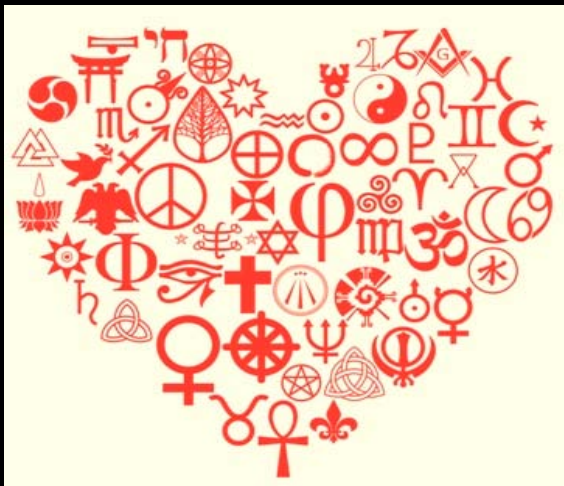


WON BUDDHISM PERSPECTIVES ON RELIGIOUS EXTREMISM AND TERRORISM



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OVERVIEW

- Challenges
 - Social consequences
 - Economy
- Won Buddhism
 - Belief
 - History
- New Interfaith International Organization

CHALLENGES

- Terrorism: unlawful use of violence and intimidation, especially against civilians, in the pursuit of political aims.
- Extremism: holding of extreme political or religious views.

CHALLENGES-SOCIAL CONSEQUENCES



- Cause suspicion and tension among different ethnic and religious groups
- Causes paranoia and fear
- Refugee Crisis
- Chemical Weapons, Nuclear

CHALLENGES-ECONOMY

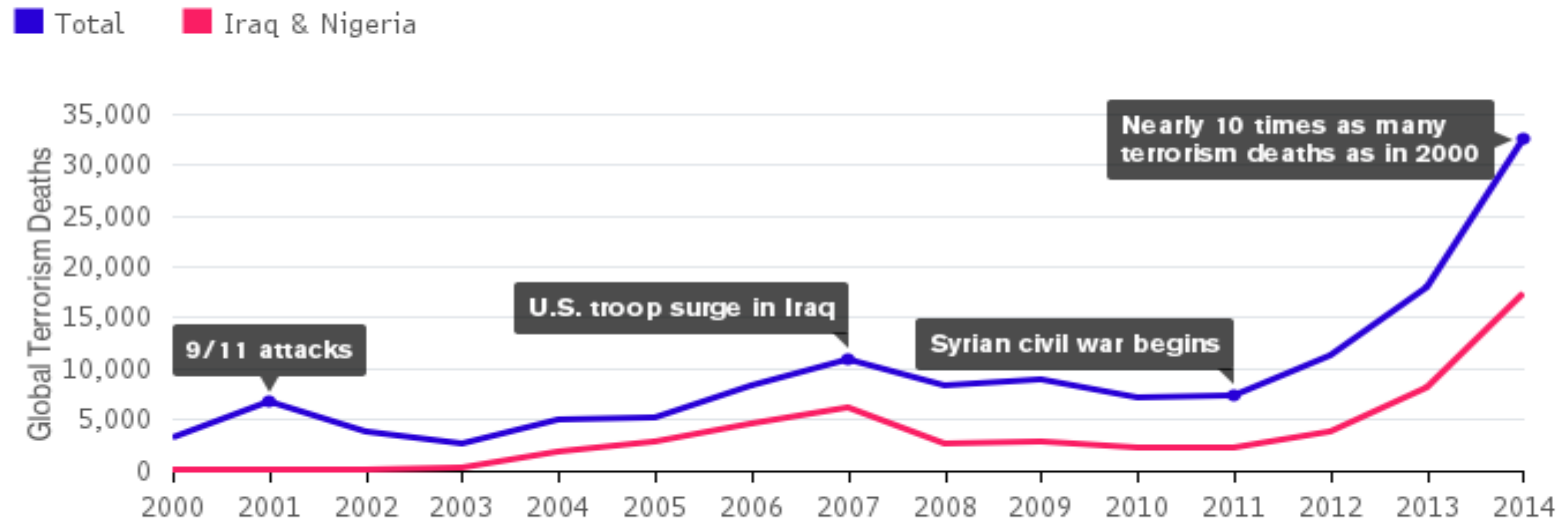
- The economic cost of terrorism increased by 61 per cent in 2014. The economic cost of terrorism reached its highest ever level in 2014 at US\$52.9 billion. This is a 61 per cent increase from the previous year and a ten-fold increase since 2000.
- Terrorist activity increased by 80 per cent in 2014 to its highest recorded level. The largest ever year-on-year increase in deaths from terrorism was recorded in 2014, rising from 18,111 in 2013 to 32,685 in 2014.

- Global Terrorism Index 2015 report from Institute for Economic and peace

CHALLENGES

Staggering Human Toll

Terrorist groups are deadlier than ever, killing 80 percent more people in 2014 than a year earlier



Source: Institute for Economics and Peace, START Global Terrorism Database

Bloomberg

- Institute of Economic and Peace ,Global Terrorism Database

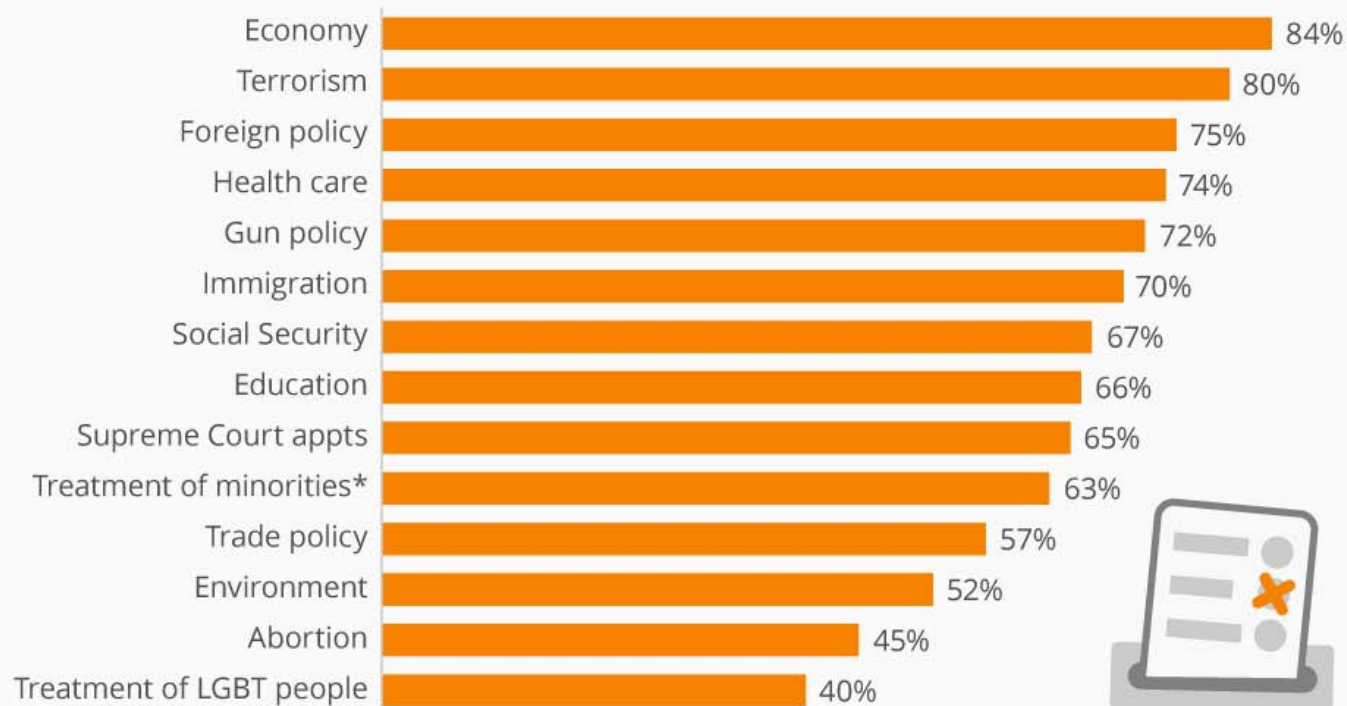
CHALLENGES

WHY RELIGION ?

CHALLENGES

The Top Issues For Voters In The 2016 Election

% of registered voters saying each is "very important" to their vote in 2016



- Top Issues for voters in 2016 election by Statista, Niall McCarthy

PRONOUNCE IT !!!

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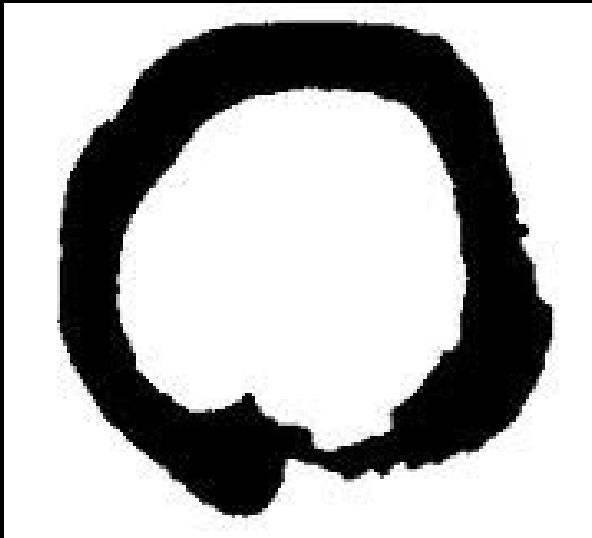
YOUTUBE VIDEO SPREAD OF 5 RELIGION

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AvFI6UBZLv4>

REMEMBER



WON BUDDHISM-BELIEF



II- won(One circle) sang

- Dharma kaya Buddha,
original source of all things in
the universe, mind- seal of all
the Buddha and sages, and
the original nature of all
sentient beings.

WON BUDDHISM-HISTORY



Park Jungbin [So Tae San]

- 1891-1943
- Relationship with Buddhism
- Transition period
- Practical & Modernized
- Japan / Colony

WON-BUDDHISM/THREEFOLD

- 1. Spiritual Cultivation
- Spiritual Cultivation is settling down and focusing our mind. This can be done through sitting meditation, chanting, and prayer. It is like weeding a field before planting seeds.
- 2. Dharma Study
- Dharma Study is a way to hone and brighten our wisdom. We hone our wisdom in all human affairs and universal principles by means of scripture study, koan practice, and dharma discussion.
- 3. Mindful Choice in Action
- Mindful Choice in Action is a path to use our mind according to its nature. Observing precepts, mindfulness practice, and heedfulness are the subjects of Mindful Choice in Action.

WON-BUDDHISM

- Dr. Chung Ohun Lee (Supreme Council of Won Buddhism)
 - “ Get away from the hatred, greed, anger and delusion”
 - “ Build a solidarity, global citizenship ,and bonding among religious groups”
 - “ Our aim is to become adherents of a broad and consummate religion by incorporating and making use as well of the doctrines of all the world’s religion” – The Scriptures of Won-Buddhism

ONE HUMANITY & RELIGION

- Won-Buddhism: The fundamental principles of all the world's religions are also essentially one, but as different religions have long been established with different systems and expedients.
- Christianity, Bible : Ecclesiastes 4:9-10
Two are better than one, because they have a good return for their labor.
If either of them falls down, one can help the other up.
- Islam, Quran : Quran 49:10 Humanity is but a single Brotherhood;
So make peace with your brother.

ONE HUMANITY & RELIGION

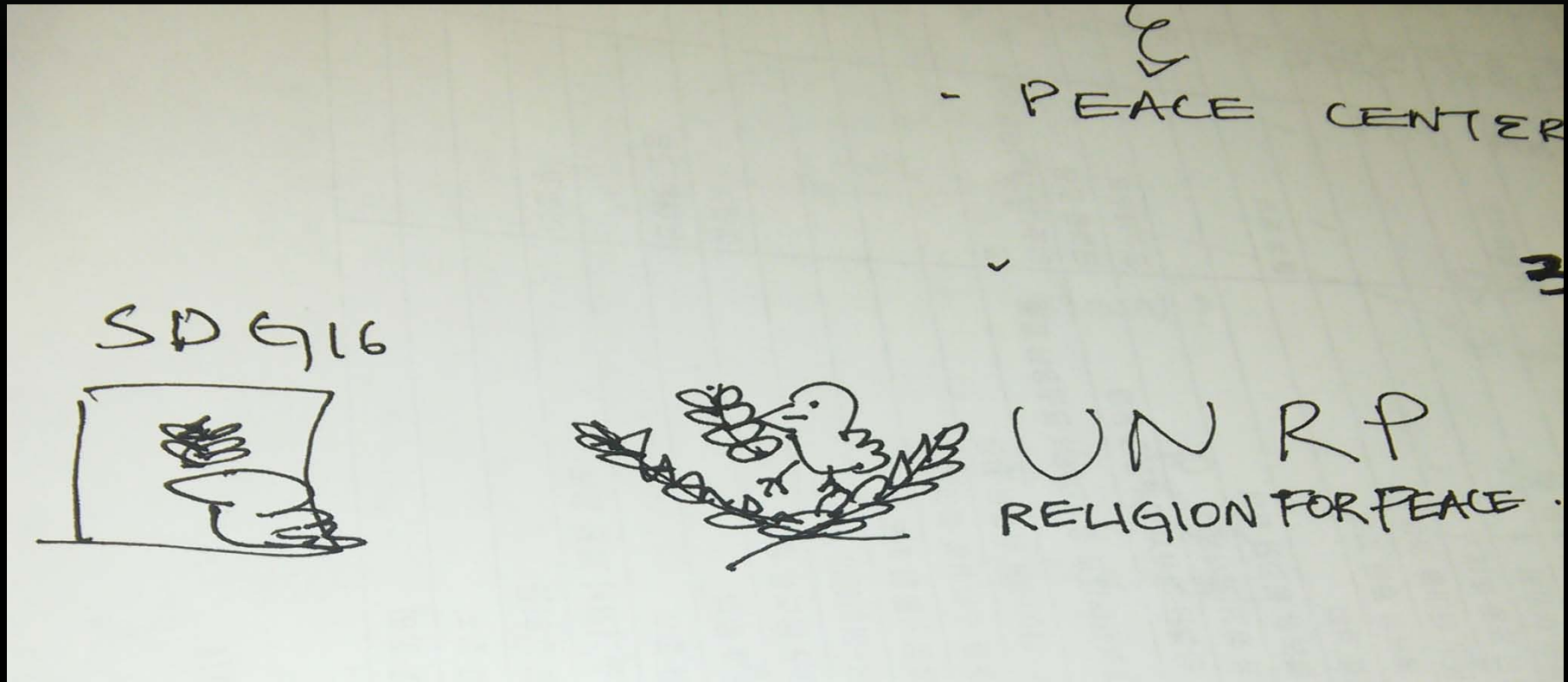
“If you want to go fast, go alone.
If you want to go far, go together”



NEW & DIFFERENT FUTURE AGENDA2020



UNITED NATION RELIGION FOR PEACE



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- Peace, justice and strong institutions
- Promote peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development, provide access to justice for all and build effective, accountable and inclusive institution at all levels

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MOTIVATIONS

- What is the ONENESS?
 - " If You Want to Get There Fast, Go Alone.
If You Want To Go Far, Go Together."
- Power/Voice of Non- Governmental Organization
 - Temple of Understanding, Religion for Peace.
- Efficiency of the meeting - United Nation Head Quarter

UNITED NATION RELIGION FOR PEACE



UNRP - SYSTEM

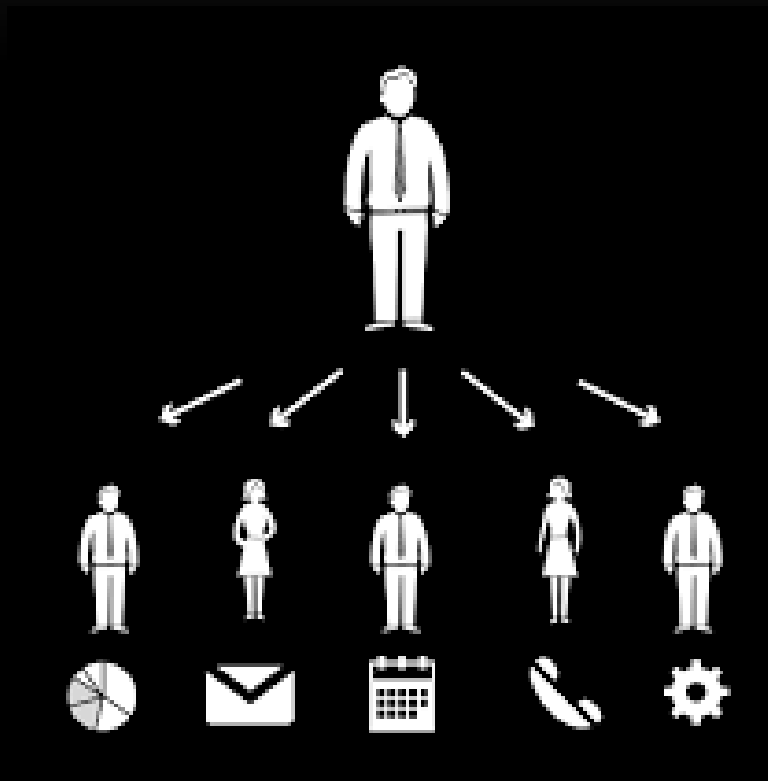
- Delegation System
 - Each religion has 4~5 ambassadors for Resolution & Negotiation
 - Each religion gets 1vote
 - Within the UN but work separately
 - Non Political

UNRP- SYSTEM

- UN RP Headquarter : Church Center→ Peace Center
- General Assembly
 - Secretary General : 5 years term, NO CONSECUTIVE TERM
 - 5~7 Candidates→ 3 Candidates(Debate + Speech)



UNRP- SYSTEM



Diplomatic Congressman

- New Expert Group
- Cooperate with other UN organizations
- UN HQ, WHO, UNDP
- Observer

UNRP- SYSTEM



- Continental Committee
- Specialized in each continent
- Temporary



- UNICEF
- World Health Organization
- Fundraising
- UN Women

UNRP- EXPECTATIONS & IMPACT

Education / Youth – Temple of Understanding

- Internship Opportunity
- High School : Research 75~100
- Undergraduate/ graduate : Experience 75~100
- High School + Undergraduate / Graduate
- Significance of Education.

PLAN

- Religion for Peace
- Temple of Understanding
- Religious Leaders
- Delegation System
- Fundraising
- Promoting
- App Project

THANK YOU!!



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