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Global Business Network

The Covid-19 Scenario-Planning Team



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The US National Intelligence Council has been publishing *Global Trends* reports on events that are likely to shape our world a few decades into the future since 1997.¹ All of these reports except the first one warned about the threat of a major pandemic that would severely impact our lives. The report that stands out the most in my opinion is the one published in 2004, at the end of SARS. Its full title is *Mapping the Global Future: Report of the National Intelligence Council's 2020 Project*, while the shorter version is *NIC 2020 Project*.² The fact that it was given such an ambitious name, which differs from others in the series, and that in retrospect implies a plan for the year 2020, intrigued me. It was the first that provided a much longer description of causes and consequences of a major pandemic in a section called *What Could Derail Globalization?*, and it is the only one that leads us to the scriptwriters of the Covid hoax.

The authors of the report consulted various experts from different backgrounds, among them also leading futurists at the time, such as Ged **Davis**, former head of **Shell International's** scenario-planning team (Shell is considered to be one of the pioneers of scenario planning used to identify business risks and opportunities), and Peter **Schwartz**, chairman of **Global Business Network (GBN)**, which was another authority in scenario planning and a spinoff of Shell Scenarios.

In 2010, the **Rockefeller Foundation** published a report called *Scenarios for the Future of Technology and International Development* that was co-authored with **Global Business Network**.³ In the report, a pandemic of the Covid proportions is at the center of the most

fascist of the four future scenarios, the **Lock** Step, which is what happened ten years later with Covid and its **lockdowns**.

Two questions: a) How were they able to predict a Covid-like pandemic so accurately, and b) who are the guys behind GBN. Let's find out the answers.

In 2003, the National Intelligence Council (NIC) published a report called *SARS: Down But Still a Threat*.⁴ If you read it, you will clearly see that Covid-19/Sars-Cov-2 is nothing more than the continuation of the SARS/Sars-Cov-1 project on a bigger scale to the last detail. What we have witnessed is a sequel of an old movie. This is why it was easy to predict a Covid-like pandemic in the future. SARS was planned well before 2002 and they predicted it in the NIC report from 2000 called *The Global Infectious Disease Threat and its Implications for the United States*,⁵ where they said that new infectious diseases would pose a threat over the next 20 years, saying that it is not a question of whether, but *when* the next “killer pandemic” would occur. 2000+20=2020. We had two pandemics within that target period, exactly ten years apart from each other. The one from 2009 was the first influenza pandemic after 40 years. What are the chances that the US Intelligence Community’s center for long-term strategic analysis makes such a prophetic report right at the cusp of the new century that should have marked the birth of the 'new world order'? Of course, all of this was planned long ago. In 1996, President Clinton issued a Presidential Decision Directive calling for a “more focused US policy on infectious diseases”,⁶ and the movie *Outbreak* with Dustin Hoffman was released a year before. Predictive programming at its best. By the end of this paper you will finally understand how Steve Jackson was able to make those prophetic Illuminati Cards in the 1990s.

The spooks played out the SARS scenario, gathered all the feedback, and **18** years later they repeated the exercise on a global scale, making sure that both SARS and Covid lasted two years, which happens to be the case also for the Spanish Flu. The Spanish Flu (aka The Great Influenza) pandemic, the H1N1 pandemic and the Covid pandemic started just before or after a war or major economic/financial crisis. It is a recycled perception management scenario that seems to serve very well. Of course, all three were total fakes based on fictitious viruses and rigged PCR tests.

Can you guess who was the vice chairman of the National Intelligence Council at the time of SARS? **Stuart A. Cohen**. Now let's find out who are the prophetic scenario planners behind Global Business Network, which consulted both the Rockefeller Foundation and the US National Intelligence Council about future world events, predicting a Covid-like scenario that would rock the global economy big time.

We will take a quick look at what Wikipedia says on GBN first, then we will see who its founders are, and finally we will analyze an article written by one of its members.

Unlike forecasting which extrapolates past and present trends to predict the future, scenario planning is an interactive process for exploring alternative, plausible futures and what those might mean for strategies, policies, and decisions. Scenario planning was first used by the military in World War II and then by Herman **Kahn** at RAND (“Thinking the Unthinkable”) during the Cold War, before being adapted to inform corporate strategy by Pierre **Wack** and other business strategists at **Royal Dutch/Shell** in the 1970s.⁷

Kahn is a variant of **Kuhn**, which is a variant of **Cohen**.⁸ The Cohen family is a branch of the **Rothschilds**.⁹ **[Miles: Actually, the Rothschilds are a branch of the Cohens.]** Wack is

probably a shorter version of Wackowski/Wachowski, which may link him to the Wackowski brothers of *The Matrix* movies. As we can see, the Families have been using scenario planning for a long time, definitely long before WWII. The word *scenario* reminds me of another term that is used by the military: *theater of war*, which refers to an area where an armed conflict takes place. Theater, scenario ... what this implies is that these stories are written in advance and then enacted on a local, regional or global stage.

Global Business Network (GBN) was a leading consulting firm that specialized in helping organizations to adapt and grow in an increasingly uncertain and volatile world. Using tools and expertise in scenario planning, experiential learning, together with networks of experts and futurists [...], GBN advised businesses, NGOs, and governments in addressing their most critical challenges and anticipating possible trends in the future.⁷

Schwartz founded the Global Business Network (GBN) in 1988 in his Berkeley basement with several close friends including Napier Collyns, Jay Ogilvy and Stewart Brand. Schwartz called GBN an “information hunting and gathering company”, and describes it as a high level networking and corporate research agency. In 2001, it was bought by premier strategy consulting firm the Monitor Group, although it continued to operate as a distinct entity. The Monitor Group was acquired by Deloitte in 2013 which elected to shut down GBN.¹⁰

Consulting firms, as usual. GBN already sounds like an elite spook front, but even if it was officially shut down, its members were part of numerous other spook organizations, so it was just a tentacle of a huge octopus.

Among the network members of GBN¹¹ you will find, for example: John Perry Barlow (**Grateful Dead** lyricist – which links him to Stewart Brand), **Larry Brilliant** (epidemiologist, linked to Stewart Brand; more about Brilliant below), Albert Bressand (former head of Global Business Environment department at **Shell**, responsible for designing a new generation of Shell Global Scenarios; held key positions with the **World Bank**; member of the faculty of the **World Economic Forum**, and has chaired a number of sessions at the Davos Annual Meetings), John Brockman (literary and software agent; president of the **Edge Foundation** – remember this for later), Ged Davis (advisor/innovator on energy, sustainability, climate change, and solving 21st century global problems; former managing director at the **World Economic Forum's Centre for Strategic Insight**, where he is responsible for research, scenario development, and helping to shape the annual WEF meeting at Davos; head scenarist at **Royal Dutch Shell**; Davis is a variant of **Davison**, which is the middle name of John Davison **Rockefeller**), Brian Eno (avant-garde artist, composer, musician; producer of **U2**, **David Bowie** and others), Arie de Geus (adviser at **World Bank**; former director at **Shell International Petroleum**), Joe Jaworski (former head of scenario planning, **Royal Dutch Shell**), Adam Kahane (former scenarist, **Royal Dutch Shell**), Mia de Kuijper (former executive at AT&T, PepsiCo, **Royal Dutch Shell**, and investment banker at Bear Stearns and **Morgan Stanley**), Kaiser Kuo (director of international communications at the **Chinese** search engine Baidu; former director of digital media at **Ogilvy China**), Jaap Leemhuis (former president at **GBN Europe**; 25 years in planning and management with **Royal Dutch Shell**), Mark Malloch-Brown (journalist at *The Economist*, vice chairman at the **World Economic Forum**; minister of state at the UK Foreign Office; member of Gordon **Brown's** cabinet; deputy secretary-general and chief of staff of the UN; vice president at the **World Bank**; vice chairman of **George Soros's Investment Funds**, as well as of his Open Society Institute; member of the House of Lords), Edward Newland (international energy

consultant; former head of scenario planning at the **Royal Dutch Shell**), Michael Murphy (co-founder of the **Esalen Institute**, which was involved in LSD research; instrumental in establishing the Esalen Sports Center (1973), which helped spur the physical fitness boom), **Russell Schweickart** (fake Apollo 9 astronaut), Angela **Wilkinson** (director of futures programme, Smith School of Enterprise and Environment, University of Oxford; former leader, **Shell International's** global scenario team; secretary general & CEO of **World Energy Council**). As you noticed, quite a few of them have ties to Shell, World Bank, and World Economic Forum (pushing its Great Reset after Covid), but mostly Shell. Shell's scenario-planning team is obviously a group of analysts chartering the course of the global economy.

The Monitor Group (now Monitor Deloitte), which took over GBN, is another spook consulting firm that advises companies and governments around the world.¹² Wikipedia tells us that the company provided services to Muammar Gaddafi's regime in Libya from 2005 to 2011, which is right at the time of the 8-month First Libyan Civil War and the fall and death of Gaddafi in 2011. Don't forget that Gaddafi was exposed as a Western intelligence asset in Adam Curtis's documentary *HyperNormalisation*, which Miles wrote a paper about.¹³ Among the Monitor's current and former employees we find, for example, Stewart Brand of GBN, a former head of MI6, a former president of CBS News, John **Moore**, Baron Moore of Lower Marsh (former MP; UK Cabinet Member; chairman of Rolls Royce), Tagg Romney (Mitt Romney's son), Peter Schwartz of GBN, a CFO of Facebook, and ... **Kate Bingham** (former head of the **UK Vaccine Taskforce during the Covid-19 pandemic** and **venture capital manager**). Her father is Baron Thomas Henry Bingham, former Lord Chief Justice, and her husband is Jesse Norman, the Financial Secretary to the Treasury in Boris Johnson's administration. *Guardian* writes that “[it] is unclear how Johnson came to appoint Bingham, because there was no formal process, **but she is responsible for investing billions in taxpayers’ funds in Covid-19 vaccines that could offer a route out of repeated lockdowns**”. Her supporters point out that she has 30 years’ experience in the pharmaceutical industry, knows her brief and was brought in to do a specific job”. Sounds like spook jargon. She is obviously one of them. Let's take on the founders of GBN now.

Peter Schwartz

He is a Jew, of course, and his surname reminds me on Stephen Allen **Schwarzman** (CEO and co-founder) and Neil Schwartz of **Blackstone**. Also Peter Schwartz, Diana Schwartz, Corey Schwartz, and James Schwartz of **BlackRock**. Miles says that Blackstone & BlackRock are fronts for the **Rockefellers**. It turns out my hunch about Schwartz was leading me in the right direction, since Peter Schwartz “won a National Merit scholarship, and was able to attend **Rensselaer** Polytechnic Institute on full scholarship”. This private university from New York was established by Stephen Van Rensselaer III (whose mother was a **Livingston**, daughter of a signer of the Declaration of Independence), and Miles wrote that the Rockefellers (as **Livingstons**) are related to the **Rensselaers**.¹⁴ So the Schwartz/Schwarz family is probably a branch of the Rockefellers. Before GBN, Peter worked as head of scenario planning at **Shell** and then as director of the Strategic Environment Center at **SRI International** (another spook front, a product of Stanford University). He also served as a script consultant on the films *Minority Report*, *Deep Impact*, *Sneakers*, and *War Games*.¹⁵ But who else is a Schwar(t)z? Arnold **Schwarzenegger**, who looks like **Hitler's** relatives (as

Miles said in a recent comment), and one of them was a **Stuart**-Houston, so the Schwartzes may be related to the Stuarts.

[Miles: And don't forget that Schwartz means **black**. As in Blackrock and Blackstone. Also, see https://de.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/George_Soros, where we find his real name is **Gyorgy Schwartz**.]

Napier Collyns

Before joining GBN, he was a senior member of the small team at **Shell** that developed scenario planning in the early 1970s under the leadership of Pierre Wack. He spent his life mostly in the oil business.¹⁶ One of Miles's guest writers wrote that “**Nappier**, or **Napier** [means] linen merchant in Old French. The Napier baronets descended from the **Stuarts**, Earls of Lennox”.¹⁷ So Napier Collyns and **Stewart** Brand, a co-founder of GBN, are probably related. Who else was a Napier? Jack Napier, aka Joker from *Batman* (1989). Joker, played by Jack **Nicholson**, got in control of the Axis Chemicals factory and released toxic gas on people in the streets of Gotham at the end of the movie. This should remind you on the Axis Powers and **Nazi** gas chambers from WWII. But the interesting part is that **Hitler**'s half-nephew was supposedly William Patrick **Stuart**-Houston, and **Stuarts** = **Napiers**. Plus, in his paper on Hitler's genealogy, Miles found a Houstoun **Stewart-Nicolson** of Carnock.¹⁸ **Nicholson** is a variant of **Nicolson**. So Jack Nicholson (whose ancestors might have been related to the Stuarts) played Jack Napier (which is a surname related to the Stuarts). So we could actually call the two of them 'Jack Stewart'. And Nicholson might be related to **Hitler**, just as Arnold, which means that Nicholson and Schwarzenegger may be cousins.

Stewart Brand

His surname should remind you on **Russell** Brand, another spook. Miles made a longer comment on Stewart Brand in his paper *The Hippie Matrix*:¹⁹

In addition, Brilliant was linked to Stewart Brand through their co-founding of The WELL, the first internet chatroom. Basically, it was an early incarnation of Facebook, by which Intelligence could eavesdrop on thousands of conversations legally. Brand was of course the creator of the Whole Earth Catalog, which had its uses – one of which was tracking the mailing addresses and locations of communes.

Brand is another Intelligence asset. We come to see this even in his truncated Wiki bio, where we find that by 1962 he was in Menlo Park with Ken Kesey, Gordon Lish, and others, participating in LSD studies. In this way, Brand was linked to both the Merry Pranksters and the **Grateful Dead**. He makes his appearance in *The Electric Kool-Aid Acid Test*. In the 1980s, as a visiting scientist at MIT, Brand became a conference organizer for such companies as **Shell**, Volvo, and AT&T. You should find that very odd, since Brand was not a scientist, then or now. We are told he had a BS in biology from Stanford, but that does not normally qualify you to be a visiting scientist at MIT. And why would a biologist act as a conference organizer for Shell and AT&T? Do you need a biology degree to organize corporate conferences? This is just more indication Brand was not a friend to the communes or the hippies. More recently he has come out in favor of GMOs. That, *by itself*, is enough to peg him.

In 2006, Brand hosted John Rendon as a Long Now Foundation speaker. Rendon is the head of the CIA's favorite PR firm, and they admit that at Wikipedia. He was brought to San Francisco to speak on the War on Terror – which of course is manufactured. Also remember

that along with carpenters' tools, the Whole Earth Catalog pushed personal computers. This at a time when no one had heard of the personal computer. In the same year the Whole Earth Catalog came out (1968), Brand and Douglas Englebart came out with the Mother of All Demos, which pushed many new technologies, including hypertext, email, and the mouse. So in hindsight, it appears the Whole Earth Catalog may have been created to softsell the new computer technology to the communes and other DIYers.

So this is who Larry Brilliant is linked to. Most recently, Brilliant was given \$100,000 by **Bill Gates**, via the TED Prize. If you think Bill Gates is a friend to the hippies, you are definitely smoking too much herb.

So far we have seen the Rockefellers, Rothschilds, Stewarts, Cohens, and by pulling in also Gates, we hit the jackpot. Almost. Kennedys are missing, but they are Stewarts anyway.

Lawrence Wilkinson

We can see that both of these are surnames. Lawrence reminds me on Jennifer Lawrence and Wilkinson on the famous Wilkinson Sword company that makes razors. He is probably related to the previously mentioned Angela Wilkinson, a member of GBN, and to other GBN founders. Lawrence has quite a long bio, so I will mention just a few things. Keep in mind that I am mostly quoting archived Monitor Group pages when it comes to GBN people, so some information may be outdated. Anyway, Wilkinson is co-founder of Heminge & Condell (an advisory and investment firm, whose clients included UPS, Ford, Apple, IBM, Publicis, Omnicom, Intel, Microsoft, AT&T, Verizon, BT, Walt Disney, The Capital Group, Proctor & Gamble, Coca-Cola, Google, Nissan, Toyota, Wiley, O'Reilly Media, Oxford University, University of California Press, PBS, NPR, CPB, BBC, the **World Bank**, **The World Trade Organization**, and the **World Economic Forum**), co-founder of Oxygen (the first online network for women), a director of and strategic advisor to Ealing Studios (the oldest continuously operating film studio in the world), a director of and advisor to Design Within Reach and Mercantila (now owned by Google), and he is on the Boards of The Pacific News Service, New American Media, Public Radio International, Public Interactive, Institute for the Future, and Common Sense Media. He also helped form, then served as Director and Chief Architect of Wired Ventures, the partnership that built and managed *Wired* Magazine. From 1984 to 1990, Wilkinson was President of Colossal Pictures, an award-winning film, television, and digital entertainment and commercial production company. He oversaw all activities of Colossal, its USFX division and Big Pictures subsidiary, and its affiliated companies (e.g., Pixar and Konnack) globally. He has produced and executive-produced numerous television programs, multimedia titles, and feature films, including the award-winning *Crumb* (Sony Pictures Classics). He also has contributed regularly to general and business periodicals and national television, cable, and radio business news programs. And so on and so forth. We can logically conclude he is a high-ranking spook.^{20, 21}

Jay Ogilvy

You saw on page 3 among the members of GBN a **Kaiser** Kuo (director of international communications at the Chinese search engine Baidu and former director of digital media at **Ogilvy China**). Well, David **Kaiser**, a descendant of **J. D. Rockefeller**, died at 50 in July 2020, right after Covid started (I guess he faked his death). The journalist who wrote about this for the *New York Times* is John **Schwartz**.²² David's surname (*kaiser* means emperor in German) links him to Max **Keiser** from The Keiser Report. David Kaiser's wife was

Rosemary **Corbett**, which links her to James **Corbett** from The Corbett Report (controlled opposition). Keiser Report, Corbett Report. Hmm, what are the chances? James Corbett lives in Japan, where the Sony Corporation comes from. I would propose that **SONY** probably stands for **S**tandard **O**il Company of **N**ew **Y**ork, which is another link to the Rockefellers.^{23, 24}

Notice also the similarity between the logos of SONY, BlackRock, Blackstone, and GBN, for example. A coincidence? We have seen Rockefeller fingerprints on all of them.



Anyway, let's take on Jay Ogilvy. He co-founded GBN, the world's foremost consultancy for scenario planning. In 2009 he left GBN to become Dean of Presidio Graduate School, which offers an MBA in sustainable business practices. Now he is an independent consultant splitting his time between homes in Utah and New Hampshire, teaching in the San Francisco Bay Area, and consulting in Japan and the Americas. In the 1980s he served as Director of Research for the **Values and Lifestyles Program at SRI** (Stanford Research Institute), where **Peter Schwartz** was working as well. While at SRI, Jay also authored monographs on social, political, and demographic trends affecting the values of workers and consumers. His work on higher education includes several projects on the future of higher education in California, as well as published papers and speeches. Jay's research and consulting experience revolves around scenario planning and the role human values play in purchase decisions and management. Jay's work in future studies and values research builds on his background as a philosopher. He taught at the University of Texas, Williams College, and for seven years at Yale, where he received his PhD in 1968. In addition to publishing dozens of essays, he is the author and editor of nine books.²⁵

I took Ogilvy's bio from the website of a company called **Reinvent**. Upon a closer look, I can see that it is a transparent offshoot of Global Business Network. Peter Schwartz is featured on the home page, Stewart Brand is also present, and you can find other GBN members on the page "Our Network of Innovators". They even use the term 'remarkable people' when talking about their members, which is how GBN used to call their experts and futurists. Reinvent is based in San Francisco (the birthplace of GBN) and was founded in 2012, a year before GBN was shut down. Peter Leyden, the founder of Reinvent, worked for GBN. This is what it says on their home page:²⁶

The Coronavirus Crisis Creates the Opportunity for Fundamental Reinvention

The Coronavirus Crisis has made our mission more relevant than ever. Now is the time to reinvent our world.

This concept sounds a lot like Klaus Schwab's Great **Reset**. That is because they are reading from the same script – you have seen GBN members with ties to the World Economic Forum. Peter Schwartz is now the Chief Futures Officer and Senior Vice President for Strategic

Planning at Salesforce. Salesforce bought Zoom shares in its IPO in 2019 and sold all of them in 2020, tripling its money. Great job, Peter.

As far as the Ogilvy surname is concerned, Jay is probably related to David **Mackenzie** Ogilvy, a British advertising tycoon who co-founded the marketing agency Ogilvy & Mather (operating also in China), which nearly doubled in size after getting a contract with **Shell Oil** in the 1950s.²⁷ This links him to GBN, which was an offshoot of Shell Scenarios. David attributed the success of his campaigns to meticulous research into consumer habits, which is something that Jay Ogilvy was involved with at SRI, so I think the connection between the two of them is pretty obvious. During WWII, David worked for MI6 at the British embassy in Washington, DC, where he analyzed and made recommendations on matters of diplomacy and security, although I am not sure with what qualifications. During the war, David was also a notable alumnus of the secret [Camp X](#) in Ontario, Canada, a highly secretive and elite international spy school, and “[it] was there he mastered the power of propaganda before becoming king of Madison Avenue”.²⁸ Madison Avenue is in Manhattan, where David opened his NY agency in 1948, year two of the CIA. I think you get the picture. Can you guess who was the Canadian Prime Minister during the war? William Lyon **Mackenzie** King, which means he was related to David.

Clan Ogilvie/Ogilvy is a Scottish clan, and the Stewarts are at the top of the Scottish peerage, which means Jay Ogilvy is probably related to his fellow GBN co-founders Stewart Brand and Napier Collins. David Ogilvy, 13th Earl of Airlie is the present chief of the Ogilvie clan. He served as Lord Chamberlain to Queen Elizabeth II, and his brother Angus Ogilvy married Queen Elizabeth II's first cousin Princess Alexandra of Kent.²⁹ The Queen is a Lyon, which means she is related to the above-mentioned Canadian PM William **Lyon** Mackenzie King. Which means that all these GBN people are high-level aristocrats.

As you have noticed, the common denominator of the GBN founders are SRI International and Royal Dutch Shell. The latter brings us to the Rockefellers *and* the Rothschilds. The company is a merger (since 1907, just before the dissolution of Standard Oil in 1911) of the British 'Shell Transport and Trading Company' (1897) and the 'Royal Dutch Petroleum Company' from Holland (1890, the same year the Sherman Antitrust Act was passed in the US). While Shell was a product of the **Samuel** and **Rothschild** families (Samuels are a branch of the Rothschilds),³⁰ Royal Dutch Petroleum was founded by a group of Dutch bankers, businessmen, and former colonial administrators. It was originally called Royal Dutch Company for Exploitation of Oil Wells in the Dutch Indies, which means those guys were tied to the Dutch East India Company.³¹ The three founders according to Wiki were Jean Baptiste **August** Kessler, Henri Wilhelm **August** Deterding, and John Hugo Loudon. Loudon's namesake son was Shell's CEO from 1952 to 1965. After that, he was appointed the chairman of an international business advisory committee at Chase Bank by **David Rockefeller**, his close friend.³² And who are the Rockefellers related to? Of course the Schuylers and Rensselaers, who came from Amsterdam, the HQ of Royal Dutch Petroleum.³³ Today, Shell is partly owned by BlackRock (Rockefellers), so I guess the Rothschilds and the Rockefellers have been partners in this company since its merger. They control the oil business together. That's why Shell was allowed to come to the US. The Rockefellers didn't lose anything when Standard Oil was dissolved, just the opposite, they got richer. You should also keep in mind that New York City, famous for the influence of the Rockefellers, was first called New Amsterdam.

Okay, we learned some things about GBN and its founders. Now we will finally take a look at some excerpts from the article *Conspiracy of Heretics* written by a GBN member and published in *Wired* magazine in 1994.³⁴

The Global Business Network was founded in 1988 as a think tank to shape the future of the world. It's succeeding.

Some sources say it was founded in 1987, while others put its beginnings in 1988. Both dates are meaningful. If you take the year 1988 as the correct one, it takes you at the time when **BlackRock** was founded. And if you take 1987, you can do the math and notice that Covid happened **33** years later. Magic.

In one dimension, this was all a game. A trivial little game really, conducted by an outfit that at one level is only a vanishingly tiny \$4.5 million international consulting company – Global Business Network.

And yet this tiny company was consulting the mighty National Intelligence Community, as you have seen at the beginning of this paper.

But that is only one layer of reality. To this day, I ponder how history may have shifted during that “game” that I was a part of because I, too, am a member of the Global Business Network. “Membership” is a tricky word at GBN; there is no initiation ritual. One simply gets more and more tangled in its swirling mists. I was first asked to join a discussion on the network's private BBS. Then I started receiving books that members thought I might find interesting. Then I got invited to gatherings at fascinating places, from Aspen to Amsterdam [> Shell's HQ]. Finally, I was asked to help GBN project the future regarding subjects about which I had expertise. By then, the network seemed natural.

The GBN members who rehearsed the future on that boat [actors make rehearsals; which means they were planning future fake events and trends of all sorts] hailed from the Singapore Ministry of Defense, the Australian department of taxation, the Mexican Stock Exchange, the London Stock Exchange, Volvo, Fiat, Petroleos de Venezuela, Allstate, DuPont, ARCO, Saatchi & Saatchi, the American Express Bank in London, and the Executive Council of the Club of Rome. And that scarcely begins to define the group. For spice, there were the likes of Jon McIntire, former manager of the Grateful Dead [which links us to Stewart Brand] [...]

Nor does that game and list of players delimit the group's ambitions. The agenda for the next day was modestly labeled “The Restructuring of the World Economy”.

Toward the end of the boat trip, Jay Ogilvy, a co-founder of Global Business Network, reclined in a rattan deck chair of the style favored by those who, back in the '40s, created our modern world.

“I like this,” he said, sipping his sauvignon blanc as he gazed at the bosom-like hills of Marin.

“I like it a lot.”

He was referring to the pleasures of lording like a potentate over a rented boat. [We saw above that the Ogilvys are high-level aristocrats, who do lord as potentates.]

Ogilvy is one of five white men of a certain age who, in 1988, created a company/think tank/men's club whose explicit purpose is to shape the future of the world.

It is succeeding.

The Joint Chiefs of Staff [top 8 US military officials], for example, hired Global Business Network to help figure out what the nature of military threats to the United States might be for the next 30 years. (The most challenging possibility: what would they do should they face decades of peace?)

How about the LA riots and the collapse of the California economy? GBN helped Pacific Gas and Electric Company anticipate the consequences of both, causing the utility company to put major and early emphasis on convincing industry not to leave Northern California.

Back when the Japanese stock market was flying and Japanese car companies seemed invulnerable, GBN helped Nissan North America Inc. imagine how it would stave off bankruptcy and where it might move its factories if, as actually came to pass this year, the unthinkable happened and the yen dropped below 100 to the dollar.

Back when AT&T thought of itself as a collection of telephone cables, GBN helped the company imagine the modern world in which mobile communication defines the future, and entertainment drives the system.

How will we handle the crisis when, as seems plausible later this decade, half of the US nuclear-power-generating capacity becomes too expensive to operate? GBN has thought about it.

What happens if computer shopping kills off every mall? A retailer with gross annual sales larger than the GNP of some European countries keenly wanted to know. They went to GBN for a hint.

GBN is currently indirectly helping the White House plot a course for sustaining the planet should there come a world ecology crisis – a sudden shift in the Gulf Stream brought on by global warming, for example, coupled with the aforementioned nuclear crisis.

In the world of consulting, this is beyond all imagining. “Given GBN's size, it's an absolute miracle that I've even heard of it, much less that I have an image of it as a world leader in futurism,” said Melvyn Menezes, manager at Gemini Consulting, the \$516 million Morristown, New Jersey-based firm which has offices around the world.

But then again, at only one plane of truth is GBN a consulting company. In its other, more mysterious guises, GBN pops up in the darnedest places.

A private computer bulletin board through which members stay in touch reveals why “Global” is this **brotherhood**'s first name.

Indeed, GBN has influenced your life. The magazine you're holding in your hands was co-founded by Executive Editor Kevin Kelly. Kelly is a member of the GBN **cabal** [Lawrence Wilkinson, one of the GBN co-founders, was also involved with the creation of *Wired*, as you have seen on page 6]. To the cognoscenti, the GBN inspiration has been obvious – perhaps essential – in every issue of *Wired*.

Lording like a potentate, men's club, brotherhood, cabal. Sounds promising. No wonder they are succeeding.

The origins of Global Business Network, oddly enough, lie in the oil business. The reasons for its existence can be traced back to the '60s, 20 years before GBN was founded.

The golden age of American stability – the '50s – was breaking up on a number of sharp rocks: the Baby Boom, contraception, wars of national liberation, drugs, new technology, the rise of the Pacific Rim, and rock and roll.

It was abundantly clear to those who wished to think about it – markedly few of whom were in the Fortune 500 – **that not only was change and upheaval upon them, but it was not going to stop. In fact, even change was changing – becoming unprecedented in magnitude and ever more impossible to prophesy.**

This is something that Miles has been saying time and time again, and he is absolutely right. You see it here being admitted by the cabal itself. These fast changes were purposely implemented by the upper class to make huge profits etc. All those fast-changing moves made us tired and confused, and now we are getting the final punches. GBN, its predecessors and successors have been planning all those fake events so that the Families would get more and more control over us, and profit from that. Besides warring also between themselves for power.

This was not so obvious a proposition as one might think. The strategic planning of the time assumed one could project existing realities out in a more or less straight line and achieve satisfactory results. If General Motors was the world's preeminent automobile manufacturer, it would continue to be so. If IBM based its business on mainframes, that would be OK forever. **Rapid discontinuous change? Why plan for that?** Hadn't happened much in 25 years.

But one year, 1973, changed everything. The quadrupling of energy prices redrew the world's power map and fundamentally rocked the industrial economies. **Only one organization, Royal Dutch/Shell's Group Planning, anticipated the energy crisis.** Don't take my word for this. The evidence is presented in Daniel Yergin's *The Prize: The Epic Quest for Oil, Money, and Power*, the bestselling 1992 Pulitzer winner that gives Shell's Group Planning the credit. (Yergin, too, is a member of GBN. **Watch the wiring diagrams here. This fraternity is not called the Network for nothing.**)

But Shell Group Planning, whose alumni would eventually found GBN, had it absolutely right: as a result, **in 1990, Shell won its 70-year war with Exxon**, passing it to become the largest oil company in the world.

A “war” between cousins that culminated with the **end of the Soviet Union** and the fake Cold War. Let's take a look at Shell's and Exxon's ownership. ExxonMobil is the largest direct descendant of John D. Rockefeller's Standard Oil, and was formed in 1999 by the merger of Exxon (formerly the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey) and Mobil (formerly the Standard Oil Company of New York).³⁵ Its top three shareholders today are **Vanguard**, **State Street**, and **BlackRock**.³⁶ Miles wrote a paper about these Giant Three funds owning the world.³⁷ One of the minor shareholders is also **Charles Schwab** Investment Management (founded in San Francisco, where GBN was also founded), which links him to **Klaus Schwab**, founder of the World Economic Forum. So far in the paper, we have seen many ties between GBN members, Rockefellers and the World Economic Forum.

Shell is owned by Nederlands Centraal Instituut Voor Giraal Effectenverkeer BV (**Necigef**), Guaranty Nominees Limited (= **JPMorgan Chase/Rockefellers**),³⁷ **State Street** Nominees Limited, Chase Nominees Limited (**JPMorgan Chase/Rockefellers**), The Capital Group, The **Vanguard** Group, and **BlackRock** Inc.³⁸ The biggest shareholder is Necigef, which operates as a brokerage firm according to Bloomberg, and is a wholly-owned subsidiary of AEX-Clearing & Depository B.V., which is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Amsterdam Exchanges N.V. according to BIS.³⁹ That is the Amsterdam stock exchange, which is now part of Euronext, the largest European stock exchange. We have seen the Rockefellers'

fingerprints on both Exxon and Shell, and we can logically assume that the Rothschilds are hiding behind those funds as well.

But there is more. Have you noticed the double cross on Exxon's logo? It looks like the patriarchal cross on Tom Selleck's ring from Miles's paper on Chris Pratt.⁴⁰ And Selleck is a **Kennedy**. And the Kennedys also come from the **Stuarts/Stewarts**. Plus, the patriarchal cross is also the symbol of the 33° Inspector General Honorary, which is the highest degree of the powerful **Scottish** Rite of Freemasonry. Scotland links us back to the Stuarts (and Ogilvys).

A version of this cross was used in the movie *V for Vendetta* as the symbol of an oppressive regime.⁴¹ And by the way, 'to double-cross' means to trick or deceive someone.



What about Shell's logo? Notice the sun rays on the Rothschild-owned Shell's logo and the sun rays on the Rothschild-owned *The Economist* cover of *The World In 2021* report.⁴² The rising sun at the bottom of the slot machine is a major spook marker of the industrialists, an old symbol for the perpetual rise of the old/new world order, telling us we are in for another fake revolution. It seems people behind *The Economist*, such as the Rothschilds, the Agnellis etc., have placed their bets on Biden.



Although people behind the new Batman movie may think otherwise:⁴³



The successes of these families will apparently never cease, just like the sun will never cease to come up every morning, saving us from the darkness of the night. The White Knight vs. the Dark Knight. It's a perpetual cycle. That is why the Families use the motto “**dawn of a new day**” and its variants “**new dawn**”, “**new day**” after major fake events that involve a solution to a manufactured problem. It means a new beginning, a fresh start. A kind of a *Reset*, to put it in line with today's Covid rhetoric.

Below are some more examples of this spook marker, which is said to be related to socialism, communism, and everything that has 'democratic' in it (e.g. the US Democratic Party), although we will see that this is not entirely true. But think about **Karl Marx**, who was related to the **Philips** (from Holland), Barent-Cohen and **Rothschild** families, and probably to other Dutch families we have seen above in relation to the Rockefellers, such as the Schuylers, and through all of these also to the Kennedys.⁴⁴



All the republics of the former Soviet Union have a rising sun on their coat of arms. Here is the explanation:⁴⁵

The Soviet emblem signaled a new style of socialist heraldry that had evolved beyond the coats of arms traditionally used to represent the nobility and their domains. In place of an escutcheon (or shield), the Soviet arms used the globe of Earth depicted above the **rising sun, symbolizing the dawn of a new era.**

Another explanation, taken from Jordan Maxwell's lecture (more about him below):



“Workers of all lands, unite”. That's why they have been planning a *Green New Deal* after the devastating effects of the fake war on the non-existent Covid virus, and probably some other fakes down the road. Same old, same old, but different.

Wiki says that the “rising sun”, featured in the socialist and communist symbolism, represents **revolution**.^{46, 47}

Here is an interesting quote from the foreword of the book *Masonic Orders of Fraternity* (1950) written by Manly Palmer Hall, a famous 33° Freemason:⁴⁸

The direct descent of the essential program of the Esoteric Schools was entrusted to groups already well-conditioned for the work. The guilds, trade unions, and similar protective and benevolent Societies had been internally strengthened by the introduction of a new learning. The advancement of the plan required the enlargement of the boundaries of the philosophic overstate.

A World Fraternity was needed, sustained by a deep and broad program of education according to the “method”. Such a Fraternity could not immediately include all men, but it could unite the activities of certain kinds of men, regardless of their racial or religious beliefs or the nations in which they dwelt. **These were the men of “towardness”, those sons of tomorrow, whose symbol was a blazing sun rising over the mountains of the east.**

While it is difficult to trace the elements of a pattern never intended to be obvious, the broad shape of the design is dimly apparent. The **Invisible Empire**, integrated and ensouled by Bacon and his so-called literary group, was the archetype of those **democratic Societies** which directly and indirectly **precipitated the era of revolution**. Thus, the way was cleared for the first great experiments in practical self-government. Much more was required than a statement of human rights. It was necessary to prepare the individual to administer such rights. There can be no enduring freedom for those who cannot protect liberty with intelligence. It is not enough that a man have rights; the man himself must be right.

It was inevitable that the Orders of Fraternity should sponsor world education. The human mind must be enriched in essential knowledge and be freed from the burdens of ignorance, superstition, and fear. **The program included a systematic expansion of existing institutions and the enlargement of their spheres of influence.**

Slowly, the Orders of Universal Reformation faded from public attention, and in their places appeared the Orders of **World Brotherhood**. Everything possible was done to prevent the transitions from being obvious. Even history was falsified to make certain sequences of activity unrecognizable. The shift of emphasis never gave the impression of abruptness, and

the motion appeared as a dawning of social consciousness. The most obvious clues to the secret activity have been the prevailing silence about the origin and the impossibility of filling the lacunae in the records of 17th- and 18th-century fraternal Orders.

Do you remember what was said about Global Business Network? That it's a men's club, a brotherhood, a cabal.

I learned about this 'rising sun' spook marker from Jordan Maxwell, a controlled opposition guy from the alternative media, so I have to give him credit for this. He mentioned the above quote from Hall's book in a lecture (49:53) some twenty or thirty years ago. The following is his comment (in shortened form) on Hall's foreword:⁴⁹

“They’re saying that if we’re going to form **a world conspiracy**, you can’t bring all the people into at one time, but we could pick out certain people from different races and groups who have learned to go along to get along, to know what to kiss and when, and have proven themselves that they love money and women and all the fun things that go with being in the in-crowd, and we know we can buy’em, so we can begin a ‘new learning’, we got to teach all these people what to kiss and when, how to do it and how not to do it, what to believe and what to think and how to think and we’re going to call it education. And we’re going to send them to school and when they come out, they’ll know exactly what to do, or what not to do, and they won’t ask any questions. People who planned this are called ‘people of towardness’ because they have been always working towards something. The Freemasons, the bankers, every day they just work along, they don’t hurry, they’re not sweatin’, they are working every day toward that wonderful day when the whole world will finally be on their knees and they will finally have you where they want you. It may take one hundred years, it may take three hundred years, it don’t matter, they are just every day doing their thing, working toward the day when they are going to own you. **If it’s hard to figure it out, it was supposed to be hard to figure it out, it was not supposed to be easy. But if you do your homework, it all starts to make sense.**”

Maxwell should know, since he comes from the Families.

In 2014, CNN made a report about the features on Obama's 2008 campaign logo being used by other political parties around the world.⁵⁰



Turkey’s ruling party has nominated a familiar man to run in the country's first directly elected presidential race – and his campaign looks familiar, too.

When the Justice and Development Party announced Prime Minister Recep Tayyip Erdogan as its pick for candidate in the August election, it also unveiled the official campaign logo, and we can't help but feel like we've seen it before.

The logo – a rising sun, sweeping lines on the horizon – bears a striking similarity to President Barack Obama’s 2008 campaign logo.

Created by a Chicago design firm, Obama's logo was inspired by the “O” in his name and “the idea of a rising sun and a new day,” a strategist who worked on the design explained. “The sun rising over the horizon intended to evoke a new sense of hope.”

Erdogan’s logo, meanwhile, is meant to convey a “light at the end of the tunnel,” according to party officials. The sunrise is meant to be emblematic of the birth of a “new Turkey,” as it represents new hopes and goals for the country.⁵¹

Below are other examples from CNN's report – Homeland Party (Egypt), Virtue Party (Egypt), **Democratic Alliance** (South Africa):



Notice something else on the Homeland Party's logo? The cogwheel/gear. If you take a look at [socialist heraldry](#), [communist symbolism](#), page 32 in a book about [Mongolia](#), or the flag of [Angola](#), for example, they say that the cogwheel/gear represents industry and progress. But we can clearly see it actually represents the sun, since all those countries were founded by the above-mentioned World Brotherhood (represented by the *rising* sun), which are non other than the industrial families that keep coming up in this paper. Here I remind you of the paper *The Bulgarian Revolution* that Miles published two years ago.⁵²

Other famous organizations using the cogwheel (the sun) are Rotary International and the International **Labour** Organization. Which tells us they are both controlled by the Families.



Who else used the cogwheel? The German **Labour** Front, which was the labour organisation under the Nazi Party that replaced various independent trade unions in Germany during Hitler's rise to power.⁵³



The symbol of the Nazi Party also features the sun (below a stylized phoenix). It seems the CIA used the same motive, which I guess represents the perpetual generational success of the Families. The swastika is an old symbol representing the sun. If it's clockwise, it represents the day, and counterclockwise the night.⁵⁴ The White Knight vs the Dark Knight.

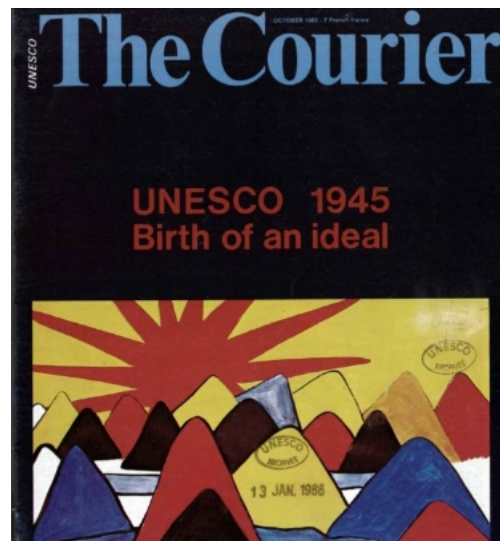


We got more. Notice the sunrays around the FBI's logo and the sun rising over the new millenium on the NRO's logo:



See also the military operations called [Operation Dawn](#) and [Operation New Dawn](#), and the [JASON group](#) (initially called Project Sunrise).

The following excerpt is taken from the article *The Mood of Britain, 1945* (p. 14) in the 1985 UNESCO Courier (notice the sun rising behind the mountains).⁵⁵



Nothing could have been more democratic than Britain's general election of July **1945** which dislodged Britain's great war leader, Winston Churchill, and which brought the **Labour Party** in to power with a massive overall majority of 146 seats in the new Parliament. In one of the most readable of Britain's contemporary diaries Harold **Nicolson**, who lost his own seat, wrote simply "Churchill is out and Attlee has a clear majority! Nobody foresaw this at all." Yet there were people who foresaw it and had foreseen it for some years as the logical outcome of a "people's war" and the development of a "citizens' army" which had been encouraged to think, "This is the **dawn of a new day**", declared the new Minister of Labour with unsurprising enthusiasm, "and in the light of it we are going to march forward to those things of which we have dreamed for years past."

Below are the Labour Party manifestos from 1923 and 2010:⁵⁶



Talking about Britain, here is some recent 'sun rising' propaganda:



Spring will be a 'new dawn' for Britain and people should be able to live safely without fear of the coronavirus, says top government adviser Jonathan Van Tam

- Deputy chief medical officer said a working vaccine could transform daily life
- He said he hoped people could 'live fairly safely' by Easter next year
- Though admitting life would change the virus will still be around, he has hope

Fake event > darkness/fear > false light/hope > targeted change

Richard Nixon's words from the 8/8/1968 presidential nomination acceptance speech (and he was a **Republican**):

Nixon ended his acceptance this way:

My fellow Americans, the long dark night for America is about to end.

The time has come for us to leave the valley of despair and climb the mountain so that we may see the glory of the dawn -- a new day for America, and a new dawn for peace and freedom in the world.

And last, Jimmy Carter's words after he was (s)elected 8 years after Nixon:

"I see the sun rising
on a beautiful new day,
a beautiful new spirit
in the country...
a commitment to the future."

— Jimmy Carter, in a speech at Plains, Georgia,
dawn of November 3, 1976

Carter's inaugural theme, "A New Spirit for a New America," was taken from words Carter spoke as the sun rose the day after he was elected: "I see the sun rising on a beautiful new day, a beautiful new spirit in the country . . . a commitment to the future" (ellipses in original).⁹⁹ Bernstein was to have composed a work called "The New Spirit" for the inaugural; unfortunately, this never happened.¹⁰⁰ After eight years of Republican paranoia, Bernstein must have rejoiced at Carter's egalitarian "People's Inaugural." Thousands of

Every time they market something as 'new', you can be sure it's old. Carter is related to many prominent Americans, among them also **Bill Gates**.⁵⁷

Therefore, you shouldn't be surprised to learn that a **Sunrise Movement** is supporting Biden:

(CNN) — The Sunrise Movement, a youth-led climate activist group, has quickly announced itself as one of the most influential progressive forces in the formative days of President-elect Joe Biden's incoming administration.



Protesters from the activist group Sunrise Movement march down H Street outside Lafayette Square in Washington, D.C. to express their objection to President Trump's response to the election results on November 5, 2020. (Photo by Matthew Rodier/Sipa USA/Sipa via AP Images)

Whether it is Biden or Trump, they will face another black swan.⁵⁸

It's a new dawn, it's a new day

Prepare for unseen threats

Just as Bush had to confront the Sept. 11 attacks, Obama the Arab Spring, and Trump the COVID-19 pandemic, President-elect Biden will similarly face black swan events that will challenge its administration's core capabilities. It is impossible to know what the Biden administration will face – it could be widespread domestic terrorism and conflict, accelerated and localized climate effects, financial collapse, **or any number of other Hollywood scripts**.

One of many more examples is also Washington's **Rising Sun Armchair**:⁵⁹

George Washington used this chair for nearly three months of the Federal Convention's continuous sessions. James Madison reported Benjamin Franklin saying: "I have often looked at that behind the president without being able to tell whether it was rising or setting. But now I know that it is a **rising sun**."



The sunrays on the US CDC's logo should tell us all we need to know about this institution.



And there is even a morning TV show on CNN called New Day.



So, in a *nutShell*, there is nothing *new* under the *sun*...

Let's continue with the article on Global Business Network:

For an encore, Group Planning also anticipated the rise of Gorbachev and the collapse of the Soviet Union. [Of course they did, we have just seen above that the GBN founders come from the families that created the Soviet Union in the first place.]

Thus, it is little surprise that in 1988, a year when Pentagon planners were saying that for the next 30 years, without question, the major threat facing the United States would be the Soviet Union, the very first sentence of the first scenario book that the newly formed Global Business Network wrote, was "The Cold War is over".

Global Business Network was founded by Shell alumni such as Peter Schwartz and Napier Collins to be a sort of Group Planning not just for one company, but for the world. Today, even the Pentagon is impressed, for GBN's kind of thinking is becoming recognized as the cutting edge of "futurism".

GBN's renown is largely due to the work of a Frenchman, Pierre Wack (pronounced “Vack”), who as head of “business environment” research for Shell Group Planning in the '70s helped pioneer an utterly improbable idea.

Wack burned incense in his office and spoke in riddles and parables. His speeches were mesmerizing, like those of a stage magician. When he retired in 1981, it was to a medieval château in the south of France. He looks like Yoda.

Wack claimed that if the rules of the world were constantly changing, it was hopeless to get the “right” forecast. Hiring more or better forecasters to project existing realities in a straight line was pointless. The stakes were too high, the changes too widespread. Just look at the unexpected upheavals of feminism, to pick one example. Who would have guessed back in 1970 that women entering the workforce in America would help cause the number of cars on the road to double, and all-day traffic jams to become common?

The only stability, he argued, was in accepting uncertainty. Organizations would have to be systematically open to heresy.

Wack thus developed “scenario planning”.

He is admitting between the lines that GBN, its predecessors and successors are behind the destabilization of our society, which is why they are “succeeding”. The purposeful constant changes and instability have helped the upper class to fracture our minds, rob us of everything we have, and control us more easily. A classical military approach in class warfare.

One astonishing example of scenario planning in action occurred in the early '90s. At the invitation of a multiracial group of South Africans, Adam **Kahane**, a Global Business Network member and alumnus of Shell Group Planning, shouldered no less a task than seeing whether scenario planning could help turn that pariah nation into a multiracial democracy. [You have seen above the sun-rising symbol on the logo of the Democratic Alliance Party of South Africa.]

Kahane is a variant of **Cohen**. As you read before, the Cohens are a branch of the **Rothschilds**, and Shell was created by the **Samuels** (another branch of the Rothschilds) and was later backed up by the Rothschilds. Yet another branch of the Rothschilds is the **Lambert** family.⁶⁰ Can you guess who are the Lamberts related to as well? The **Rockefellers**. You can find Rebecca and Michael Lambert among the trustees of the Rockefeller Family Fund.⁶¹ They are all one big family.

In fact, during the day I first encountered GBN – as mysterious people filled my head with far-out ideas – the first thing that popped into my mind was Isaac Asimov.

On August 1, 1941, Asimov began a series of stories that came to be known as the “Foundation” series. In it, **a conspiracy of high-minded people had figured out a science called “psychohistory” that could reliably anticipate the future.**

They foresaw a coming galactic Dark Age and launched a plan to cause – to force – a future in which enlightenment would return and triumph over brutal barbarism and savage warfare in only 1,000 years, rather than the 30,000 that it would otherwise require.

At any rate, that first night I could only think one thing about GBN: Holy shit. This is The Foundation.

Subsequent events have only marginally disabused me of this framework of understanding.

The author then names a few members, one of them being Orville **Schell**. Orville reminds me on Eric Arthur **Blair**, aka George **Orwell**, while Schell is a variant of Shell and a shortened version of **Schellenberg**, which means that Shell's name and logo may not be related to seashells, but to the surname Schell/Shell, while the design might have been targeted to show the yellow/red sun, red being the color of revolution, and the sun representing the above-mentioned Families. A sort of an alternative to the *rising* phoenix. Interestingly, the guy who designed Shell's logo created also Exxon's logo.⁶² You can find different variants of Schell and Shell in the peerages.

There are **a ton of members focused on the transformation of the former Soviet bloc.**

You will see why this is important in the Addendum to this paper. Whoever wrote the scenario for the creation of the Soviet Union also wrote the script for its demise and transformation.

Okay, so Royal Dutch/Shell was a major influence on GBN; SRI was another (co-founder Ogilvy is also from the latter).

This ability to morph is embedded in GBN itself, which, from its offices in an industrial neighborhood of Emeryville, California, can and does – with only 30 employees – **present itself in so many bewildering guises** that describing it as a tiny consulting company with 55 major corporate clients is as silly as describing Yale's "Skull and Bones" as just a fraternity.

GBN is a "network," which by definition connects to other power structures. There are also different ways in which a person can be inside or outside the organization. That makes GBN like the elephant being felt up by the blind men. **Its elements can add up in mysterious and perplexing ways.**

At its core GBN is a cause, a club, a conspiracy, and a collection of highly energetic particles aimed at bumping up against huge organizations with positive results.

GBN can come together in so many ways that describing it organizationally is an almost hopeless task other than to note that there are basically four classes of connection: the five co-founders, the staff, about 90 network members (the eclectic braintrust), and the 55 corporations that are paying customers.

Global Business Network, first of all, has an **Anglo-American cast**.

Brand also has become the distinguished chronicler of **MIT's Media Lab – where, it has been said, "the future is invented."**

There is another sense, however, in which GBN feels Anglo-American. **This allegedly universal set of iconoclasts is relentlessly white and male** and middle-aged – even more so than many dinosaur American corporations.

After listening to a few Genentech scientists at a GBN conclave talk seriously about someone **creating a slave class of genetically modified chimps**, very little else a corporate officer hears at a GBN meeting seems preposterous.

Another corporate client, J.R.W. “Wick” Sloane of Aetna, adds, “People are hungry for new views. The current argot is outside-the-box thinking. By and large, people believe that **systemic shocks will make or break companies, and that little curiosities today could be major trends soon. Environmentalism is one example** [or bitcoin/digital currencies]. **Thirty years ago a quirky movement. Superfund today.**”

As you will see in the Addendum, spooks use the term 'strategic shocks' – it is the same thing.

Not a whole lot in these scenarios about **The Men's Club, or The Shape Shifter, or The Foundation**, or even **Remarkable People**. It is enough to shake one's belief that the Global Business Network might be anything extraordinary.

There are multiple layers of truths about this organization. GBN is a network. All networks shimmer with gray boundaries, vague membership, and multiple – often contradictory – goals. Like the search committee for the MacArthur “genius” grants, Global Business Network assumes that if you are one of the hundred-or-so **remarkable people** in whom they might have an interest, they know how to find you. **It's spooky.**

And the network is a tangle. This article on GBN was commissioned by a magazine whose executive editor is a member of GBN. It is running in a magazine which mentions a GBN member in almost every issue. Four GBNers have already been on its cover. And, as I mentioned at the beginning, it was written by a journalist who is a member of GBN.

The guy who wrote the above article *Conspiracy of Heretics* (and was one of the members of Global Business Network) is Joel Garreau (as in Billy Joel, it's a Jewish name and surname). He has a very short bio on Wiki, doesn't seem to be an expert on anything, and looks like a classical spook. Since 1981 he published only 3 books and “he has served as a fellow at Cambridge University, a Bernard L. Schwartz Fellow at New America Foundation, the University of California at Berkeley and George Mason University. Previously, he was a reporter and editor at *The Washington Post*. He is a senior fellow at the School of Public Policy at George Mason University, leading two groups, one studying the future of universities and the other examining which global gateway city regions will be the winners and losers in the year 2020”.⁶³ Garreau is also the principal of The Garreau Group, another offshoot of GBN.⁶⁴

He is also a member of The Edge Foundation, another spook front. They organize so called Billionaires' Dinners.⁶⁵

Every year since 1999, we have hosted The Edge Annual Dinner (sometimes referred to as “The Billionaires' Dinner”). Guests have included the **leading third culture intellectuals of our time, dining and conversing with the founders of Amazon, AOL, eBay, Facebook, Google, Microsoft, PayPal, Space X, Skype, and Twitter.** It is a **remarkable** gathering of outstanding minds – **the people who are rewriting our global culture.**

An indication of Edge's role in contemporary culture can be measured, in part, by its Google PageRank of “8”, which places it in the same category as *The Economist*, *Financial Times*, *Le Monde*, *La Repubblica*, *Science*, *Süddeutsche Zeitung*, *Wall Street Journal*, and *Washington Post*. Its influence is evident from the attention paid by the global media [...]

Edge is different from The Invisible College (1646), The Club (1764), The Cambridge Apostles (1820), The Bloomsbury Group (1905), or The Algonquin Roundtable (1919), but it offers the same quality of intellectual adventure.



*Musk and Bezos attending A Short Course in **Behavioral Economics**, Edge, 2008*

The Invisible College links to the Invisible Empire mentioned by Hall above. One of the main guys is Daniel **Kahneman**, which is a variant of Kahn/Kuhn, ultimately **Cohen**. Kary Mullis was also a member of Edge. I guess he was from the Families. Mullis is probably a variant of **Mullins** (think of Eustace Mullins). **Larry Brilliant** is also a member. He was a co-founder of The Well, one of the first digital social networks, together with **Stewart Brand from GBN**.

It says on Wiki that he is Jewish, of course, and that his father was a philanthropist and entrepreneur. This is from his bio on The Edge:

Pandemics researcher; Chairman of the **Advisory Board for “Ending Pandemics”**; Fmr. **Professor of Epidemiology**, U. Michigan

LARRY BRILLIANT, MD, serves as the Chairman of the Advisory Board for Ending Pandemics. Larry is also on the board of the Skoll Foundation and a Senior Advisor at the Jeff Skoll Group. He previously served as the Skoll Global Threats Fund's President and CEO [founded by the billionaire Jeffrey **Stuart Skoll**], the Vice President of Google, and as founding Executive Director of Google.org.

Dr. Brilliant is board certified in preventive medicine and a former Professor of Epidemiology at the University of Michigan. He and his wife Girija lived in India for more than a decade, working as a United Nations medical officer where he ultimately helped lead the successful **World Health Organization (WHO)** smallpox eradication program in South Asia.

He has worked with four Presidents, the United Nations, G8, and Chaired George Bush's National Bio-surveillance Advisory Subcommittee created by Presidential Directive. He co-founded with Stewart Brand, one of the first digital social networks, the Well.

Dr. Brilliant has been recognized as one of the “100 Most Influential People” by Time Magazine, received the TED Prize, and has four honorary doctorates.

He has lectured in hippie communes and the Pentagon, NIH, The Royal Society, Harvard, Oxford and dozens of major universities and has been the keynote speaker for Google,

Salesforce [Peter Schwartz from GBN works there now], Cisco and dozens of other companies.

He helped create the movie [Contagion](#), working with Scott Z. Burns on the screenplay and serving as Senior Technical Advisor on the film and he produced the HBO film *Open Your Eyes*, created the Oscar-nominated *The Final Inch*, and was featured in CNN's [Unseen Enemy](#) [**from 2018, talking about the next big global pandemic**] and many other films.

We can clearly see that the GBN brotherhood, its predecessors, and successors are behind SARS/COVID and all other fakes in known (modern) history. Even though GBN was officially shut down in 2013, it has had its offshoots, such as The Garreau Group, The Edge, Reinvent, The Monitor Group etc. etc. You can count in also the World Economic Forum, World Bank, WHO and all other fronts for the Rockefellers, Rothschilds, Cohens, Schwartzes, Stuarts, Davises, Kaisers, Ogilvys, Gateses, Schwabs, Lamberts, Kennedys, and their extended upper-class families. Everything you see in the news has been planned in advance by scriptwriters hiding behind various companies and fake cultural organizations.

I will leave you with a quote from the ending scene in *The Matrix*: “I don't know the future, I didn't come here to tell you how this is going to end. I came here to tell you how it is going to begin.”

[**Miles**: However, I remind you that although these people have a lot of earthly power, they have very little wisdom. [See my other paper of this week](#). Also that the best laid schemes of mice and men oft go awry. The schemes of these people always go awry, and are guaranteed to always go awry, since the Gods of the Earth are arrayed against them. They sometimes get what they desire, but since even their desires are corrupt, all their schemes end only in more corruption. They succeed in piling up money and treasures, but in so doing only create misery, for us as well as themselves. They define that as power, but no sane person would do so. Power is the ability to create, whereas they have only the ability to destroy.]