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A Case Study of Uruguayan Migrants in Switzerland

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Résumé

With all of the global movements in today's society, it is important to be able to understand how migrants view their place in society, and whether or not they belong. This paper uses case studies of Uruguayan migrants, and expands on the 5 factors for belongingness illustrated by Marco Antonsich to attempt to explain what factors play a role in belonging in a new country, and what role the national imaginary plays within each of these factors, showing that the national imaginary does play a role, even if only symbolically in the way that migrants negotiate where they belong.