



## Summary

Here are some examples of past Refugee Week events that were successful in creating more playful and subversive representations of refugees and also engaging new and/or large audiences.

The main purpose of Refugee Week is to hold activities that create a **Space of Encounters** in which different communities can come together to share experiences, learn and discuss the refugee experience in a safe space.

For further ideas on organising an event for Refugee Week, check out our [Ideas for Events](#) pages!

 [Photo Competition - Encounters](#)

 [Album Launch – Fugees United](#)

 [Art Exhibition - Insomnia](#)

 [Comedy - Its No Laughing Matter](#)

 [Fame Asylum](#)

 [Festival - Celebrating Sanctuary 2008](#)

 [Film Festival - Exodus Shorts](#)

 [Football Tournament](#)

 [Newspaper - The New Londoners](#)

 [Refugee Week Blog](#)

 [Refugee Week Scottish Media Awards](#)

 [Celebration of Poets from around the World](#)

 [Young Peoples Debate](#)

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