

SHARING OUR VIEW

Future of Management Education

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First Round Conversation

- Reflect about the past in order to prepare for the future
 - How has Management Education been in the past?
 - ☐ Did we interpret management as OBJECT of STUDY or SUBJECT for living?
 - Most business schools design curriculum as object of study Map as opposed to the Terrain
 - Many lessons from the Alibaba story
 - most academics review the case from perspective of <u>Corporate Governance map</u> rather than <u>entrepreneurship terrain</u>
 - tend to reject anything that does not appear to comply to the reference norm, eg the 2-tier shareholding Class A & Class B
 - Asian business schools tend to adopt the Anglo-American model SEC guidelines becomes supreme
 - yet many Asian entrepreneurs build their own culture from family tradition (outside corporate governance codes)
 - relationship with customers and suppliers based on trust human governance the unwritten constitution of the self
 - How did we interpret PURPOSE & MEANING OF BUSINESS in the past? Wealth creation? meaning of wealth
 - Concept of VALUE-ADD & Supply Chain Profit at all stages in the chain?
- Asia's Role share its essence of business and management philosophy especially the family business; its concern of societal needs & human well-being
 - (extended family is the norm & wedding traditions 3 bows: heaven & nature; friends & relatives & each other)
- Trend change in worldview: accept alternative thinking; recognition of need to shift from shadow to reality; leaders who dare defy conventional norms akin to quantum physicists

WHAT ABOUT ASIA-PACIFIC?



CULTURE MATTERS

ASIA

Asia-Pacific Brand of Business & Management Education?

HARMONY amidst CONTRAST HARMONY amidst EXTREMES

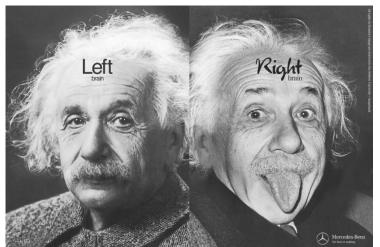
NOT ABOUT SUPREMACY
- OUTDATED THINKING & ARCHAIC

CO-EXISTING OF WESTERN & INDIGENOUS SOLUTIONS



Decision Making & Arriving at Judgment

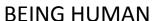
What does it mean to be human? What are the models of human?



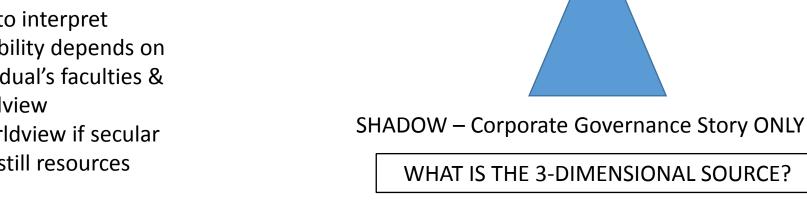
HOLISTIC

WHOLE PERSON

BETWEEN SPIRITUAL HUMAN & RESOURCE **BETWEEN SHADOW & REALITY**



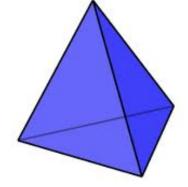
- Able to interpret
- But ability depends on individual's faculties & worldview
- If worldview if secular then still resources



NEED THE FULL PICTURE- REALITY

- Cone?
- Tetrahedron?





Akin to whole person – internal facet



BEING RESOURCE

- is only about information

Source:

Bruce Lipton & Steve Bhaerman (2014) Spontaneous Evolution