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Synne Industries

Posts: 335

Founded: May 07, 2019

Anarchy

Dby Synne Industries » Sun Jun 27, 2021 12:05 pm

# The Alkdorian Empire wrote:

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Like seriously, I am. I've been wanting to write such a character but I just don't know how and it's frustrating. As my lore demands it.

I'm by no means and expert but when you want to write a 'cosmic being' (whatever that entails), you really have to take into account how it's going to sit in your universe.

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This, this is what I don't know and what you need to figure out if you want to write this in a way which works. Now generalizing the term 'cosmic being' as some sort of insurmountable or omnipotent or generally "powerful" force, you need to take into consideration how this is going to interact with your verse' and if you're planning on using it/them/whatever in forum interactions, how things are going to interact with everyone else. Generally you want to impose limitations of sorts in what is and isn't going to happen and this is not limited to direct limitations in capability. Yes, whatever you may be writing could have the capability to do whatever whenever on paper but in practice you have to nail-down exactly what is going to happen. Does it have to do with how the thing thinks? Does it even think in the conventional sense at those 'high cosmic scales? Perhaps this post-thought state can be leveraged by parties 'below' this being to trick its automatic functions into benefiting them. In general I feel like it's best to treat things at this scale less as characters or people and more like tools, laws, or mechanisms with defined functions in relation to defined situations. At a certain point you may end up with something which more or less functions as another key aspect of reality, a fundamental force or the likes. Now the important part of actually integrating the 'cosmic being' into canon is figuring out how it's going to work from a worldbuilding perspective if it's going to work at all. Does your world have a place for this sort of 'being'? Eldritch horrors don't pop-into every single narrative setting because theoretically they 'simply can'. You are the grand authority over your own work, find out if the inclusion is going to be good for your writing. Is the 'being' going to drive some sort of plot? Are there interesting interactions between the being's consequences and the current verse? Does the 'being' break the tone of the setting? Just get this figured out so that you can actually get the addition going smoothly in-verse', something as big as a 'cosmic being' if the thing's actually going to have consequences is going to be rather jarring if you don't handle the introduction of it into the verse' well. Now if you're planning on bringing this into universes other than your own, a bit more thought is going to have to go into it. In your own verse' you can get away with stating capabilities and not elaborating, in RPs doing

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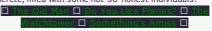
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that is a good way to get booted-out if not rejected. If you're going to use it to interact, make sure you have a good system for cross-universe interaction, even if it's only for that. Having at least a framework for a system establishes ways to reason whether something or something else is going to happen, it allows for discussion with other participants rather than just shouting matches. I know working out reasoning for something which isn't conventionally supposed to conform to human reason is a bit tone-breaking but it's really the only thing you can do if you want to bring whatever you're writing into a proper RP environment.

I have no real way of capping this off so just pretend this bit is something smooth.



A Midatlantic pile of rocks carpeted in bright lights and concrete, filled with some not-so-honest individuals.



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The Alkdorian Empire Secretary

Posts: 31 Founded: Oct 02, 2020 Ex-Nation  $\square$  by The Alkdorian Empire » Sun Jun 27, 2021 1:05 pm

#### The Black Remnant wrote:

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# Alright, let's take it from the top.

Judging from what you've said prior, this god is the head of a pantheon and a mighty powerful one at that, having created everything in their universe. First off, cut the ormiverse and multiverse gibberish. That stuff in general can feel wayyyy out of scale for something focused on a single nation or even a single setting unless it is a core part of it i.e. a time loop or reflection of reality or includes things like Doom's Hell and Urdak, Stranger Things' Upside Down, Minecraft's Nether and End, etc etc

Second of all, consider the dynamic of the pantheon itself. do the gods constantly struggle for supremacy, wing for worship and power among the mortals, or is it a peaceful affair presided over by the eldest of them? If the former, perhaps "Brapture" is powerful only because he is at the highest peak of the pantheon, but could be toppled any day by one of the lesser Gods. If the latter, is he a father figure, a sibling, or something more?

If he is a supposedly ormipotent being, let's tone that down-if part of a pantheon, perhaps he was ormipotent in ages past, but as the religion of his creations diversified and grew more complex and multifaceted, his form, bound by concepts of divinity and the perception of him by his followers, fractured and became separate beings.

This is just me spitballing m, but it's somewhat of a similar model to what I'm running in the gods of TBR canon.

The Patheon is him. It was one conscious entity that is Brapture. But the Mortals, the Alkdorians in this case, view Brapture as multiple individual entities, those separate entities are entirely fictional and made up by the Alkdorians. Yet that doesn't defy the fact that Brapture is responsible for having them interpret him as many beings. As those non-existent beings are expressions of his power, the world that Alkdorians live in, and how they see that power expressed in all its many ways from war, harvest, love, and ect.

If that makes sense.

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Founded: Jun 11, 2021 Capitalist Paradise

□by The Archetypal Future Tech Space Empire » Sun Jun 27, 2021 6:58 pm

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The Alkdorian Empire Secretary

Posts: 31 Founded: Oct 02, 2020 Ex-Nation

🗋 by **The Alkdorian Empire** » Sun Jun 27, 2021 7:01 pm

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Comerciante

Diplomat

Posts: 646 Founded: Dec 25, 2020 Ex-Nation

Dby Comerciante » Sun Jun 27, 2021 7:02 pm

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Warlord Era in a nutshell



The Archetypal Future Tech Space Empire Political Columnist

Posts: 2

Founded: Jun 11, 2021 Capitalist Paradise

by The Archetypal Future Tech Space Empire » Sun Jun 27, 2021 7:25 pm

#### The Alkdorian Empire wrote:

The Archetypal Future Tech Space Empire wrote: Is it becoming a bit of a cliché that the sexuality of people's characters are mostly described as bisexual? I think it's just me but is

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Perhaps.

#### Comerciante wrote:

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Okay, sure, but let's try not go there lest we want to get reported to Moderation.

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by The Alkdorian Empire » Sun Jun 27, 2021 7:34 pm

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by The Archetypal Future Tech Space Empire » Sun Jun 27, 2021 9:24 pm

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Western Fardelshufflestein Senator

Posts: 4744

Founded: Apr 21, 2020 Civil Rights Lovefest by Western Fardelshufflestein » Sun Jun 27, 2021 9:33 pm

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#### #Moreasexualcharacters2021

#### The Constitutional Monarchy of Western Fardelshufflestein

<u>Always Has Been.</u> | <u>WF's User Be Like</u> | NSG is Budget Twitter | Yo, Kenneth Branagh won an Oscar

Tiny, Shakespeare-obsessed island nation northeast of NZ settled by HRE emigrants who thought they'd landed in the West Indies. F7 Stuff Somewhat Not Canon; RP is in real time; Ignore Stats; Still Not Kenneth Branagh.

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Amenria

Posts: 4300 Founded: Jun 08, 2017 Democratic Socialists 🗋 by **A m e n r i a** » Sun Jun 27, 2021 9:37 pm

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Michelle sweating in the background.

#### The Empire of Amenria (亚洲帝国)

Sinocentric Asian theocratic absolute monarchy. Set 28 years in the future. Onsite factbooks are no longer canon.

Nani!? A rules creepypasta set in R1!?

#### My views



Valentine Z Postmaster-General

Posts: 11602 Founded: Nov 08, 2015 Democratic Socialists ☐ by **Valentine Z** » Mon Jun 28, 2021 12:48 am

I have nothing against LGBT+, but I don't think Valentijn fits the bill on either.

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Maybe a Transgender, but a very instantaneous one.



Which again, mind you, I don't have malicious or satirical intent on him turning one. I just found it funny that way, and also because truth be told, he looks nicer as a woman.

Last edited by Valentine Z on Mon Jun 28, 2021 12:51 am, edited 2 times in total.

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#### Shin-Makai

Civil Servant

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□by **Shin-Makai** » Mon Jun 28, 2021 4:25 am

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Wait, so does Valentijn identify as a man or do they go by she?

The Archetypal Future Tech Space Empire wrote: gets involved in flame wars

I see, an NSGer character.

Last edited by Shin-Makai on Mon Jun 28, 2021 4:26 am, edited 1 time in total.

# 鬼 It is the year 1,564 C.E. and Japan is on Fire 鬼 Basically

毎日魔界 Government to start work on developing ports in Ryūkyū. |



Savroyska Lobbyist

Posts: 21 Founded: Jun 14, 2020 □by **Savroyska** » Mon Jun 28, 2021 4:32 am

The Alkdorian Empire wrote:

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Summerposters thriving in the forum where there literally isn't supposed to be

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Senator

Posts: 4015

Founded: Jul 14, 2018 Authoritarian Democracy Dby Laka Strolistandiler » Mon Jun 28, 2021 4:39 am

I'll be correct to assume that summerposters usually are school kids who are on a summer break?

Take a look at our Empire, one on which the Moon never sets!

I am not a Russian but a Cameroonian born in this POS.

Quote of the day: They

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Pronouns up to your choice but I'd prefer to be referred to as she/her.

I reserve the right to /stillme any one-liners if my post is at least two lines long



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Ex-Nation

□by Savroyska » Mon Jun 28, 2021 4:50 am

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## I'm pretty sure that's the definition

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Tsivaou

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□by **Tsiyaou** » Mon Jun 28, 2021 5:14 am

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Or even a nation which exists only on a network of bunkers across the former terrority

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Savrovska Lobbyist

Posts: 21

Founded: Jun 14, 2020

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□by Savroyska » Mon Jun 28, 2021 5:31 am

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## I feel attacked-

nah im kidding er i have a nuclear war timeline and even the canon timeline where nuclear war didn't happen a few bombs were launched

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Comerciante Diplomat

Posts: 646

Founded: Dec 25, 2020

Ex-Nation

by Comerciante » Mon Jun 28, 2021 5:57 am

Nukes in CFC were only effective because both sides had exhausted their war chests. All the Defenses were down and all the Powers just said to the other powers "I'm not going down alone."

Even then some of Earth got away alright more or less.

"Rumors of CFC affiliates building superweapons in orbit over Earth is fake news. Watch groups have corroborated this even though it would be to quote the BoD "totally rad."

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Warlord Era in a nutshell



A ikoland Ambassador

Posts: 1885

Founded: Dec 22, 2011 Capitalist Paradise

□by **Aikoland** » Mon Jun 28, 2021 6:00 am

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Savroyska Lobbvist

Posts: 21 Founded: Jun 14, 2020

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□by Savroyska » Mon Jun 28, 2021 6:01 am

## Aikoland wrote:

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...What?

I guess they're just pissed off or something, but it still sounds hilarious because of its absurdity

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**Aikoland** Amhassador

Posts: 1885 Founded: Dec 22, 2011 Capitalist Paradise

□by **Aikoland** » Mon Jun 28, 2021 6:09 am

One of my faves is the dude who got super mad over the 2011 hacking prank and demanded an apology from the site and was looking into if the prank violated Australian law..

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