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Postmaster-Genera

Posts: 11602 Founded: Nov 08, 2015 Democratic Socialists

Dby Valentine Z » Wed Feb 02, 2022 9:55 pm

Congratulations (and Condolences) on reaching 10,000 cliche posts!

Val's Stuff. ≡ ^_^ ≡ For You

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Black Raven Movement

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Posts: 258

Founded: Apr 28, 2021 Iron Fist Consumerists

by Black Raven Movement » Wed Feb 02, 2022 10:01

Valentine Z wrote:

Congratulations (and Condolences) on reaching 10,000 cliche posts!

May the big man upstairs give us more time and energy to continue this cycle, inshallah.

This thread has already become one of my favorites on the site. And I don't know why. Help.

miseria en kyiv

LIBERATE HONG KONG

Pessimistic male, glowie profiteer, unreliable spine, metalhead, dissonant mindfucker, potential Orthodox convertee.

Straight Mexican-American right-libertarian. One-time CEO of Operation Mindfuck.

Revel in it.

That excerpt came in handy, baby!



Holy Federation of Stars

Posts: 15

Founded: Apr 19, 2021 Civil Rights Lovefest

 \square by Holy Federation of Stars » Wed Feb 02, 2022 10:01 pm

ppl really do base their entire personality over whether or not they like having fictional characters on their flag or not.

> † Holy Federation of Stars ◆ We shall march through the storm, Jesus by our side.

In a galaxy where humans were lifeseeded on 12 planets, a federation with a ceremonial religious head of state has united 8 of them. Religious, Ethnic, and Political conflicts are practically an every day thing and the threat of alien invasion has caused paranoia and xenophobia among the population.

Wexas' attempt at FT. No funni powerwank/"sexy" aliens for me.

IC Year: 2410 | No NS Stats

Not really for/against Christianity or any political ideology, I just thought the idea was neat.

I like TGs, give me them. (You get a cookie if it's Semi-IC/Lore-Related)



Neo-Western East Korea Spokesperson

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Founded: Jun 15, 2021 Iron Fist Consumerists by Neo-Western East Korea » Wed Feb 02, 2022

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Black Raven Movement

Posts: 258

Founded: Apr 28, 2021 Iron Fist Consumerists by **Black Raven Movement** » Wed Feb 02, 2022 10:19

Holy Federation of Stars wrote:

ppl really do base their entire personality over whether or not they like having fictional characters on their flag or not.

Sad fact, I suppose. Inevitable, but still kinda saddening.

I don't want to be an egotistical centrist here, but both sides of the "anime flag waifu good/bad" debade on this site do have some points, guided or not. Shocker, eh? I would say it ultimately depends on execution, size, dimensions, basically anything concerning angles, and the Vanilla Wafer selected for the job. It's also affected by the user using it or condemning it, depending on how much of an insufferable dickweed they are to either side. For god knows what reason, there's a lot of factors in that of all things.

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Truly it is. A shame, really.

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Vadterland Spokesperson

Posts: 124 Founded: Jul 12, 2018 Iron Fist Consumerists □by **Vadterland** » Wed Feb 02, 2022 10:24 pm

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Last edited by Vadterland on Wed Feb 02, 2022 10:24 pm, edited 1 time in total.

Summary



 $\hfill\square$ by Neo-Western East Korea » Wed Feb 02, 2022 10:26 pm

anyways NS Cliche: having to rewrite half of your factbooks after realizing that attempting to flesh our your nation has left them even more incoherent and terrible than before

Posts: 147 Founded: Jun 15, 2021 Iron Fist Consumerists

> Last edited by Neo-Western East Korea on Wed Feb 02, 2022 10:26 pm, edited 1 time in total.



Founded: Oct 27, 2019 Civil Rights Lovefest

by -Astoria- » Thu Feb 03, 2022 12:12 am

Neo-Western East Korea wrote:

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Guilty as charged.





Polska Rzeczpospolita Robotnicza

Posts: 107 Founded: Aug 26, 2020

Democratic Socialists

by Polska Rzeczpospolita Robotnicza » Thu Feb 03, 2022 1:21 am

Neo-Western Fast Korea wrote:

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I'm in this image and I don't like it.

Polska Rzeczpospolita Ludowa

Midnight



The Grand World Order

Founded: Nov 03, 2007 Iron Fist Consumerists

 $\hfill \Box$ by The Grand World Order » Thu Feb 03, 2022 4:05

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Diplomat

Posts: 993

□by **UIJ** » Thu Feb 03, 2022 4:46 am

Boring alt-history nations (they put me to sleep) are becoming even more common lately. Too many America ones, they all start blending together into one mass. Usually don't make much sense either, though that's not a requirement.

Founded: Oct 16, 2014 Left-Leaning College State Generic FT nations are a dime a dozen but there's just something about generic alt history LARPs that just puts me to sleep.

Also, people who wait like 2-3 posts, then post again, for pages at a time like bro just relax we can only repeat the same thing on your short unchanging sig so many times, or if half your posts are from that thread (like out of context) what are people supposed to say anymore Gotta give yourself a self-imposed cool down on each thread imo, just annoying to see the same nation every time I come back to a thread

Last edited by UIJ on Thu Feb 03, 2022 4:46 am, edited 1 time in total.

Info

Hoosher Dump Perseus XXII - CRV-222222 [P22] - Theme send me uranium so my $\underline{\text{hooshies}}$ can $\underline{\text{eat}}$ xoxoxo

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Wormfodder Delivery Chargé d'Affaires

Founded: Feb 14, 2021

Compulsory Consumerist State

by Wormfodder Delivery » Thu Feb 03, 2022 5:03

The problem is mostly that people use template nations without putting any effort in to make them actually good.

Like, you can take a basic concept and still make it interesting by putting in

Or you make a concept that is weird enough so it is still interesting. Optimally, you do both the unusual concept and making it good.

But those who do the template nations don't do either. And it mostly will lead to them being forgotten.

Like, I personally can't keep most of the authoritarian americas apart from each other, they all blend in together in my head like a big, "OH LOOK I AM SO COOL" sludge. Same for the generic communist nations, the barely different eaglelands, the standard european monarchy, the generic authoritarian ${\bf r}$ dictatorships, the space empires with a 1800's mindset, etc. If you are one of those, you honestly can just stop actually writing, cause none of it is gonna be remembered when it joins the pile of generic sludge.

To those who I am reffering to there, stop wasting everyones time with having to deal with your unimaginative, creatively bankrupt, generic nation that won't leave a lasting impact. Noone wants to read your nationwanks.

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-Gogurveo

Founded: Dec 08, 2021

Scandinavian Liberal

Paradise

□by **-Goguryeo** » Thu Feb 03, 2022 5:12 am

Cliche: Using Nationstates to post your bogstandard PolWank.

Last edited by -Goguryeo on Thu Feb 03, 2022 5:18 am, edited 1 time in total.

The Peoples' Committee of Goryeo

» POPULATION: 9 Million | GOVERNMENT: Fractured Coalition of Left-Wing Factions | ERA: 1972 C.E | ANTHEM: Tribute to the Nation's Heroes(

[Reality Itself has been Torn [A s u n d e r], Stubbornly We Persist.]



Take Care of Business

Posts: 0

Dby Take Care of Business » Thu Feb 03, 2022 5:41

Yall are so unimaginative, basing your nations on real-life countries and fictional ones in popular culture. Why not make nations based on each other but plainly mocking them?

Founded: Feb 03, 2022



The Republic of Western Fnvov

Posts: 285

Founded: Oct 13, 2021 Father Knows Best State by The Republic of Western Sol » Thu Feb 03, 2022

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I honestly forgot what inspired my nation, but at least I'm more unique than the Alt history America's, helps me stay on f7

Benevolent Autocracy

Furry UwU

Buy my guns



The Grand World Order

Powerbroker

Posts: 9372

Founded: Nov 03, 2007 Iron Fist Consumerists

by The Grand World Order » Thu Feb 03, 2022 5:46 am

-Gogurveo wrote:

Cliche: Using Nationstates to post your bogstandard PolWank.

This

I largely based GWO on my RL beliefs with some changes to account for the fact that (most) of the people in it didn't grow up in the US like I did, but I still also include plenty of social ills, problems, inefficiencies, and outright horror stories of government overreach- no ideology or governing style will solve all issues, it's simply a matter of choosing which ones you'd rather have to accept. Sure, back when I used to RP, GWO went around smashing communist countries to the point where there wasn't an organized left-wing alliance in II, and that was pretty cool and in line with my ideals, but I saw the real human cost for both the countries being invaded and the GWO's own people as an excellent subject matter for writing. It kind of loops around to a post I made earlier, where a lot of democratic nations like to RP as if their social programs all work, and there's also conveniently no real opposition politically to the whims of their leader, who also never seems to leave office! And, despite losing hundreds of thousands of troops in a totally unjustifiable war and a lack of a major military culture, there's no shortage of volunteers, so even though "conscription can be used," it conveniently never has to be!

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Wormfodder Delivery Chargé d'Affaires

Posts: 478 Founded: Feb 14, 2021 Compulsory Consumerist

State

by Wormfodder Delivery » Thu Feb 03, 2022 7:12

-Goguryeo wrote:

Cliche: Using Nationstates to post your bogstandard PolWank.

That is a problem with a lot of fiction, that the authors personal politics are inserted as something unfathomable right and the opposing ones are depicted as the worst beings imaginable.

This is what led me to the decision to make the Wormfodder Delivery Service into something that has little relation to my personal outlook. Even if I accidently let some of my views sicker through and tend to sometimes do some jokes about them.

Personally, I find it more interesting if one were to make the ideals one finds abhorrent irl into the good guys ones and the ones they identify with into the evil antagonists one. Altough I personally am currently not exactly capable of writing that. Except maybe as a piece of humor-writing, but that would defeat the point of actually analyzing the other viewpoints.

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Diaboland

Posts: 271 Founded: Dec 07, 2021 Civil Rights Lovefest

Dby Diaboland » Thu Feb 03, 2022 8:09 am

i think we need a nationstates drinking game



Soviet Progonya Spokesperson

Posts: 181 Founded: Mar 16, 2020 Corrupt Dictatorship

Dby Soviet Progonya » Thu Feb 03, 2022 8:11 am

Bruh I remember when years ago my nation was a sort of caricature of my views, and it was really fucking boring. I ended up completely redoing it with the name being the only things unchanged. Thh not it's way less about politics and more about weird worldbuilding bc I got inspired by this one webseries/arg lol.

A post-apocalyptic nation located entirely within a megastructure amidst a burning Earth, in a world where reality barely holds together and magic arises from the

Erik | Male | Russian | Christian | Mixed Race I'm into TF2, Madness Combat, art, animating, Hotline Miami, competitive rifle shooting. My art account My animations My fan project Trans rights and racial equality are based

Current affaiçãcks.

Making an FNF mod, don't care if I'm cringe, Absolutely in love with the game Iron Lung, Two months on Chad Position circa 24/03, Late to the party but loving Breaking Bad

Innatist with a side of virtue epistemology, slightly utilitarian with hedonist characteristics, not smart enough to understand

economics



New Audalusia

Bureaucrat

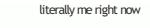
Posts: 43

Founded: Oct 11, 2021 Capitalist Paradise

by New Audalusia » Thu Feb 03, 2022 8:12 am

Neo-Western East Korea wrote:

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Wejas Lobbyist

Founded: Sep 17, 2021 Iron Fist Consumerists

□by **Wejas** » Thu Feb 03, 2022 11:53 am

-Goguryeo wrote:

Cliche: Using Nationstates to post your bogstandard PolWank.

no u

sig

★ Reino de Wejas ★

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Founded: Dec 30, 2021 Iron Fist Consumerists

Dby Terran American Republic » Thu Feb 03, 2022

Wejas wrote:

-Goguryeo wrote:

Cliche: Using Nationstates to post your bogstandard PolWank.

no u

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United States of America - A global superpower and head of the OFN, NATO, and a founding member of the Congress of Nations.

American News Network: French Civil War: Battle of Bordeaux won by

World Overview

NS stats executed by firing squad, this nation is the Celestial American Republic but in our present day. Cursing myself for accidentially installing the autocracy policy :pain:



Lobbvist

Posts: 15 Founded: Sep 17, 2021 Iron Fist Consumerists

□by **Wejas** » Thu Feb 03, 2022 12:01 pm

Terran American Republic wrote:

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 \square by The Grand World Order » Thu Feb 03, 2022 5:47

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my ideology is the best because the words I type say it is, you must have a very high IQ to understand ugh

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