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Managing the Refugee Crisis: Legal Issues and Challenges

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It has never been more timely to discuss the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. Today, there are more refugees and displaced persons than at any other time in recorded human history, presenting one of history's biggest human rights challenges. Addressing the global refugee crisis raises many legal issues, including principles of national sovereignty, standards for refugee status, and the ability of refugees to work under a host country's laws. This blockbuster panel includes attorneys tackling these issues from various angles: the former United Nations Deputy High Commissioner for Refugees, a lawyer with a refugee-focused NGO, and a premiere Parisian practitioner specializing in refugee issues.