



Welcoming Communities Program

*"STUDENT INITIATIVES AND REFUGEE
LEADERSHIP ON CAMPUS"*



"Welcoming Communities" is an initiative of USCRI Mexico that implements advocacy strategies to promote the **reception and integration of people in mobility contexts** within communities of opportunity, ensuring their access to fundamental rights. These actions are grounded in the transformative **leadership of university communities**, which mobilize local resources and capacities to drive innovative and sustainable projects aimed at changing policies, attitudes, and narratives to create inclusive and supportive communities.

The action model is implemented through the **Network of Committees for Integration and Welcoming (ReCIBE)**, made up of students from public and private universities in the states of Coahuila, Nuevo León, Aguascalientes, Querétaro, Michoacán, Mexico City, and Puebla. Since 2019, more than



200
students

have been part of
the network and
have mobilized
over

7,000
people

through academic, cultural,
and sports activities focused
on awareness-raising and
advocacy.



Welcoming Communities works closely with **seven universities**, local governments, shelters, civil society organizations, and the World University Service of Canada (WUSC).

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