



University of Worcester

THE Awards 2019 – International Collaboration of the Year

Institution/Nominee	University of Worcester
Title	MIGRATIONS
URL	https://ibby.org.uk/migrations-exhibition/
Submission	<p>In 2017/18, in the midst of the European migrant crisis, the University of Worcester's International Centre for the Picture Book in Society (ICPBS) embarked on a global collaboration.</p> <p>Working with the International Board on Books for Young People (IBBY) and Amnesty International, a global community of illustrators was mobilised to provide work for a unique exhibition, which has since toured the world and led to the publication of an inspirational book.</p> <p>The aim of the MIGRATIONS exhibition was to pose questions, challenge indifference, and to highlight the positive impact that the migration of peoples, cultures and ideas has had across the globe.</p> <p>Well-known illustrators from around the world sent in contributions, and their work featured alongside that of artists only just starting out, including university students. Many of the contributors themselves were migrants.</p> <p>The exhibition embarked on a world tour that, itself, mimicked the theme of international migration and collaboration.</p>