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# DISTANT TALKS

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## Jungles, borders and abandonment in Southern European migration routes

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The Western Balkans have been under mounting pressure in handling the geographies of migration toward Fortress Europe. Since 2018, Bosnia and Herzegovina in particular has had to bear the brunt of this influx, with neither international nor local authorities responding humanely to the situation. This talk will focus on the archipelago of camps, the bordering practices and the sovereign forms of detention and abandonment that have shaped today's dire conditions for migrants trying "The Game", while discussing broader implications for other Southern European migration routes.

**Claudio Minca** is full professor of geography with a career in different international contexts: Italy, the UK, the Netherlands and Australia. His main research projects have focused on the relationship between spatial theory and modernity. He has written extensively on the relationship between space and biopolitics, focusing on the work of philosopher Giorgio Agamben and legal theorist Carl Schmitt. Recently, he has been working on the geographies of refugee camps in the Balkan region.

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