Popular Movement and the Construction of Citizenship Education

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Popular Movements
The Failure of Consensus Building
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Popular Movements
- Asia regional Democratization
- Philippine, S.Korea, Externally Constructed Conjoncture

Externally Constructed Conjoncture
- European regional Integration towards
2. The Necessities of CE

Citizenship Education

Social Movement

Democratization
2. The Necessities of CE

1. The Basic Concepts should be explained

2. The ‘Social Sector’ was called widely

3. Democracy should be nurtured
Rapid Social Changes

Externally Imposed Globalization → Resistance → Deconstruction and Reconstruction
3. Reversed Cultural Lag

External Globalization
- Instruments First Institution
- Value was Ignored

Weak social base of constitutionalism
- Weak social base of political party
3-1. Rapid Social Changes

Democratization and Globalization

From Resistance to Democratic Governance System Building

Deconstruction of Traditions

Deconstruction of the patriarchal system: Feminist Movement against Patriarchal Family Law and the Gender inequality
3-2. Deformation of the Abstract Values

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The Feudal Remnants
  • Nepotism
  • Colonial Remnants

The Cold War Framework
  • Division into 2 Nation States
  • The Oppression of Social Reformation

Neoliberalism
  • Unlimited Competition
  • Consumerism
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5. Major Social Movements

- June 10th 1987
- April 19 1960
- March 1st 1919
- Donghack 1895
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Solidarity Building

CSOs
Initiatives

Central /Local Gos
Parliament
Corporation
Political Party
Media
Judicial System
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Csos /Gos-National and Local

Monitoring Go’s Activities
- Accountability+
- Transparency+
- Efficiency

Building Governance System
- Policy Initiation
- Joint Project for Community Development
Csos /private Sectors

Monitoring Corporate Activities
• Encroaching public interestslity
• Duty of Tax Payment, employment, environmental Degradation

Corporate Social Responsibility
• Ethical Consumption-good production-Social Enterprise
• / Joint Project for Community Development
Csos /Media, Judiciary System, Legislation

Monitoring, Suggestions
- Boycott, Consumer’s power s, Voter’s Power

More Participatory Citizen's Engagement
- Alternative Media, Participatory Court, Direct Initiatives
Innovation through Crossing Borders

local/national/regional/global

Multiple sector’s Partnership

From Consumer and Voter to Citizen
New Challenges

Social + Economy

Social + Public Service

Social + Regulation
3-4. Democratize the Democracy

- More Democracy
- Deliberate Democracy
- Direct Democracy
Thank you !!!