

Liminality and Agency of Forced Migrants

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Escaping war

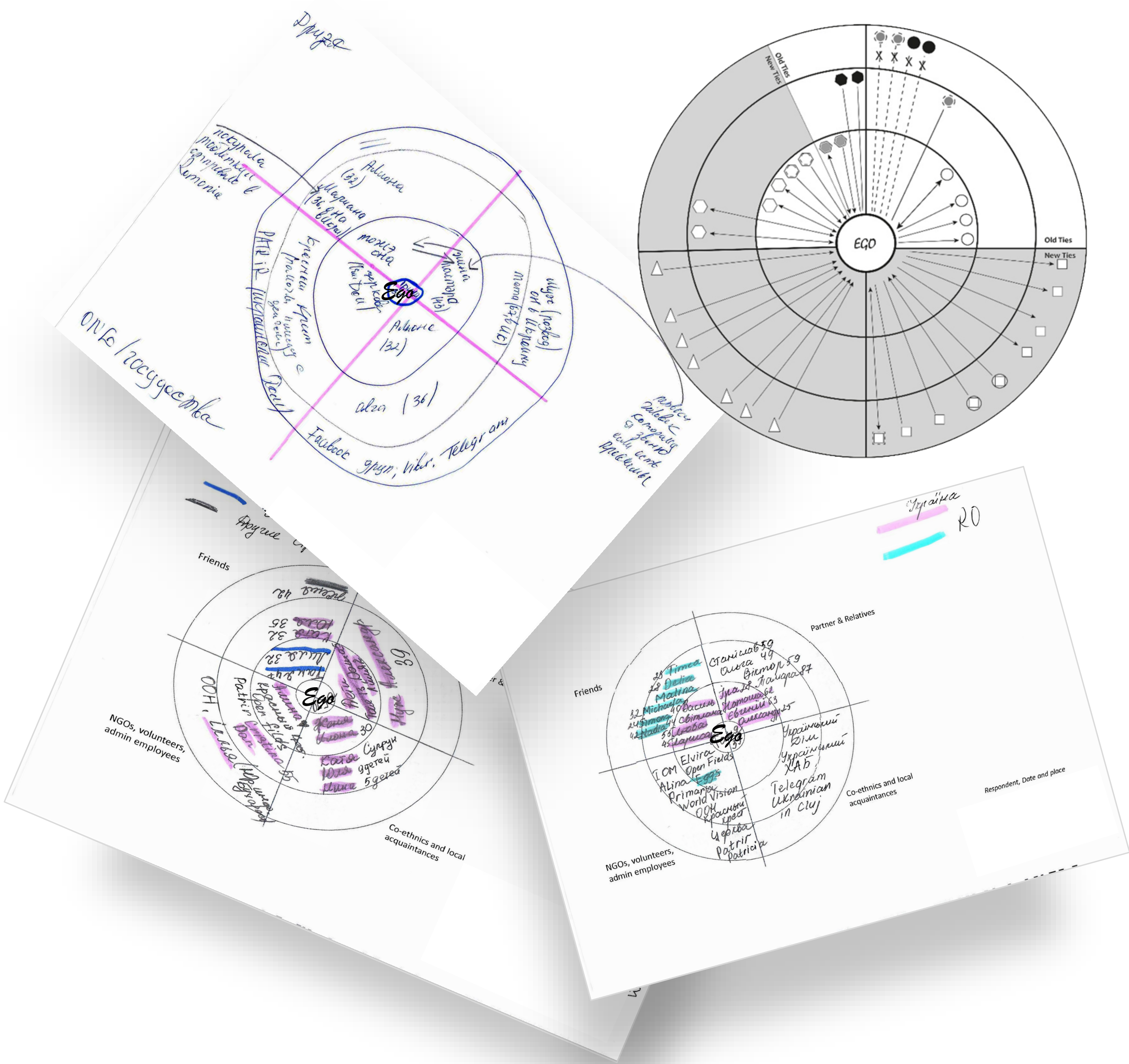
Forced migrants from **Ukraine** and **Syria** mostly find a first refuge in neighbouring countries such as **Romania** and **Turkey**, but also more distant ones such as **Switzerland**.

Coping with uncertainty

How do these migrants experience liminal situations? How do they cope with uncertainty and precarity in their daily life, what kind of resources and personal networks can they use ? What role do interactions with solidarity activists play ?



Agency emerges from interactions within personal networks



In **Romania** and **Switzerland**, we combined in-depth interviews with ego-maps.

In **Turkey** we relied on interviews, but also on ethnographic observation, due to safety concerns of respondents.

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Experiencing liminal situations

Our interviews show that migrants live and negotiate in-betweeness in various ways, at the intersection of **Temporal**, **Spatial** and **Contextual** dimensions.

