MIGRANT DETENTION RESOURCES

*if you’d like to suggest a resource/book/article/etc, please use the “add comment” feature*

**Visit the Federal Register to submit a comment against the Trump admin proposed changes to asylum law no later than Wednesday July 15th **

ORGANIZATIONS:

Arizona-Based:
- Florence Immigrant and Refugee Rights Project (donate)
- Trans Queer Pueblo (donate)
- Keep Tucson Together
- Kino Border Initiative
- SALAVISION
- Mariposas Sin Fronteras
- Puente
- No More Deaths

National:
- Detention Watch Network
- Freedom for Immigrants
- Immigrant Families Together
- End Child Detention

BOOKS:

Immigration Detention/Asylum-specific:
- Migrating to Prison: America’s Obsession with Locking up Immigrants, César Cuauhtémoc García Hernández
- The Dispossessed: A Story of Asylum at the US-Mexican Border and Beyond, John Washington
- The Book of Rosy: A Mother’s Story of Separation at the Border, Rosayra Pablo Cruz and Julie Schwietert Collazo
- Children of the Land: A Memoir, Marcelo Hernandez Castillo
- Separated: Inside an American Tragedy by Jacob Sobooff
- The Deportation Machine: America’s Long History of Expelling Immigrants, Adam Goodman
- Solito, Solita: Crossing Borders with Youth Refugees from Central America, Edited by Steven Mayers and Jonathan Freedman
- Detained and Deported: Stories of Immigrant Families Under Fire, Margaret Regan
Prison and Abolition related:

- *Are Prisons Obsolete?*, Angela Davis
- *The New Jim Crow: Mass Incarceration in the Age of Colorblindness*, Michelle Alexander
- *Golden Gulag*, Ruth Wilson Gilmore
- *Prison Land: Mapping Carceral Power Across Neoliberal America*, Brett Story
- *Fumbling Toward Repair*, Mariame Kaba and Shira Hassan

Also consider watching the film “13th” on Netflix!

ONLINE RESOURCES and NEWS ARTICLES

Resources:

- The Florence Project’s Toolkit to Hold ICE Accountable for COVID Infections
- The In Plain Sight artist intervention
- The #FreeThemAll toolkit from Detention Watch Network
- The TRAC Immigration database for data on immigration enforcement reports and immigration court data
- Immigration coverage at The Intercept
- The criminal justice system Abolitionist Toolkit from Critical Resistance
- The 8 to Abolition recommended steps for freeing people from prisons and jails

Recent articles and podcasts as of 7/13:

- Former Eloy correctional officers blame negligence for huge COVID-19 outbreak: Arizona Republic
- Detained migrants say they were forced to clean COVID-infected ICE facility: NBC news
- Thinking about how to abolish prisons with Mariame Kaba: NBC Chris Hayes podcast & transcript
- Ruth Wilson Gilmore on Abolition, Intercepted podcast
- Mariame Kaba on Moving Past Punishment, For the Wild podcast
- "Burials Are Cheaper Than Deportations": The Intercept (also available as a podcast)
- Voces de presos en una cárcel de ICE infectada de covid-19: Univision Noticias

Social Media:

- The #FreeThemAll hashtag on Facebook/Twitter/Instagram
- Mariame Kaba on Twitter: @PrisonCulture
- Different, but related, and also urgent: Border Wall construction coverage on Twitter from Laiken Jordahl and The Center for Biological Diversity