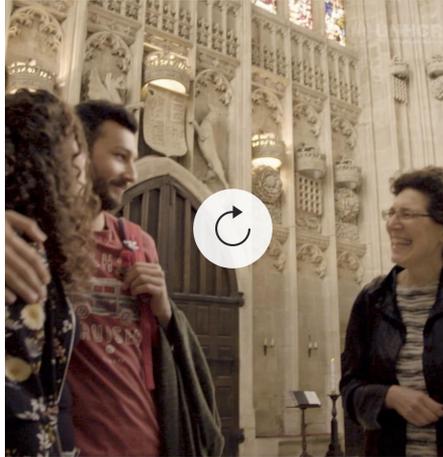
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 **hannahs\_paddock** Heartwarming in these challenging times. Finding the humanity in ourselves and others, without judgement and criticism is the key.

7w 7 likes Reply

 **pi\_marq** @hannahs\_paddock so true! This is such an inspiring story! Such an inclusive, accepting open minded way of living

6w Reply



109,681 views · Liked by loreycampese and sylvie\_francis  
**refugees** This is no ordinary family. 🧡

Simon and Shoshana Goldhill and their 27-year old daughter Sarah have always kept an open home, welcoming students and friends to stay.

However, this is the first time the devout Jewish family is hosting a Syrian refugee, Faraj, who says he once again has a place to call home.

#InternationalDayOfFamilies #Families #FamiliesTogether #FamilyForever #Forever #Refugee #WithRefugee

 **ahmadtalebiyan** How come ? Muslim While homosexual ? Awkward !

7w 39 likes Reply

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 **narissaramovic** @rayfon7 yes, I understand. But I find this to be hypocritical because I know that religious families of killers will still call the person a Muslim. And a gay person gets disowned by the family and has no right to have Islam as a religion. It seems that people are clearly picking and choosing here and deciding what the personality can live with, even if the quran says something else.

6w Reply

 **rayfon7** @narissaramovic if anyone kill another person he will live bad life and in other Life he will burn hell that's what God saying, and for gay people they not allow in Islam because this something is very very big sin and if anyone think he gay or something he must pray and stay away from this sin

6w Reply

 **narissaramovic** @rayfon7 being gay means wanting to love someone that is the same gender. At the end of the day all these people want is to LOVE who they can love. So love is never dangerous or bad. But killing someone...That's a bigger sin in my eyes. Also do you know what I'd like to think, that Allah is about love and that he supports love. So why would he support a family to hate their own

 **muhammed\_hac\_halaf\_cu** Although this Jewish family shows respect and kindness for this refugee person , it's so difficult to believe that Jewish are good people . !

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 **x\_i\_bx** @muhammed\_hac\_halaf\_cu I think Jews are just people with a religion. You can't just say Jews are bad. The terrorist in Israel are the bad people who do bombs. I know this isn't a good example but you can't just say Jews are bad because they aren't. I am Muslim and I HATE when people say Muslims are terrorist. That's what you are doing to. saying that all Jews are bad like the Israel ones.

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 **coryali1984** So much hate for what?!?! Only Allah can judge!!!!!!

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 **ivelhafreza\_** I'm so grateful that I'm living in Aceh where this community (lgbt) are not allowed to stay in my region and even they will be punished. We are talking about human, and yes we accept any people around the world, but not their character.

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 **vipulasharma** @breakingreza\_ How can you say such things? How does someone loving someone bother you to the point that you thing they don't have a good character or should not be allowed to live within a community? I sincerely hope you grow as a human being.

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 **ivelhafreza\_** @vipulasharma some people may dont agree what i say . I respect any people around the world and i do know all of us have something good inside, but not lgbt. Not one bit. However, lgbt is a bad habit. And in this world there are somethings that should be rejected cause those things are no appropriate to the values. And I'm sorry if this can hurt you. You may not agree what i am saying and i understand.

# We have strong communities - but what are we asking them to do?



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**Sharon Margaret** Tragic. Why are the nutty right wing feeling emboldened? The same fate as Jo Cox during the Brexit campaign - the murderer shouting hateful words while carrying out his heinous crime, his prey being the sort of humanitarian and moral thinker the world needs. Condolences to Poland and the Mayor's family.

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**Shabek Ali** 🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏

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**Mahboob Alam** Shocking news, May his rest in peace, deepest condolences to their family.

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**Maffrool Maf** R I P Real Human Being.....

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**Sintayehu Fekadu** The World is Not belongs to those Kind and innocent person. That is sad Rest in peace

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**Faustina van Aperen** Mayor Pawel Adamowicz you are and remain in our heart a light ! May the world have more lights like you!RIP

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