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Refugees Can Take Free Online Classes Through State Dept and Coursera Partnership

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5,200+ course enrollments from 2,000+ refugees

1,200+ course completions

28,658 learning hours across 831 unique courses

Top Refugee Home Countries: Syria, Afghanistan, Iraq, Somalia

Most Widely Spoken Languages: Arabic, Pashto, Dari

Most popular courses are in language learning, programming, business and core academic skills

Most popular courses come from:
1. University of California, Irvine
2. Hong Kong University of Science & Technology
3. University of Michigan
4. University of Pennsylvania
5. Georgia Institute of Technology
6. Johns Hopkins University
7. University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
8. University of Amsterdam
9. Duke University
10. Stanford University
Meet Hadi

- 22 year-old Syrian refugee living in Turkey
- Managing projects that teach non-violent communication to young refugees
- Found Coursera through our Kiron Coursera for Refugees partnership
- Completed three courses so far:
  - Budgeting and Scheduling Projects *(UC Irvine)*
  - Basic Statistics *(University of Amsterdam)*
  - Psychological First Aid *(Johns Hopkins)*
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