

## Breakthrough

Breakthrough launches *End Homeland Guantamos* –



Breakthrough recently launched the new multimedia game-like experience, [End Homeland Guantamos](http://www.homelandgitmo.com) (www.homelandgitmo.com), which examines the inhumane conditions faced by nearly 300,000 people in immigrant detention due to unfair Department of Homeland Security (DHS) policies. This project was developed in connection with the Rights Working Group's campaign "Hold the Department of Homeland Security Accountable."

Since September, more than 4,000 individuals accessed the interactive site, which informs users about the mysterious death of Boubacar Bah. Mr. Bah, a Guinean tailor, was held in a New Jersey detention center for overstaying his visa. As the undercover journalist, players follow an animated guide through the detention facility and collect clues that uncover the truth about Mr. Bah's death.

*End Homeland Guantamos* presents information from newspaper articles, court documents, and the video testimonials of former and current detainees and their families, including an interview with a pregnant woman forced to give birth in shackles and the personal testimony an HIV+ man denied medication.

On October 5, 2008, Breakthrough and *End Homeland Guantamos* were prominently featured in an article in *The New York Times*: "Death of Detained Immigrant Inspires Online Game With Goal of Educating Player." You can read the article [here](#).

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