Tech in the Service of Displaced People

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Does technology always help?

Not really…

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Three situations

> **It may help**
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> > **appropriate technology**
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> **It may not help**
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> > **devices with no appropriate software**
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> **It may hurt**
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> > **false information**

Humanitarian Innovation

How to do the right thing

Partner with a local organization

→ **Understand the need**

Embrace empathy

→ **Use interactive design and development**