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Discursive Constructions of Migrants: Verbal and Visual Images of the Other. An Introduction

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This special issue of the I-LanD Journal on “Discursive Constructions of Migrants: Verbal and Visual Images of the ‘Other’” gives a contribution to a state-of-the-art critical perspective on those debates on migration which have become central in media and politics both in Europe and the USA. The five papers presented here look at the representation of migrants in public discourse from a variety of perspectives and provide the current debate on migration within and beyond Linguistics with some original insights into the discourses of migration.