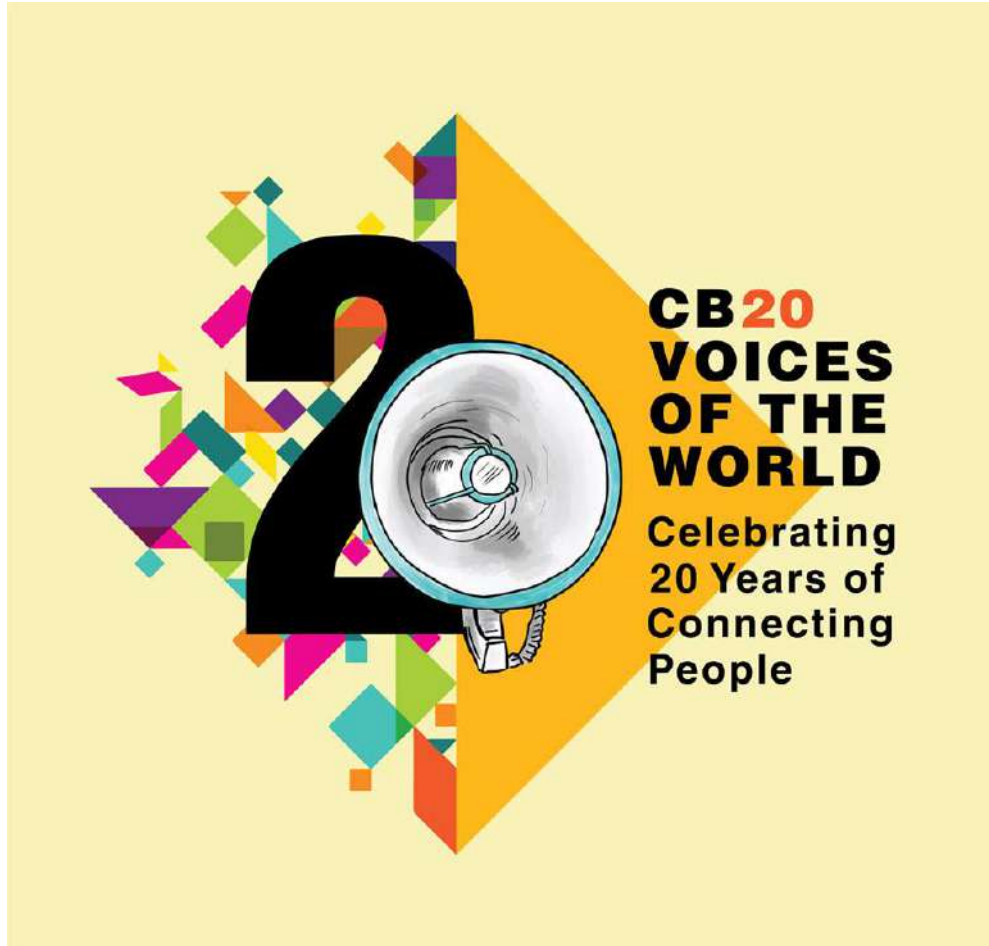


Crossing Borders Newsletter

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CB20 – Thank you for celebrating with us



We are humbled and thankful that CB20 welcomed some 250-300 people from all walks of life, generations, cultures, professions, and creeds. This celebration of Crossing Borders' 20th anniversary was a reminder that we are both part of and responsible for the wellbeing of the world and that we must warmly welcome people from everywhere, just as we are welcome everywhere else.

[Read more](#)



We are celebrating 20 years since the beginning of Crossing Borders by looking back on two decades of educating global citizens and building a peaceful and sustainable world!

Watch more videos from the celebration

Did you know who got our CB20 Award?



On the 18th of October, we celebrated our 20 years anniversary,

we also were proud to announce that CB20 Award goes to Monk Ashin Khundala from Myanmar and Balqesa Sheikh from Kenya for living the values of Crossing Borders every day and contributing to a more peaceful and sustainable world—for enhancing inclusion, empowering youth, and ensuring human dignity.

Are you the next CB Member of the Year?



Meet the CB Member of the Year - 2019!

In recognition of outstanding contributions to Crossing Borders and the embodiment of its mission as an active and engaged member, we present [Tørk Egeberg](#) - Freelance iOS Developer.

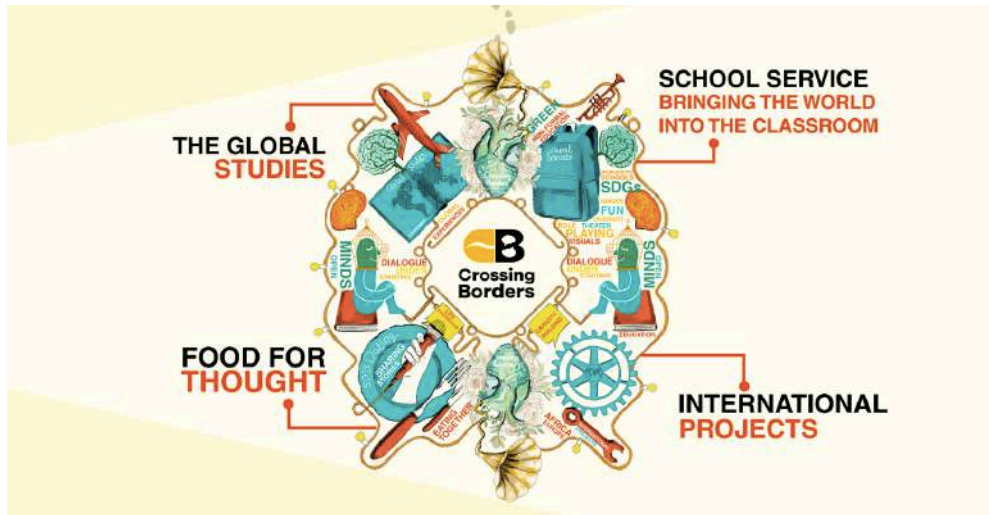
Become a CB Member Now



As we are celebrating our 20 years anniversary, here are 20 milestones CB has achieved among the years. Find out more about Crossing Borders 20 years Journey in our CB20 Booklet.

CB20 Booklet

Did you know that we have a new website?



As we are celebrating our 20 years anniversary, we are proud to present our new and much-improved website

Check it out

Food For Thought

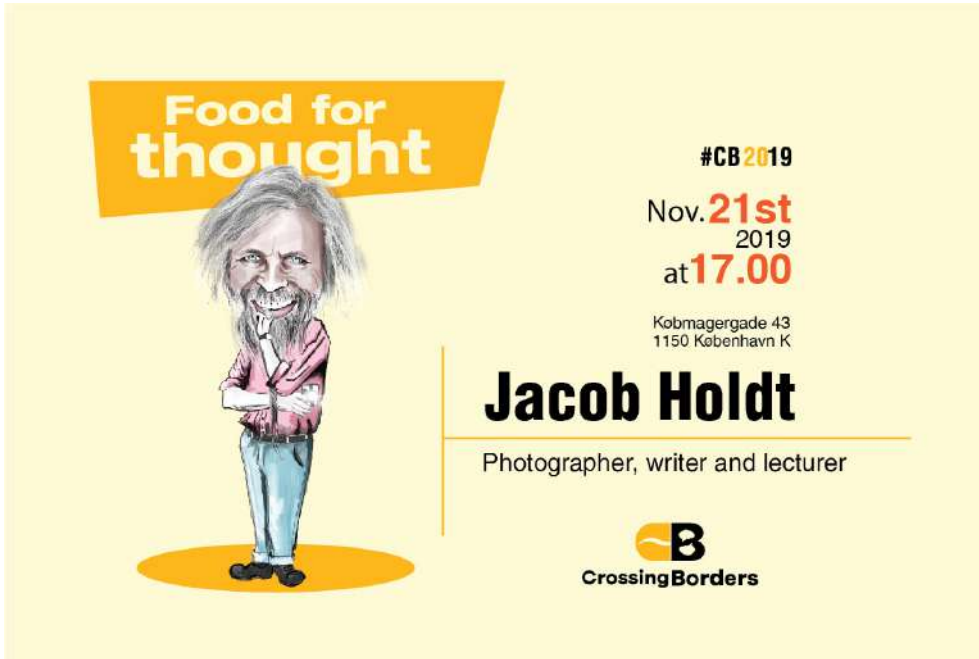
A CB flagship



Last Thursday evening was a special evening at Crossing Borders. People from different backgrounds came together to hear the inspiring story of Monk Owen. Owen came all the way from

Myanmar a couple of years ago as a student of the Crossing Borders Global Studies program where he got inspired and built his capacity. Owen now has a school in Myanmar that has more than 800 students that "one day, those students will become politicians and change the situation in Myanmar" Owen said.

Upcoming Food For Thought Event



Food for thought

#CB2019
Nov. **21st**
2019
at **17.00**

Kobmagergade 43
1150 København K

Jacob Holdt
Photographer, writer and lecturer

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Crossing Borders

Acclaimed photographer, author, and activist Jacob Holdt, the author of the American Pictures, and the newly published book "Om at sige ja". On the 21st of November, Jacob will speak about his recently published book "Om at sige ja" and his connection to Crossing Borders.

[Know more](#)

Vet4Migre-Vet opportunities for migrants and refugees

**VET4MIGRE
MULTIPLIER
EVENT**

THURSDAY NOV. 21ST

JOIN US AT UBUNTU HOUSE

To celebrate the completion of the Vocational Education and Training for Migrants and Refugees (VET4MIGRE) online course and project!

We are excited to bring together course participants, established migrant entrepreneurs, and community stakeholders for an opportunity to *network, share ideas, and learn about the VET4Migre project.*

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 21st from 10:00-17:00
at Ubuntu House: Købmagergade 43, 1150 København

RSVP required by November 7th

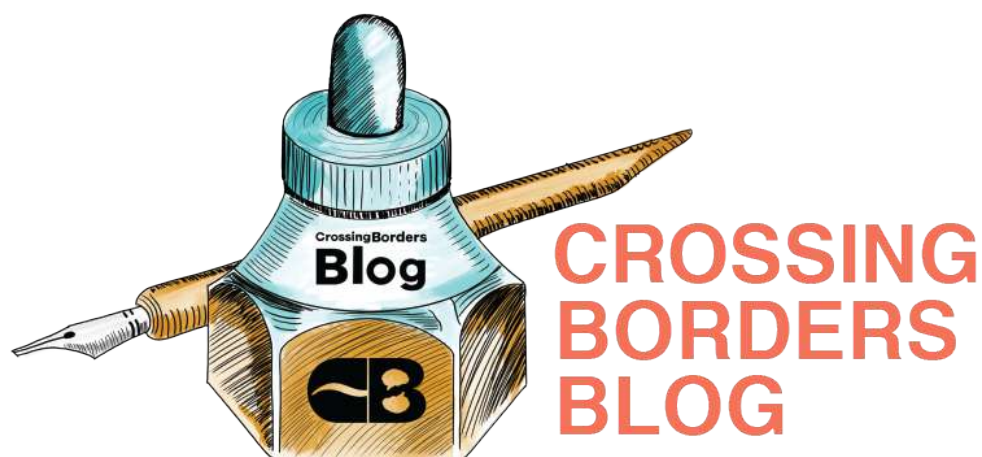
If you would like to join, please email
leah@crossingborders.dk with your RSVP.

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Our International Projects



Recent Article from the Blog



Rethinking periods as a fundamental human right –
by Martina Popadakova

[Read the Article](#)

New Faces of Crossing Borders

A warm welcome to the new members of CB family!



Martina Popadakova

"I have a special interest in the integration of migrants in host communities as well as human rights advocacy and youth empowerment. Joining Crossing borders is an opportunity to become a part of the team with values and vision I believe in" Martina moved to Denmark to pursue studies in an international environment and on a more personal level she wanted to gain experience of living abroad. Martina completed a Master in International Security and Law at the University of Southern Denmark. Her Master thesis focused on an ethnically divided educational system in Bosnia and Herzegovina, through which " I came to a good understanding, that the key to the better future lies with the youth" Martina said. Before joining [Crossing Borders](#), she volunteered at the Danish Red Cross,



Soren Klaverkamp

Soren comes to Crossing Borders after one year in Denmark where he is half-way through an MSc program focusing on refugees and migration at Aalborg University - Copenhagen. Through his internship at [Crossing Borders](#), he hopes to learn how youth education programs help localize and realize the Sustainable Development Goals in different contexts. He also hopes to contribute to the creation of spaces where individuals from a variety of backgrounds can come together in a constructive environment and share their lived experiences. Prior to arriving in Denmark, Soren worked with newly arrived refugees and immigrants in Ithaca, New York, taught English in Cairo, and worked for the Halifax International Security Forum which is based in Washington, D.C. He grew up in Silver Spring, Maryland, USA

Asylum United which aims to empower migrant women through sport, and also I am a former member of the United Nations Youth Association of Denmark. She conducted three months internship, where she contributed as a project and research assistant to the People for Change Foundation based in Malta. Recently, Martina worked as a fundraiser for Unicef Denmark.

Join the CB family to benefit from exclusive membership package!



Free access to monthly Food For Thought

As a CB member, you now have free access to the CB Flagship, Food For Thought (Formerly known as Spisdating). Every **3rd Thursday** of each month, we gather to listen to beautiful stories and eat food from around the world. Highlighting diverse speakers, themes and menus from month to month also attracts a broad audience for each event. Food for Thought is hosted at the Ubuntu House, (near the Round Tower) providing a cozy chance to conveniently network with the world in the heart of Copenhagen.



Access to all CB events

There is always a lot going on at CB and as a member, you will have access to **these events** throughout the year. In 2018, CB hosted a range of events including the exceptionally popular; Green Christmas Auction and the Women's Entrepreneurship Day Workshop.

These will be continued in 2019, along with many more.



CB Resources

As a member, you can get access to a great network of competent employees such as International Project Managers, Graphic designer, Event Managers and more.



CB Blog

As a valued Crossing Borders member, you have the opportunity to make your voice heard. So, we encourage you to submit articles, essays and blogposts to be shared via the **CB Blog!**



Once you become a CB member,

you will be invited to our new member platform where you can be kept about upcoming CB projects, events, vacancies and training courses. With the profile you create through the platform, you will be able to get special volunteering opportunities in accordance with your skills and the ability to directly connect with CB Team members.



Are you interesting in expanding your mind, your network or your experience?

Let us help you. As a CB member, you can expand your mental and physical horizons through exclusive, discounted (and sometimes even free) offers on (online and physical) **courses, seminars, and workshops** in Denmark or Abroad.

Join us



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