



Invited Article:

“You are Not Welcome Here!”

Understanding Coverage of Central
American Migrant Families in Trump’s
America

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PURPOSE, METHODS, RESULTS AND CONCLUSION

PURPOSE: The purpose of this article is to understand how The New York Times covered migrant families in the early Trump era.

METHODOLOGY: The methodology was qualitative. The author conducted a textual analysis of 35 news stories published in the New York Times from January 2016 to mid-May 2019.

RESULTS: Four key categories: **1.** new kinds of migrants at the U.S border; **2.** the Central American migrant crisis; **3.** Trump's administration approach to the crisis; **4.** and the critique of Trump's policy

CONCLUSION: Future coverage like the media should try to give migrants greater voice to better contextualize their stories.

RELEVANCE TO MY PROJECT

The article pertains to my research by showing the lives and experiences of migrants and how they are affected before even becoming an immigrant.

It will help me understand the effects of the Trump administration's policy on the issue of immigration.

It highlights the struggle of migrants coming into the US and the media framing of it.

Reference

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