## The Coming Dark Age and the Future of Scholarly Associations

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## Attention Network

Awareness (alerting)

Focus

(sort relevant information)

**Planning** 

(Executive Control determines growth, willpower, reflective thinking, deep learning)

(Jackson, 2009)

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**#DerangedDonald** No understanding of the constitution. Dictator-wanna-be. When will it end?!



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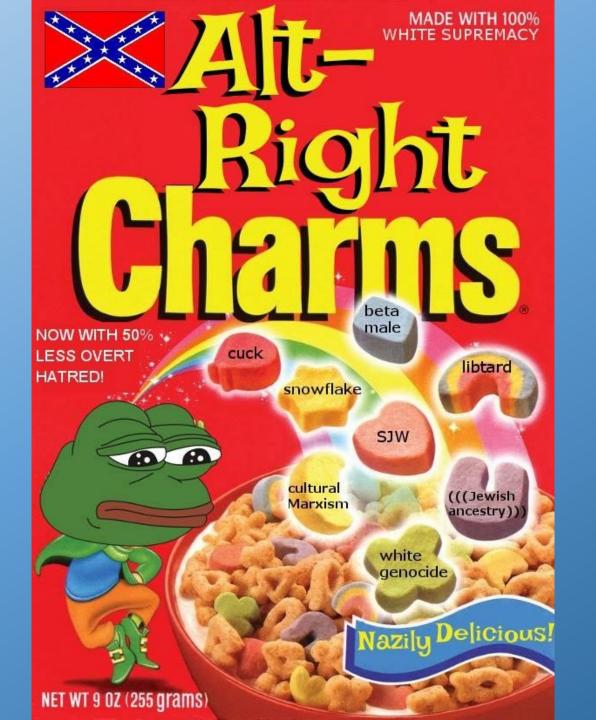


It's been two days and they've already banned assault weapons in New Zealand, banned Nazis from coming to Australia and publicly shamed Islamophobic politicians.



Wow, did they even TRY thoughts and prayers?







I'll make him a green new deal he can't resist. #italianaoc



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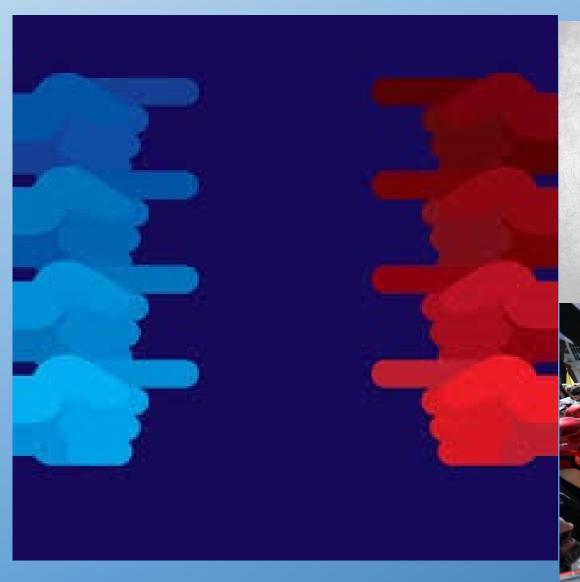


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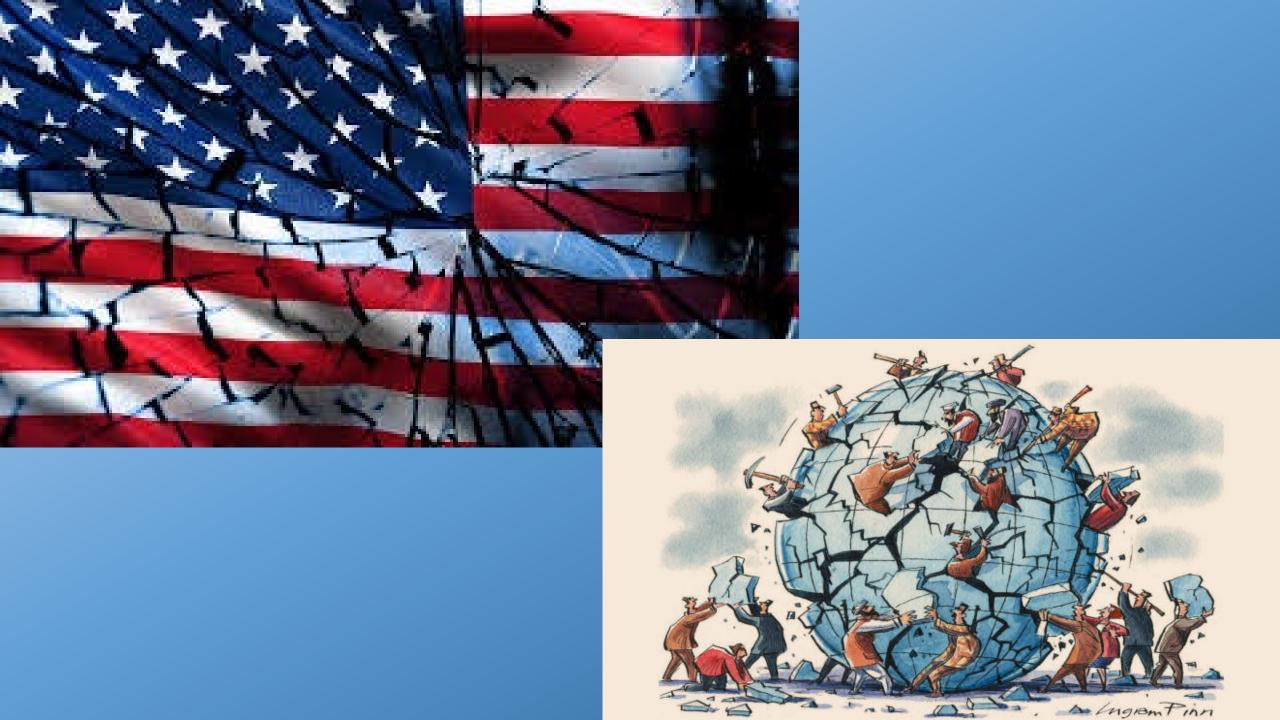
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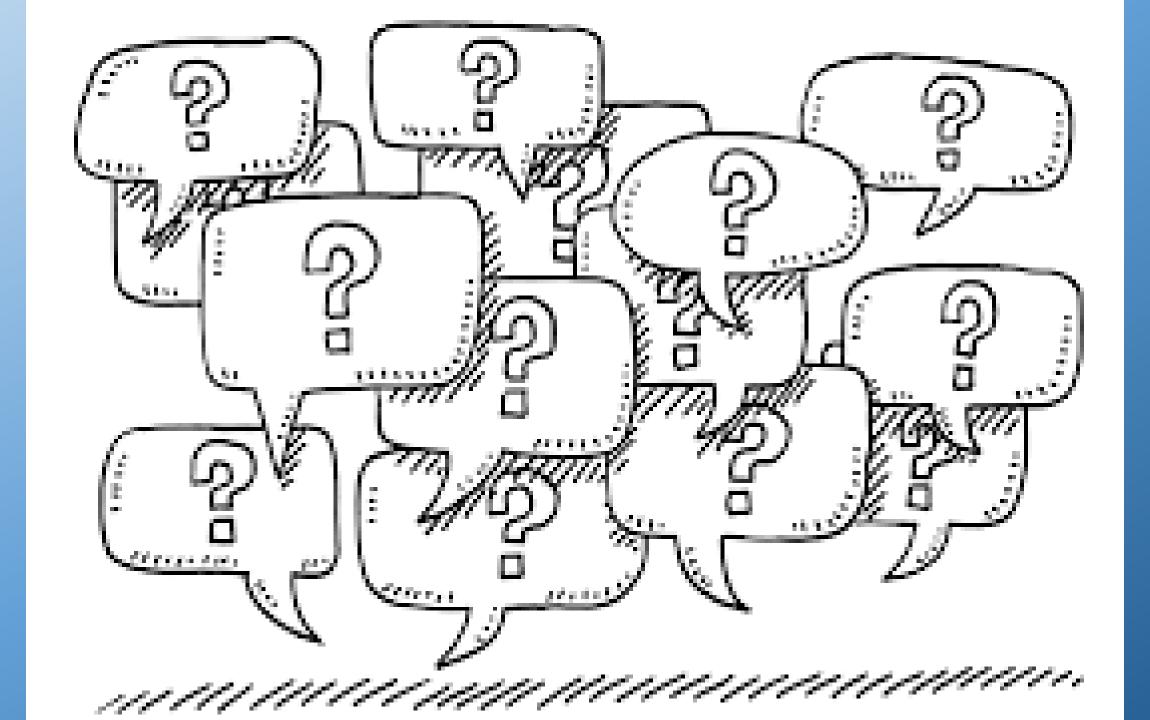










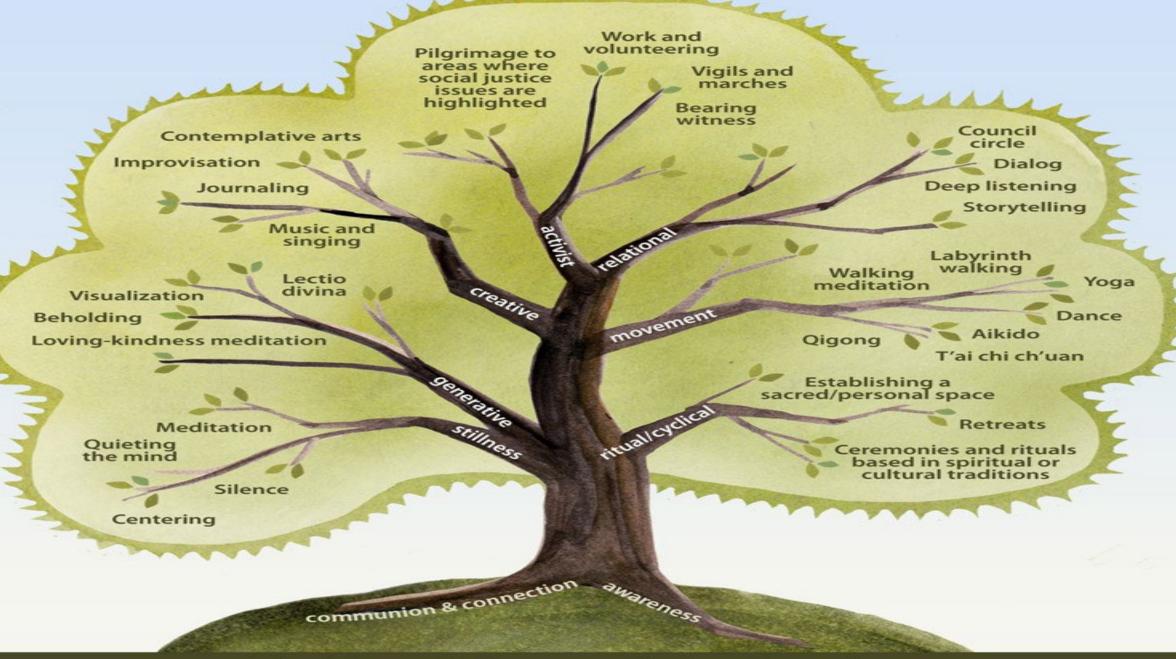




- 1. Focus on member community experiences
- 2. Support resources for interaction and collaboration
- 3. Begin to integrate structural and perceptions concerns into organizational planning and action in support of diversity, equity and inclusion







## The Tree of Contemplative Practices www.contemplativemind.org





## Benefits of Debate in the Classroom

Emotional Engagement	Behavioral Engagement	Cognitive Engagement
What is this? Boredom, checking out, alienated.	What is this? Skipping class and school, no studying effort, don't follow rules.	What is this? Show desire to exceed requirements, gain mastery beyond test.
Improve student interest and enjoyment in learning.	Increases participation in activities, concentration and attention to learning.	Challenges and engages students by giving them skill and power.
Reduces student anxiety and school performance.	Makes students more optimistic about their future.	Gives purpose to reading, develop information literacy.
Reduces prejudice by increasing interactions with others.	Enhances respect for the viewpoints of others.	Develops lifelong critical thinking skills.
Empowers youth to speak up, be critical consumers, and be agents of change.	Decreased number and severity of behavioral problems.	Strong and conclusive relationships to academic success, GPA, graduation and graduate education.

(Winkler, 2016)

