Figure 1. Spain, 2002. On the beach at Tarifa, an officer of the Guardia Civil arrests a Moroccan who has just landed there. The small boat in which he and forty others crossed the Straits of Gibraltar barely managed to get away before the police arrived.

Figure 2. Greece, 2001. Khorany Abdulhabib lies, covered in seaweed, in a morgue on the island of Lesbos. From a small group of thirteen Afghans who attempted to paddle from Turkey to Europe in rubber boats, only seven survived. Abdulhabib and the others drowned in the Aegean Sea.
Figure 3. Hungary, 1998. Detainees of the Hungarian and Austrian border police. Most were arrested in Austria and then transferred to the Hungarian authorities.

Figure 4. Slovenia, 2000. A Serb’s flight into Italy has failed. With the aid of tracker dogs, the Slovenian border police discover him as he enters at dusk.