

## STORY WARS

Domain, Doctrine ...Action

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**Marshall Monroe** 

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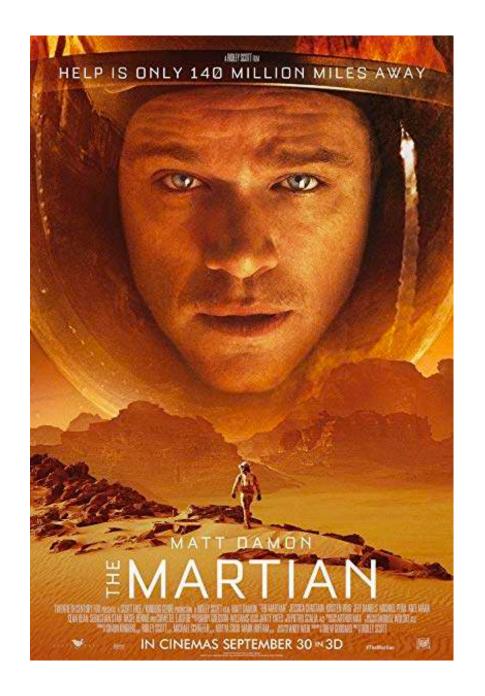
## NASA & U.S.A. Flub Space Mission ....TWICE!!!

**China Holds All the Cards** 

**Rescues Us from Ourselves!** 

ENTERTAINMENT NEWS APRIL 22, 2016 / 5:30 AM / 3 YEARS AGO

China official says film 'The Martian' shows Americans want space cooperation







## "That's not the Neil Armstrong I knew." - Buzz Aldrin

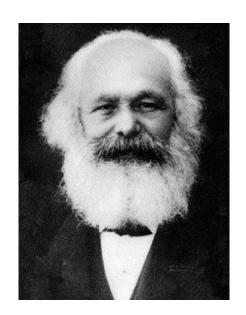
"I also think Neil was extremely humble, as were many of these astronauts, and time and time again he deferred the focus from himself to the 400,000 people who made the mission possible."

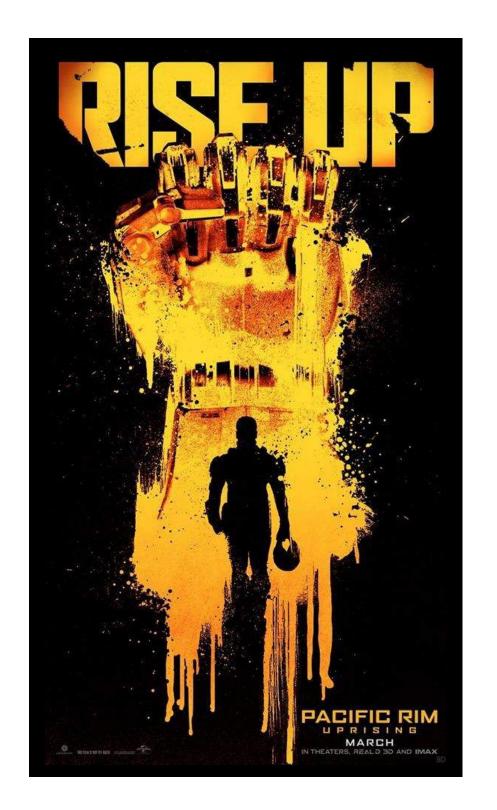


Violent, Stalinist
Symbol & Imagery
Vilify Success & Merit
Vladimir Lenin & Karl Marx

Class & Identity Disruption Resentment, Anger, Aggression,













The Pander Express...

U.S.A.: Bungling, Fumbling Happenstance Bravado

China as Faultless, Benevolent, Reserved, Superior Intellect & Capability

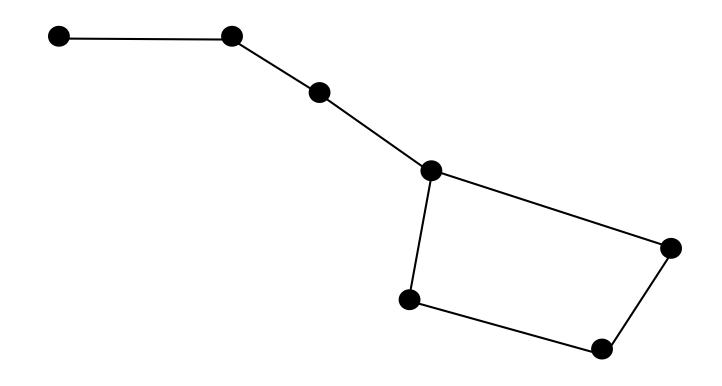




**Influence & Industry** 

**A Comprehensive Strategy** 

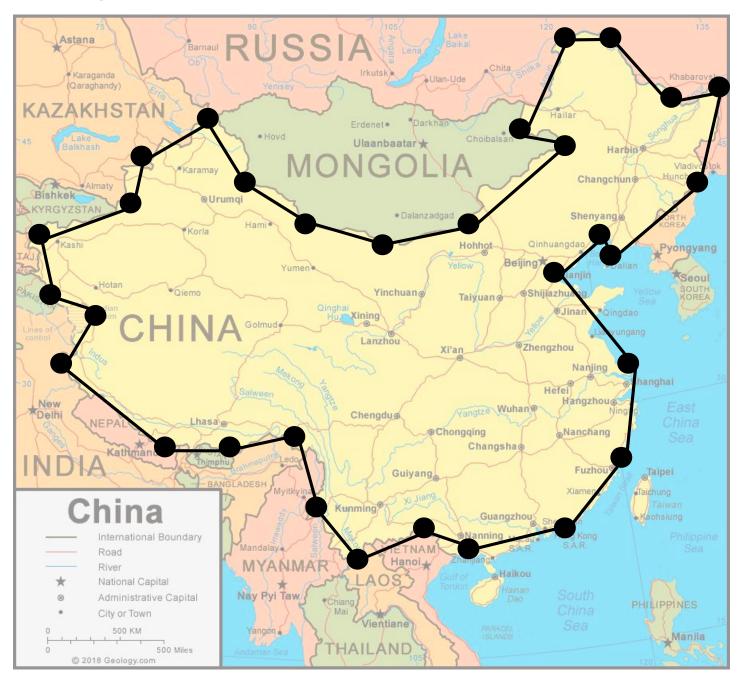
#### **Connecting the Dots...**



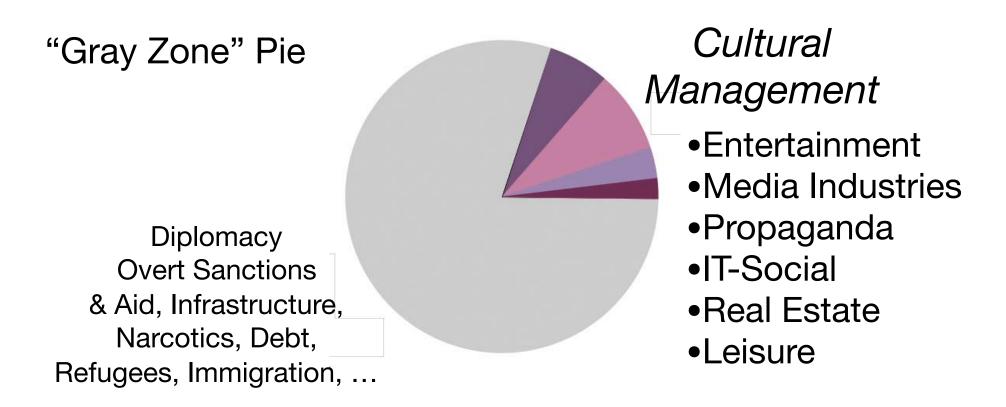
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#### **Connecting the Dots...**



## **Soft Power 2.0**



U.S.A.: Bungling, Fumbling, Greedy, Selfish, Happenstance Bravado, Foolish

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MCi & Soft Power 2.0 - Story Wars

Empirical Doctrine Framework

ACTION Items ...



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**Global Situation Awareness** 

Through the Lens of

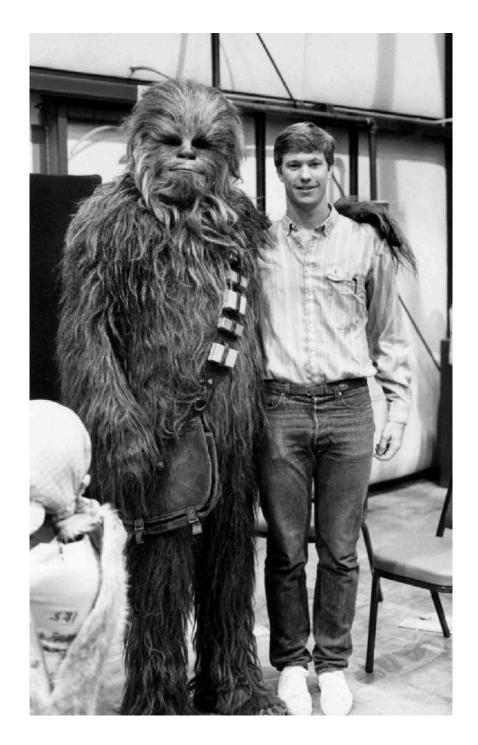
**Story & Applied Imagination** 

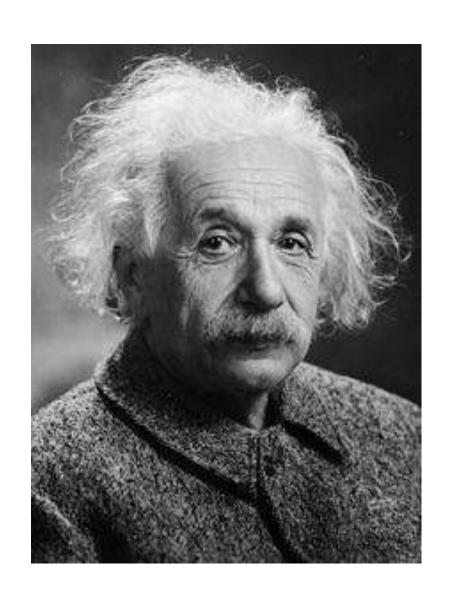
**Emerging Technology Omni-Lateral Design** 

**Dual Use** 



**Emerging Trends, Tools, Patterns, ...Challenges** 





**Mid-20th Century** 

Atomic Physics
Relativity
Quantum Mechanics

**Nuclear Weapons** 

## Mid-20th Century

## Comparative Mythology Subconscious Narrative Structure World Religions

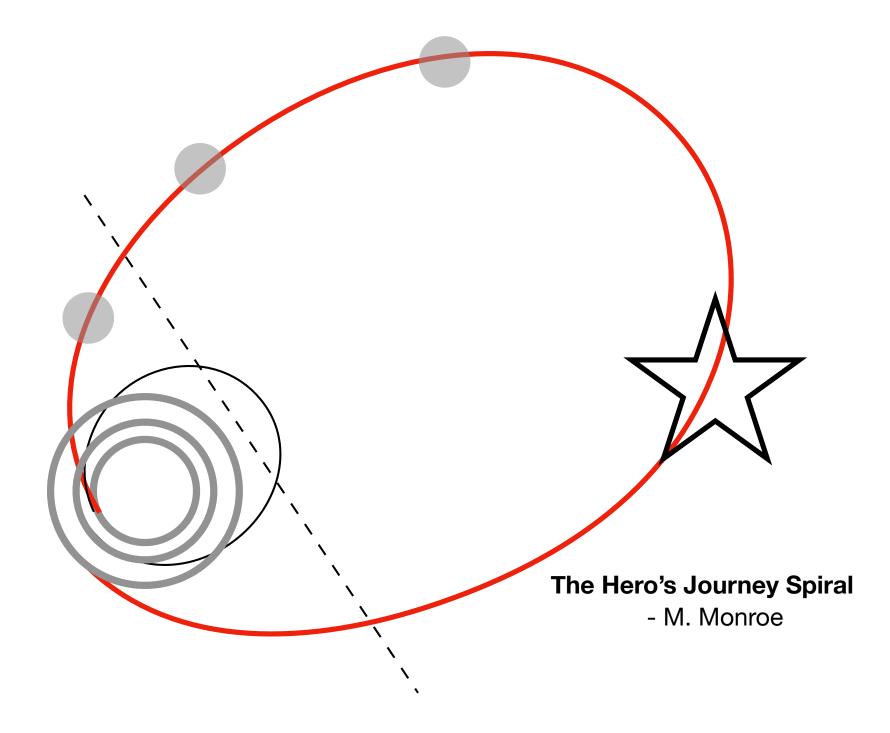
## **Cosmogonic Cycle**

The Hero with a Thousand Faces

Bay Area Guy!

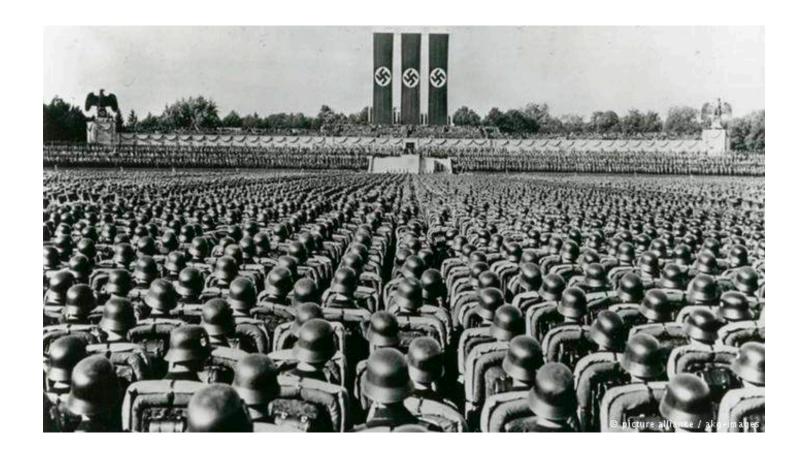


Weaponized Storytelling...





Great Science can be Used for Good AND/OR Evil...



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Good AND/OR Evil -

Nazi Germany Showed Us Story Arts Can Serve Evil Ends

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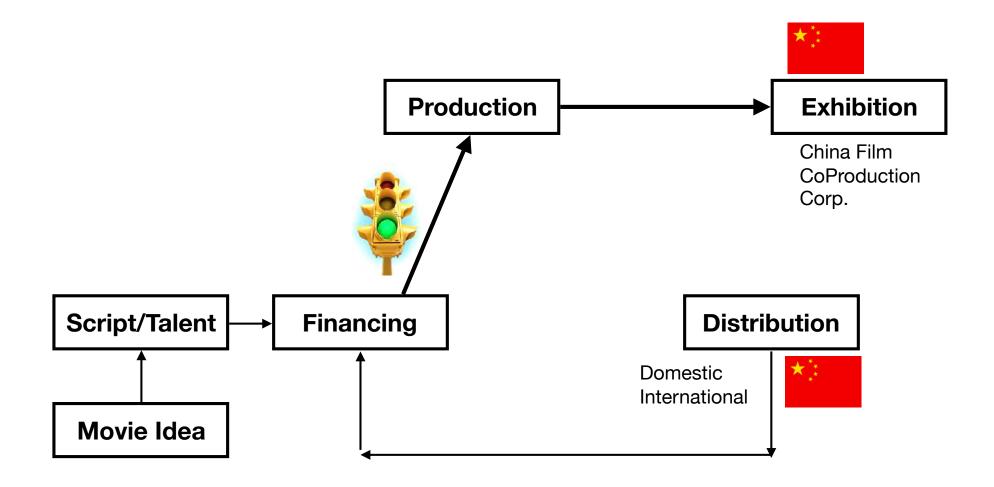
## Chinese Conglomerate Buys AMC Movie Chain in U.S.

\$2.6B 2012; 1000 Theaters around the World

Also Carmike Cinemas
Nordic Cinema Group \$929M
Starplex
Odeon

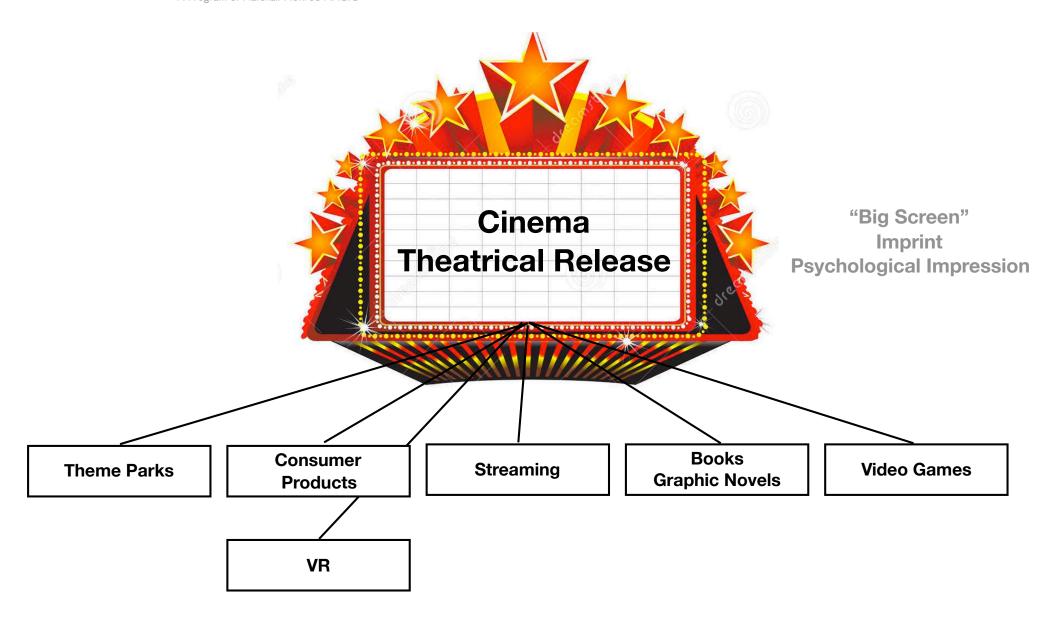
...goal of Owning 20% of global screens

When was the last time you watched a movie with a Chinese villain?



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#### **Story Wars**

"We have a huge market, and we want to share it with you,"

"We want films that are **heavily invested in Chinese culture**, not one or two shots," she said. "We want to see positive Chinese images."

- Zhang Xun, then the president of the **state-owned** China Film Co-Production Corporation, speaking to a room full of Hollywood executives.



China's Wanda Group accused of funneling foreign money into Beverly Hills ballot measure

DEALS & DEAL MAKERS

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MOVIES

#### It's Official: China's Wanda Acquires Legendary Entertainment for \$3.5 Billion

DEAS | ESSAY

China Gets Its Message to Americans but Doesn't Want to Reciprocate

Beijing enjoys a big megaphone in America even as it blocks U.S. media outlets, hinders independent scholars and limits U.S. public diplomacy

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Global Opinion

Congress demands answers on AP's relationship with Chinese state media

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Netflix pulls episode of Hasan Minhaj's show that criticizes the Saudi government

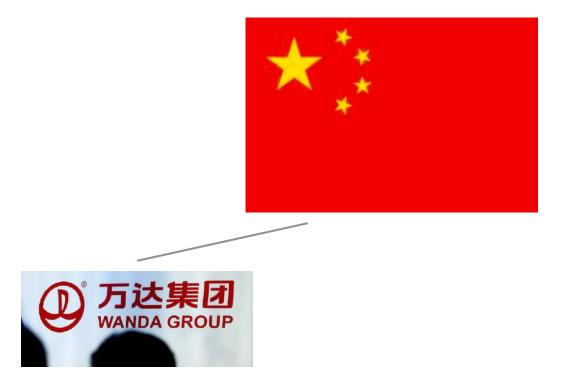


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Wang Jianlin (front, left) says his Dalian Wanda Group is building a chain of theme parks to become the world's largest tourism company. Mr. Wang, shown here next to American film producer Thomas Tull, also controls the American theater chain AMC and media company Legendary Entertainment. Photo: Pan Zhiwang/Imaginechina





"...Government Support for State Owned Enterprise"

- WSJ

WHUT?



Alibaba invests in DreamWorks Co-Founder's Venture in New Media...

Big Surprise There! ...







\$4.5B

(Nimitz Class Aircraft Carrier)





\$ 10B Portfolio - Shell Game Move to Sunac China Holdings, Co

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## Disney 'should not have come to China'

says Dalian Wanda Group "Chairman & Founder"

"One tiger is no match for a pack of wolves. Shanghai has one Disney, while Wanda, across the nation, will open 15 to 20"

\$ 10B Portfolio - Shell Game Move to Sunac China Holdings, Co

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#### **Forest City Malaysia**

PRC Mixed-Use Development \$136 Billion

**30.2 Nimitz-Class Aircraft Carriers** 

WORLD NEWS JANUARY 22, 2019 / 7:06 PM / UPDATED 8 HOURS AGO

## Hong Kong moves to make disrespecting Chinese national anthem a crime



HONG KONG (Reuters) - Hong Kong on Wednesday presented a controversial bill to lawmakers that prescribes jail terms of up to three years for disrespecting the Chinese national anthem, a move critics say raises fresh fears over freedom of expression in the city.

March of the "Volunteers"

### **How China Infiltrated U.S. Classrooms**

Even as they face criticism, Chinese government-run educational institutes have continued their forward march on college campuses across the United States.

By ETHAN EPSTEIN | January 16, 2018 | Updated January 17, 2018

"The Confucius Institute is an appealing brand for expanding our culture abroad," Li Changchun said. "It has made an important contribution toward improving our soft power. The 'Confucius' brand has a natural attractiveness. Using the excuse of teaching Chinese language, everything looks reasonable and logical."

2011 Communist Party Member, Beijing



500 Campuses Worldwide 100 in U.S.A. (Math Check: That's 2 in Every State...)



Soft Power - The 3D Chess Board

An Empirical Pattern Language Inquiry

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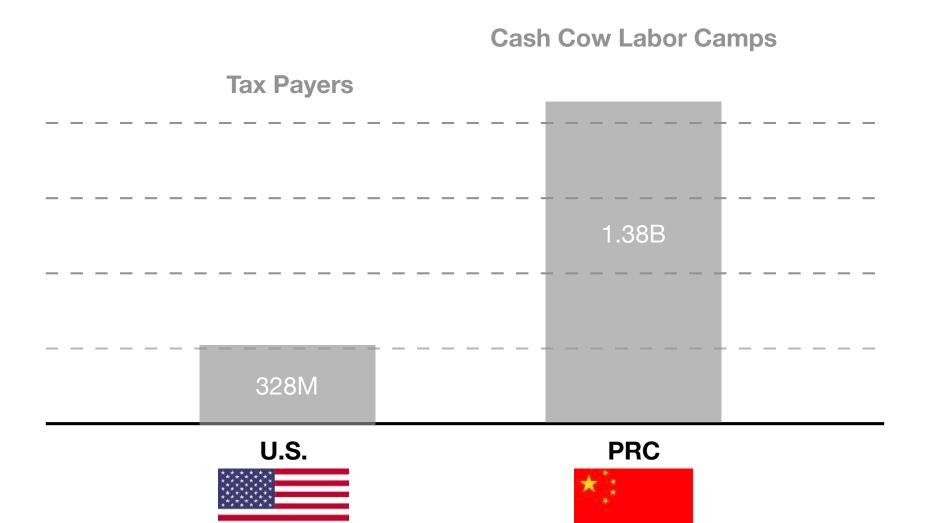
**Empirical Doctrine Framework** 

ACTION Items ...



- Cash Reactor Working Class Economic Nuclear Weapon
- Connectivity (Silk Belt and Road SBR Initiative)
- Strategic Media Sympathetic News Apparatus
- The Opioid Front
- Foreign Real Estate & Infrastructure Investment
- Education & Faculty Ideology
- Billionaire Avatars Venture Shell Game; IT Subsidies
- Joint Venture Shakedown Knowledge Transfer Demand
- Cultural Mgt.: Entertainment & Mythos; Stories & Design
- IP Asymmetry
- Digital-Social Media Mob Operations and Logistics Support
- Tariffs Red Herring

## **Cash Reactor: Weaponized Capital**





How to Deconstruct an Edifice
Toward a New Era Tradecraft & SOF Capability

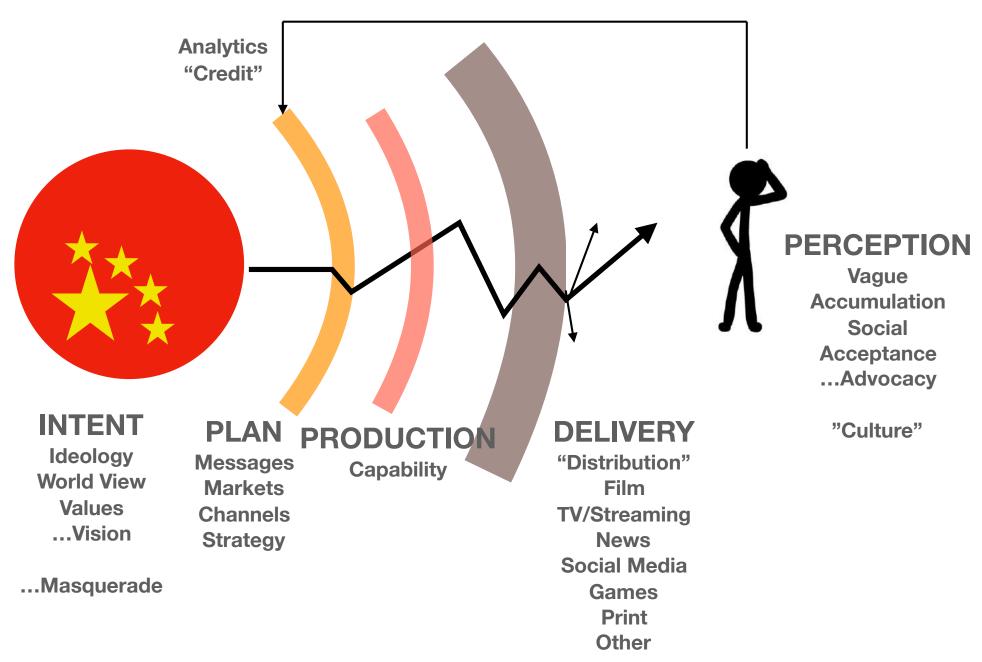
#### Offense - Snuff out American Spirit, Replace with Conformist Values

- Benevolent, Flawless, Smarter than You, Calm, ...Omnipotent
- Virtue of Violent Overthrow of Government to replace with ... Central Government

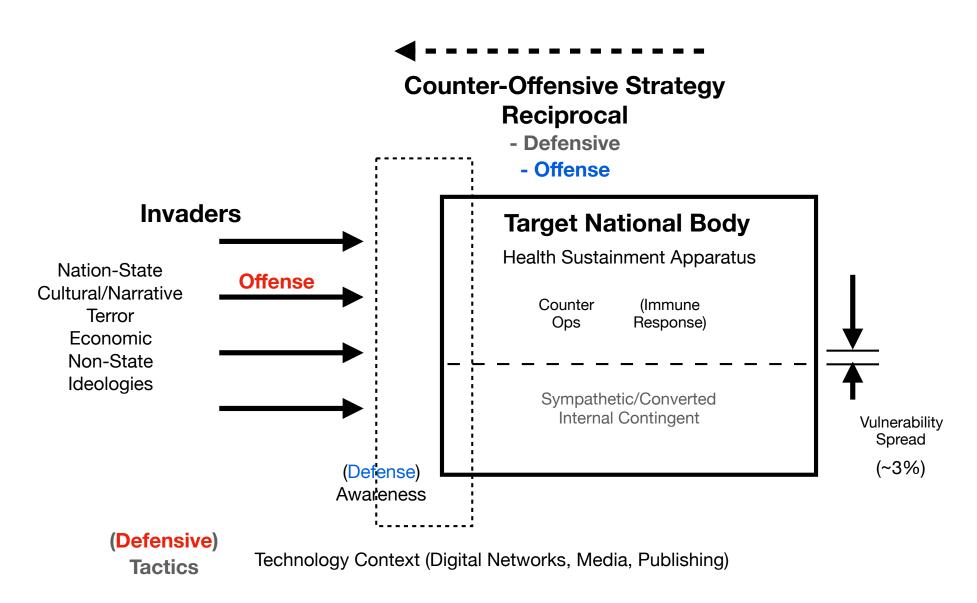
#### **Defense - Prevent American Message from Reaching Citizens**

- State-Run Media Complex - CONTROL; No Liberty or Marketplace of Ideas

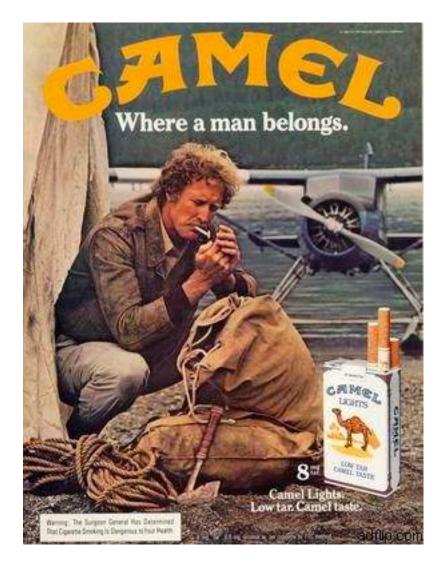
#### **Soft Power Sports Center...**



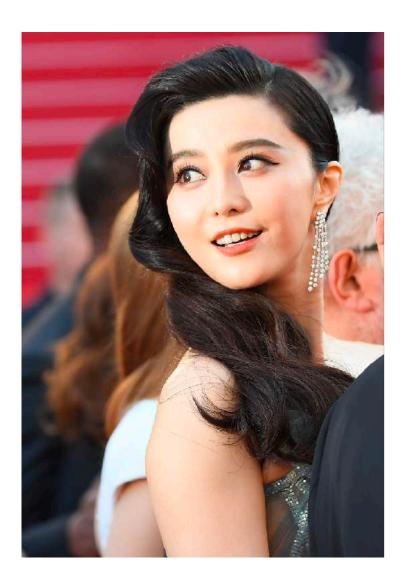
#### **Soft Power Sports Center...**



#### Masquerade Marketing - Planned Deception...

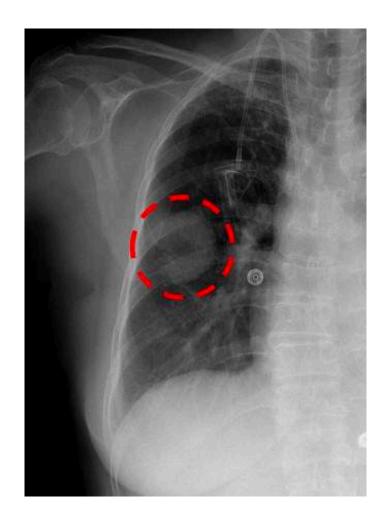


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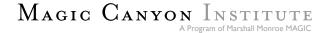
#### The DeBeers Model - A Diamond is Forever







Reality



# Simple Policy Threat Analysis... Which is Worse?

**Nuclear Event** 

Regional Conflict, West Coast w/Plume

**Big Mess to Clean Up** 

**Dirty Spoils** 

#### **Total Narrative Supremacy**

Swing the Vote (55%)

Annex America in 8 years "Strategic Alliance"

...with Benefits

Natural Resources
IP
Capture U.S. Nuclear Arsenal



### Why Should USG Care?

#### **Mission Bloopers:**

"Amazon is not a threat to us. ...they don't have any stores..."

- Imaginary Sears Executive, c.2008

"Digital Pictures Could Never Replace the Sophisticated Chemistry of Film ..."

- Imaginary Kodak Executive, c.1995

#### If Kinetic War is like Football...

Soft Power is like Big Budget Opera...

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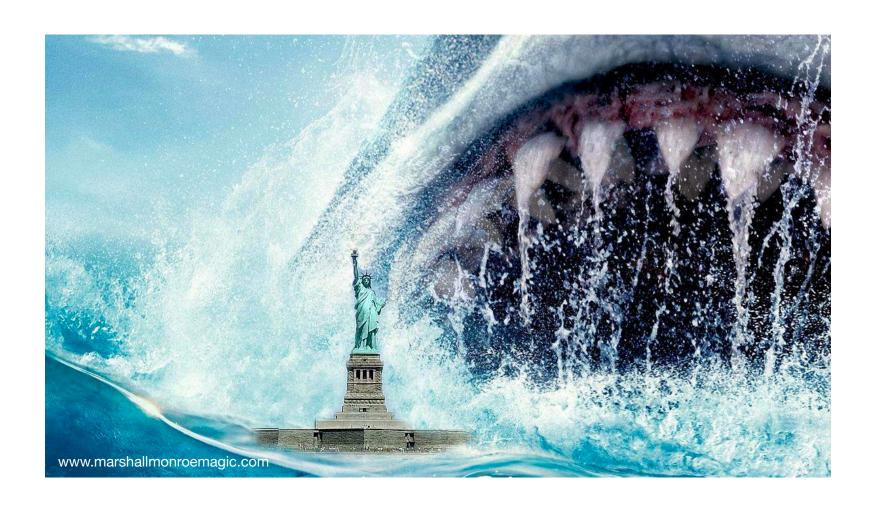
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# Worst Case Scenario: Status Quo



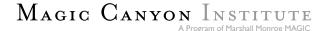
## STORY WARS - A Strategy

I. Monitor & Model

**IIA.** Freedom Ring

IIB. Literacy - MCi

III. Brutal Budget Beatdown



# Better Scenario: Monitor & Model The Soft Power Shark Tank



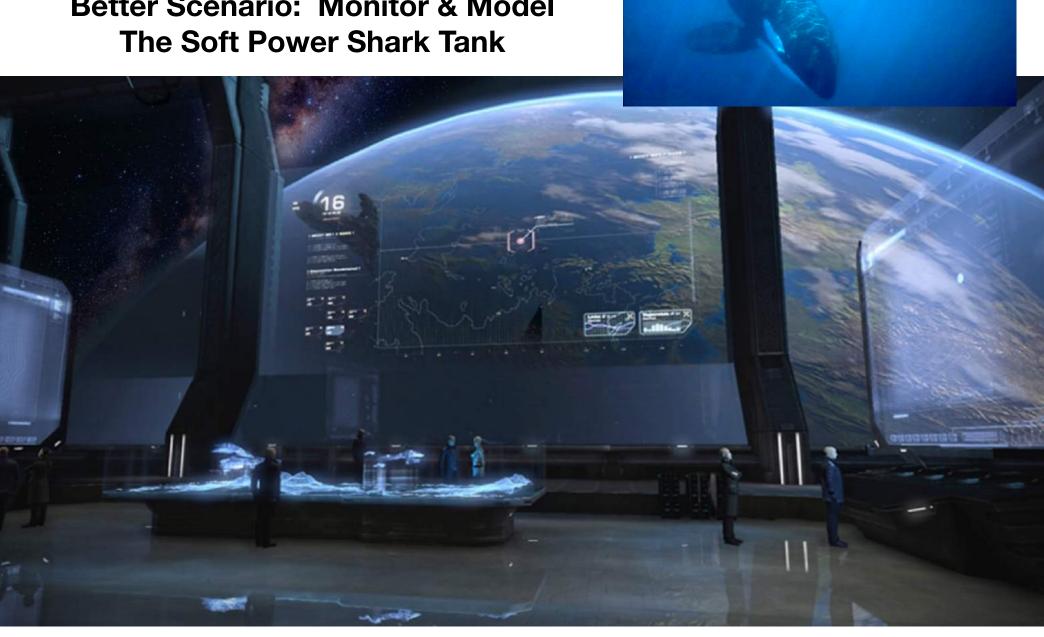
Rigorous Data Analytics StoryWars<sup>™</sup> Framework Visualization Center

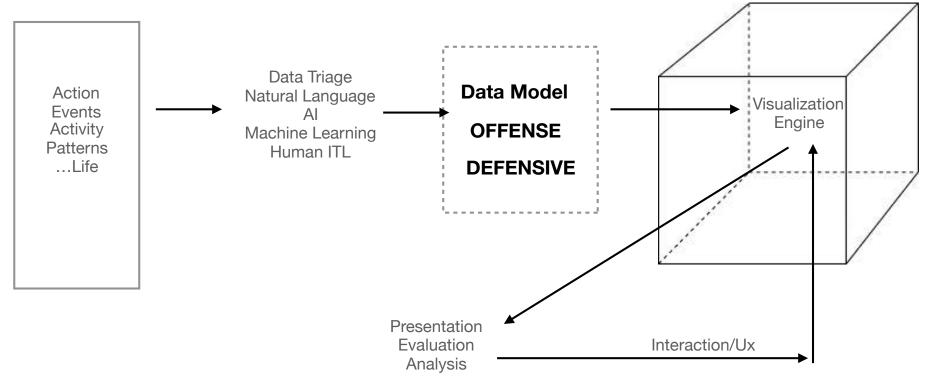
Briefings, Real-Time Reporting

New Doctrine of Response...
...Revival











Display Innovations Projection Mapping Ux Realtime 3-D



# China Truth Newsroom



Bold, Unflinching Truth in Literacy and Parental Guidance

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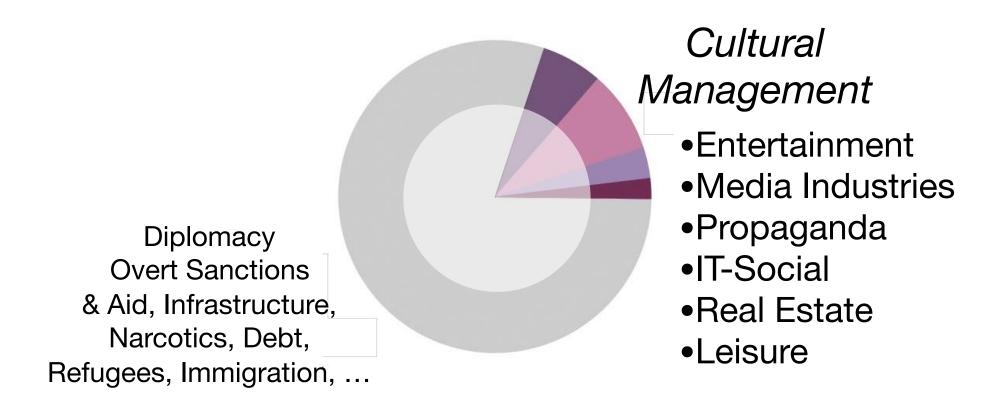


Stories of Unity, Western Values, American Ingenuity, Innovation Government Serving the People, Generosity, Courage, & Family

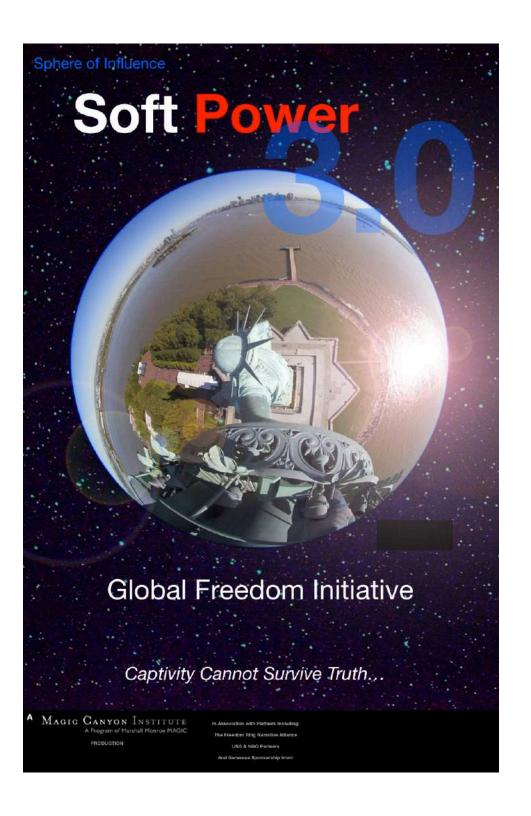
# Film & Messaging Fund/Alliance

Public Private Partnerships

## Soft Power 2.0



Generalized Cultural Management Domain of the Gray Zone



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