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### [United Nations World Refugee Day: 20Jun2017](#)

World Refugee Day is more than just a day to celebrate the tenacity and strength of refugees in our community. It sheds light on how difficult it can be to live as a refugee. According to the UNHCR, in 2016 there were 65.6 million forcibly displaced people. 22.5 million of these were considered refugees, half of whom were under 18. Only 189,300 people, total, were resettled.

### [Images of Immigration: Past and Present – Cocktail Party Fundraiser](#)

On Saturday, August 5 from 6-8pm, MRC will be hosting a fundraiser cocktail party at the Alice Austen House. Alice Austen (1866-1952) was one of America's earliest and most prolific female photographers. Come see her work, and enjoy cocktails at the waterfront House. The general public is invited to participate.

[Details & Registration](#)

### [MRC Opens Arizona Office](#)

MRC now has a new home in the Valley of the Sun! We have recently opened our newest office in Phoenix, Arizona. This new satellite office will function as an extension of the work that we do in New York.

[MRC Phoenix office Facebook page](#)

### [Phoenix Family Kept Intact](#)

In May 2017, MRC won a very complicated case that had been in the immigration system for many years. Our tireless efforts on behalf of this wife of a U.S. citizen and mother of their 2 children have made her a Legal Permanent Resident. She, and her family, no longer need to fear her deportation.

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### [2016 Entry/Exit Report](#)

On May 22, 2017, the U.S. Department of Homeland Security released its entry/exit and overstay report for 2016. The report shows that just under 1.5% of visitors overstayed the terms of their visas in 2016.



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Until next time...

