



Global Arts and Media Node

Recommendations for Millennium Project

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Node Management

Ideas for increasing coherence, focus and efficacy of nodes:

- Facilitated Communication between Nodes
 - Need for better coordination, communication, coherence
 - Possible solutions include newsletter, networking website, node liaison
- Goal Setting and Tracking
 - Short and long term goals for nodes
- Annual Special Focus on Select Global Challenges
 - One Global Challenge is chosen for primary annual focus
 - Three to four Global Challenges chosen for secondary annual focus
 - Each node prepares report on selected challenges
- Standard Annual Reporting Template for Nodes
 - Goals and Accomplishments
 - Global challenges regional reports
 - SOF dissemination plan
 - Special Projects
- Quarterly Reports from Nodes
 - Informal reporting for newsletter or update report

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Standard Annual Reporting Template for Nodes

- Goals and Accomplishments
 - Last year's goals
 - Last year's accomplishments/status
 - Next year's goals
- Global challenges regional reports
 - Standard measure of global challenge impact, both present and future¹:
 - Natural resources
 - Economy
 - Environment/ecology
 - Social/cultural progress
 - Survey of solutions, active programs and key decision makers
 - Technological/academic
 - Governmental/diplomatic
 - Corporate
 - Social/societal
- SOF dissemination and outreach plan
 - Translation
 - Printing and distribution
 - Transmedia properties
- Special Projects

1) Quadruple bottom line concept from Zhouying Jin's report

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Transmedia Projects for Millennium Project

A Variety of Media for Outreach, Communications and Influencing

- Print
 - SOF report adaptations and spinoffs
 - Multi-language distribution (existing program)
 - Overview for general public
 - Children's version
 - Youth version (graphic novel?)
 - Educator's guide (textbook?)
 - Papers, articles, etc.
- Web
 - Social network
 - Blog and forums
 - Crowdsourcing of solutions to global challenges
 - Video webisodes and viral videos
 - Educator's tools
- Television Series (Global)
- Film – Documentary
- Digital Dome/Planetarium Show (Informal Education)
- Serious Games
- Mobi/iPhone Apps

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Television/Webisode Series Concept

State of the Future

A forward-looking, youth-focused, multinational TV/web series focused on emerging solutions to global challenges and how they can be accelerated.

One episode per Global Challenge:

- Part 1. Introduce challenge
 - How serious is the challenge?
 - What regions are currently most impacted? What are the future forecasts?
 - What drivers or entities contribute most to or perpetuate the challenge?
 - Government agencies, corporations, social trends, environmental policies, etc.
- Part 2. Youth hosts review emerging solutions to challenge
 - Technologies, policies, educational programs, etc.
- Part 3. Youth hosts interview the heroes and villains and seek action plan
 - Who is working hard to provide solutions?
 - Who is blocking their path?
 - How can barriers to progress be removed?
 - What will it take to overcome challenge?
 - How can the viewer help?

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Serious Games

Games can range from very simple to extremely complex:

- Web Applet
 - Simple, inexpensive game for Facebook or other social network
 - Can propagate virally via social network
 - Allows teaching of simple concepts via “sticky” interaction
- Mobile Application
 - iPhone, Android, Blackberry, etc.
 - Capabilities include GPS, accelerometers, camera
 - Allows augmented reality, geotagging, gesture-based interaction
- Online Application
 - Widespread distribution possible
 - Increasingly complicated applications – augmented reality, etc.
- PC Game
 - Can play on any PC
 - Excellent quality
- Game Console
 - X-Box, Wii, Playstation, etc.
 - Excellent quality with additional capabilities (controllers, etc.)



Thank You!

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