Reimagining and Reorienting

Alternative Futures for Asia

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Multiple Worlds in Possible Futures


- Possible Futures: Kondratieff Cycles and Crises ↔
  A: *Global War* (Mutual Securitization) or *Global Reforms*
  due to B: Broadening gaps  C: Global Warming


- Overcoming ontology of power & property ↔ From Tekne to poisies ↔ *From Empire to multiple worlds*
Imagining Alternative Futures

- Geo-historical Social Structures in Asia
  - Pax Americana ↔ Pax Sinica + Pax Indica + Pax Islamica + Pax Animica
- Pax Americana (TPP = American Lake)
- Pax Sinica (Tienxia 天下)
- Pax Indica (Composite Mandala Order)
- Pax Islamica (Almost Omni-present Ummah)
- Pax Animica (Pacific Indigenous Civilizations)
The Divided Common House of North-East Asia

• **Divided House of Westphalia Asian Style**
  Hybridization of Modernism and Tradition
  ↔ Pro-West **Orientalism** (HR minus anti-colonialism+ market competition )
  Pro-Rest **Occidentalism** (Anti-Universalism but accepts neo-Colonialist competition)

**Three Possible Futures**
A. Mutual Escalation of *Securitization* ↔ Arms Race & War
B. Top-Down **Global Governance** led by TPP MNCs
C. Bio-Region Autonomy ↔ Bottom-Up **Radical Ecological Democracy**
Hybrids of Orientalism & Occidetaism

Japan  1955: Balance of Radical and Reactionary Pacifism=>Now: Abe Selective occidentalism (Anti HR & Democracy+Pro-Cloniaism & Pro-Market-competition)

Korea RK  HR & Democracy vs Competitive State

DPRK  Juche vs Predominance of the Military

China  Maximize Forces of Production in Global Market and return to Pax Sinica traditional values.
Asia-Pacific De-Westphalianization

• **Westphalian Capitalism** ⇔ North Atlantic Peace (Democratic Peace) + Colonialism (Neo-Colo & Global Colonialism) ⇔ **Securitization**

• Beyond **Kant’s “Ewigen Frieden”**, from Technocracy to **Poyetocracy**, from Casino Capitalism to **Convivial Gift Economy**, from State-Based Territorial Democracy to **Bio-Region Radical Ecological Democracy**.
Myths & Utopia in Asian Reorient

1. *Right to Live in Peace* and Article 9 of the Japanese Constitution ⇔ Criminalization of Colonialism
2. *Peaceful Coexistence & Equal Mutual Benefit* Originating from Multicultural Pax Sinica & Pax Indica
3. *Bandung Declaration* as a Document of North South Reconsiliation between UN and *BRICS Nefos*.
4. *Asian Way* as an Autopoyetic Approach to Multi-ethnic Accommodation linking ASEAN with the *Ummah Diaspora*
5. *Pachamama and Sumak Kauzai Indigenismo* of Central America in Ecological Alliance with the *Pacific Indigenous Nations* of Pollinesia, Melanesia, Micronesia and the Former Kingdoms of Ryukyu and Hawaii, and Aotearoa /Australia.
Asian Ways and Regionalism
two Leadership Styles

Sukarno = Confrontasi + Bandung

Tunku Abderrahman = Maphilindo

=> Singapore + Malaysia => ASEAN

Enlarged ASEAN or
American Lake Rim TPP
Asia-Descendants in Asia

• Asia as a *Process of Hybridization* in N-E Asia, Pacific, South Asia and Central Asia.

• *Continental and Oceanic Reconciliations in Central Asia & in the Pacific/Indian Ocean.*

• Traditional Migrant Communities (*Chinese+Indian*) + Global Migration (*Feminization+Informalization*)
  + ( Formal/Informal ) Diaspora Communities ⇔
  Exclusionary Racism and/or Multi-culturalism
  ⇔ Social Transformation through Cooperation
  between Civil society, Indigenous Communities
  and diaspora communities (*Bolivarismo/Indigenismo*)
The BRICS Subaltern Neoliberalism

Collaborate with Neoliberalism without conviction and with hidden myths in mind:

B=Liberation. R=Cultural Values I=Antiodaya
C=Gift Economy. S=Truth & Reconciliation.

BRICS Bank (AIIB) in Shanghai: The New Two Silk Roads Project of China creating a Eurasian Network of Non-neoliberal equal benefit economy. ↔ Possible agency destabilizing neoliberal globalism from Within.
Endogenous Human Security in Reoriented Asia Pacific

• *Right to Peace* as Reconciliation between Spanish original Colonizers and the original Colonized Caribbean & Latin American Nations. (Santiago Declaration)

• *Asian Human Rights Charter* based on the Right to Life. (Kwagnju Declaration)

• Anti-Colonial model of *Permanent Neutrality* of the Constitution of Japan. (To be Re-Adopted)