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The New Digital Digital Age Abstract of the next contant NATION RANSON WATER SAACSON author of Shore Age 1

Reshaping the Future of People, Nations and Business







OUR FUTURE SELVES

- Soon Everyone in the Earth will be connected.
- Increased Efficiency
- More Innovation, More Opportunity.
- 3-D printing, fully automated human-like robots, superior voice recognition Software, thought controlled motion technology, driver-less cars, Electronic pills, designer pharma drugs



FUTURE OF IDENTITY, CITIZENSHIP & REPORTING

• Identity will be the most valuable commodity for citizens in the

future

Privacy andCitizenshipRevisited

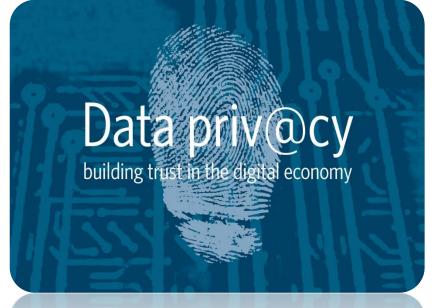
• Digital Activism

• Changing media space









FUTURE OF STATES

- Balkanization of Internet
- Sunni Web
- Halal Internet
- DNS, ICANN





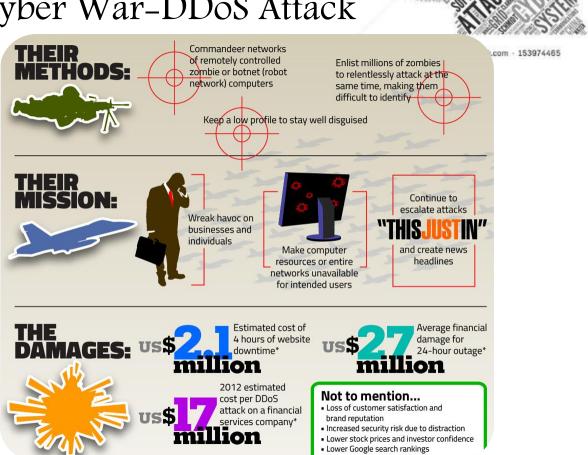


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- Mehr- YouTube of Iran
- Great wall of China to Great Firewall of China
- Cyber War-DDoS Attack







FUTURE OF REVOLUTION

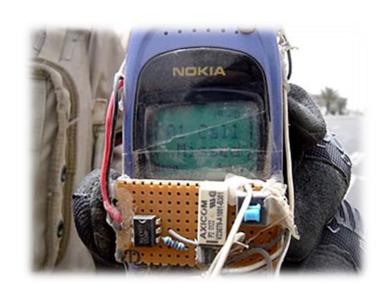
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- There will be more revolutionary movements in the years to come especially in Autocracies
- BUT fewer revolutionary outcomes i.e. "Revolutions will be easier to start but harder to sustain and finish"
- "Digital Activism": Most active outspoken and globalised civil this world has ever known.
- Role of Governments

FUTURE OF TERRORISM

- Greater risks and violence
- Cyber Terrorism
- Digital IED/Bombs-more easily available











- Changing the form of conflicts
- The increased connectivity will provide new ways to marginalize minorities.
- It is expected that virtual harassment by hate groups will increase





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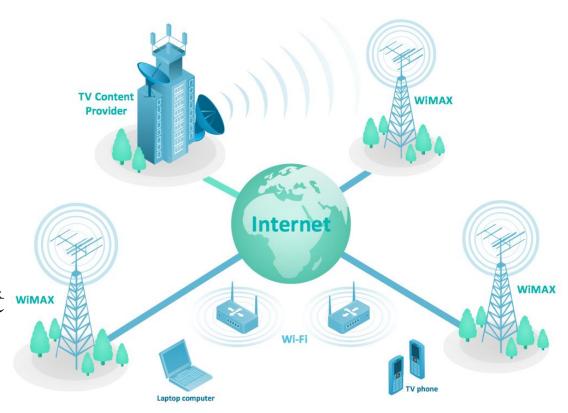
- MARKET
- Marketing wars between groups will become a defining feature of conflict in the near future
- In marketing wars, if both the parties are equally good, it becomes harder to discern what the real picture is.
- The modern automation of warfare
- Artificial intelligence is not a substitute to human intelligence





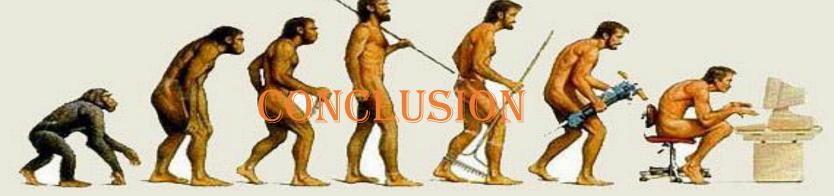
FUTURE OF RECONSTRUCTION

- The reconstruction efforts will become more innovative, more inclusive and more efficient over time
- Successful reconstruction efforts in the future will rely heavily on communication technologies and fast telecommunication networks.
- Develop practices and institutions that wmax reduce the risk of repeated disaster.
- Safeguarding virtual records of real assets.



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- Virtual institutions will exist in parallel with their physical counterparts and serve as a backup in times of need.
- Close engagement with the Diaspora communities.
- Quick implementation of emergency relief and helpful to the internally displaced persons
- Better management of the fragile security environment



- The duties will be split between the humans and computers.
- The virtual world will not overtake or overhaul the existing world order but complicate almost every behavior.
- The states will have to practice two foreign and domestic policies one for the virtual world and the other for the physical world.

• Technology and connectivity will have its cost, particularly to both privacy and security.

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