GREAT IDEAS COME IN SMALL PACKAGES
TRANSFORMING THE LIVES OF MILLIONS OF INFORMATION POORS AROUND THE WORLD
2 PALLETS THAT TURN INTO A FULLY EQUIPED MEDIA CENTER IN ONLY 20 MINUTES

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Quick and easy set-up in 20 minutes.

Modular, safe & connected space.

Mobile and autonomous in energy.

Contents customized according to users' languages and needs.

Tailored support and training by BSF's expert team.
70+ Ideas Box. 12 countries. 5 continents.

SYRIAN CRISIS
- Jordan [2|5]*
- Lebanon [1|1]
- Iraq [1|1]
- Turkey [-2]

Great Lakes Area
- Burundi [4|2]
- Rwanda [-2]
- DRC [-2]

Ethiopia [2|-]

Peace Agreement in Colombia [2|20]

Refugee Crisis in Europe
- Greece [3|1]
- Germany [1|-]
- France [3 |-]

Emergency, post-conflict and peace-building

Culture and access to information

FRANCE [3|10]
- UNITED-STATES [2|1]
- AUSTRALIA [2|-]
- SENEGAL [1|-]
- MOROCCO [-1]

* [# of Ideas Box implemented as of July 2016 | New Ideas Box to be implemented by December 2016]

SUMMERCAMP IN THE BRONX
Bridging the achievement gap with creative, cultural and educational workshops in the streets and public parks of the Bronx (NYC).

SYRIAN CRISIS RESPONSE
Creating empowerment hubs for children and their communities in refugee camps and urban settings, giving them the tools to create their own solutions to challenges they face.
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From restoring dignity for refugees and displaced people...

...to empowering information poors throughout the world

60M Refugees and displaced people in the world

17 YEARS Average time spent by a refugee in a camp

57% Of world population does not have access to the internet

250M Children are not learning basic literacy and numeracy skills

150K+ visits in the Ideas Box worldwide

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Ideas Box boosts community vibrance and cohesion. In crises, it enables psychosocial support and fosters resilience.

Better education

Child protection & development

Youth initiative

Community empowerment

12K+ different resources in multiple languages in the Ideas Box catalogue.

450+ partners in the Ideas Box global community (NGOs, engineers, libraries...).
BSF in a nutshell

Founded in 2007, BSF is one of the leading NGOs working to reduce vulnerability of populations through better access to education and information. BSF is working in 20 countries around the world and has impacted the lives of 2M+ people in the past 10 years.

Join the community!
BECOME A GLOBAL PARTNER OF THE IDEAS BOX AND SUPPORT THE SCALE-UP OF OUR PROGRAMS.

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