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Kiu Ghesik
Powerbroker

Posts: 9373
Founded: Aug 25, 2020
Democratic Socialists

by **Kiu Ghesik** » Mon Mar 29, 2021 4:30 pm

Bogi Smerti wrote:

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The Troas Sector
Bureaucrat

Posts: 59
Founded: Mar 08, 2021
Ex-Nation

by **The Troas Sector** » Mon Mar 29, 2021 4:31 pm

Sengoku Americas wrote:

Baizou wrote:

There may be some wish fulfillment, but it's not exclusively about sexuality. Middle-aged men in power might be the norm for our world, but why not imagine a more egalitarian world for our nations, one in which political offices are also filled by women and by younger generations as well? At least, that's where I'm coming from with Baizou's leadership. Middle-aged men might be typical for most traditional-postwar-nation-states, but I'm not too keen on roleplaying six old dudes. ^^;

I agree with Baizou here, though my reasons are not only regarding diversity and representativeness. Most of my nations tend to be headed by childish, and relatively young leaders (or at least people acting like they're relatively young) not only because gerontocracy is boring (if I wanted to see old people who should be getting Pfizer vaccines and not in political power, I'd read NY Times) but also because I dislike the strict zero-sum and competitive arena of politics, as well as the lack of idealism many politicians tend to have.

Hot take: older characters aren't that bad if you know what to do with them. I.e. if your theme is a stagnant state run by older guard politicians who refuse to relinquish power in the face of resistance by those younger generations who refuse to accept the status quo that your state has been perpetuating for the last few hundred years. Roleplaying as older characters may not necessarily be bad in that regard, but there's another case where older characters could work as well and that's in the kind of 'old national father' type of character, similar to Ho Chi Minh or Gandhi or whoever else, who has an important position in politics because they've been around for so long but at the same time they aren't devoid of any political charisma like most middle aged career politicians (probably because they were struggling against a government rather than

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having been established in politics because they were in one).

Generally, it really depends on the kind of vibe your country has, but I generally don't like roleplaying young people for the sake of roleplaying young people, and would much rather follow the more realistic tried form of older politicians generally being there because they've spent years being careerists forwarding themselves, or spent years fighting for the freedom of their country or for their political goals against a corrupt tyrannical government. But you're free to roleplay who you want to at the end of the day, I won't stop you or chastize you for wanting to RP as a younger person for the sake of your plot or for fun/whatever. I just like being cynical about politicians and so portray them all as corrupt men who were raised as part of a political aristocracy.

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Because you 'can't' is a good reason too. I honestly still don't think my own are particularly impressive but I'm still semi-proud of myself for giving it a try atleast. People who think they 'can't' should atleast try it out if they want to.

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Bogi Smerti
Diplomat

Posts: 810
Founded: Dec 10, 2020
Ex-Nation

by **Bogi Smerti** » Mon Mar 29, 2021 4:32 pm

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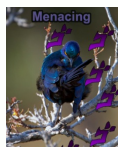
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Minister

Posts: 3186
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Inoffensive Centrist
Democracy

by **Free Ravensburg** » Mon Mar 29, 2021 4:34 pm

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Sengoku Americas
Envoy

Posts: 218
Founded: Feb 13, 2021
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by **Sengoku Americas** » Mon Mar 29, 2021 4:34 pm

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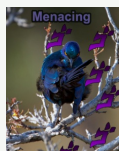
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by **Free Ravensburg** » Mon Mar 29, 2021 4:35 pm

Sengoku Americas wrote:

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I just have trouble writing in general.

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Powerbroker

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by **Kiu Ghesik** » Mon Mar 29, 2021 4:39 pm

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oh, yeah, definitely. i have so much fun insulting my own characters idk if i devoted an entire paragraph to having the lord berghi call ari a trap once) but it's so hard to do the same to frens.

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Bogi Smerti
Diplomat

Posts: 810
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Powerbroker

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citation: can confirm, things were messed up before we figured out how to efficiently kill each other with funny rocks in the ground

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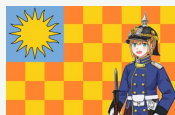
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Aureumterra III
Diplomat

Posts: 778

by **Aureumterra III** » Mon Mar 29, 2021 4:42 pm

Sengoku Americas wrote:

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Founded: Sep 21, 2020
Iron Fist Consumerists

Not at all 🤔

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Chan Island
Negotiator

Posts: 6455
Founded: Nov 26, 2015
Inoffensive Centrist
Democracy

by **Chan Island** » Mon Mar 29, 2021 4:43 pm

I think we're all forgetting the ultimate NS Cliche.

Hasselhoff.

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Bogi Smerti
Diplomat

Posts: 810
Founded: Dec 10, 2020
Ex-Nation

by **Bogi Smerti** » Mon Mar 29, 2021 4:45 pm

Chan Island wrote:

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Hasselhoff.

Haven't heard that name in years.

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Aureumterra III
Diplomat

Posts: 778
Founded: Sep 21, 2020
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by **Aureumterra III** » Mon Mar 29, 2021 4:46 pm

Chan Island wrote:

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Hasselhoff.

More of an NSG (gags) thing tbh

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South Reinkalistan
Ambassador

Posts: 1785
Founded: Mar 12, 2019
Corrupt Dictatorship

by **South Reinkalistan** » Mon Mar 29, 2021 4:47 pm

NSG "humour"

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" We will not bow to your dictation. We are free. We bled to be free.

Who are you to tell us what we may and may not do? **We stopped being your slaves an era ago.** "

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Baizou
Spokesperson

Posts: 124
Founded: Jan 02, 2018
Liberal Democratic Socialists

by **Baizou** » Mon Mar 29, 2021 4:49 pm

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Oh, absolutely! Really, I hesitate to write negative posts in general... when a character's in-character comments do turn negative, I'll usually also write a reaction from a different character who is more fond/less confrontational or something. This happens a lot when I post with Classroom 3-B, because I find it interesting to explore depicting Francine, but she's so abrasively haughty that I rarely want to let her have the last word. ^^;

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I have many characters who have seething hatred for many of my RP mate's characters, it's actually kinda fun in a way

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by **Bogi Smerti** » Mon Mar 29, 2021 4:52 pm

South Reinkalistan wrote:

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NSG delenda est

unless you guys can behave for once

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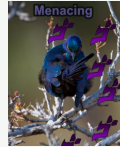
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Free Ravensburg
Minister

Posts: 3186

Founded: Jun 01, 2020
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by **Free Ravensburg** » Mon Mar 29, 2021 4:54 pm

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So, no.

war is one hell of a drug

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by **The Saucer Pilots** » Mon Mar 29, 2021 4:59 pm



The Saucer Pilots

Attaché

Posts: 79

Founded: Aug 15, 2020
Inoffensive Centrist
Democracy

Sengoku Americas wrote:

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A: "The answer is too crazy to sound true."



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Most of my characters aren't particularly aggressive, but they believe in certain things that would bring out pretty angry reactions from them if questioned, it's always fun RPing this sort

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by Baizou » Mon Mar 29, 2021 8:23 pm

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I have no problems with deathsquadding characters I dislike and I have no problems deathsquadding characters I do like.

Then again this nation is a dumpster pit so of course it would send killteams after just about anyone it doesn't like ICly.

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Resilient Acceleration
Ambassador

Posts: 1139
Founded: Sep 23, 2020
Civil Rights Lovefest

by **Resilient Acceleration** » Mon Mar 29, 2021 9:16 pm

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Okay, seeing this randomly appear here might've made my day 🍷🤔

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