

What is this debate about?

Topic: This house rejects traditional masculinity in order to stop gender violence.

What happened/is happening? What's the status quo?

- (1) Traditional masculinity is worshiped and followed by a large number of people.
- (2) Traditional masculinity leads to violence: domestic violence and social violence.
- (3) Traditional masculinity provides a pretext for people to use violence in real life.

What are the key concepts/definitions?

- (1) **Traditional masculinity:** dominance、aggression、competitiveness
- (2) **Abandon:** to stop supporting
- (3) **Power:** the root of the toxicity of traditional masculinity
- (4) **Violence:** the display of the toxicity of traditional masculinity

Is it an urgent problem? Why/why not? How do we know?

It is an urgent/severe problem because the toxicity of traditional masculinity makes all the people living in the society become its potential victims.

Stakeholder 1: Women will be harmed.

Traditional masculinity poses threats to women's safety. In one family, men affected by traditional masculinity consider their wives as an evidence of success and put their partners in an inferior status. Women are the main victims of domestic violence because of their disadvantages.

Stakeholder 2: Men will be harmed.

- a. Traditional masculinity deprives men of the ability to love because men's insight into love rests on success.
- b. Traditional masculinity squeezes living space of diverse men. For example, feminine men are bullied and men suffering from domestic violence and sexual harassment are forced to keep silence.

Stakeholder 3: The society will be harmed.

Traditional masculinity divides the people and arouses conflicts between genders, leading to social instability.

What should be done about it?

We take a hard stance = gender violence triggered by traditional masculinity must change. Therefore, men and women must unite to face the violence and abandon its main cause, traditional masculinity. Urgency.

Organization of ideas Stock issues. Stock means standard/repeated

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The Stock Issues Matrix. Subject of arguments

Cultural	Arguments about the collective identity shared by people in a particular group.
Economic	Arguments concerning financial matters.
Educational	Arguments relevant to the effort to instruct citizens.
Environmental	Arguments about the natural world.
Legal	Arguments related to what is required or prohibited by a society's rules.
Moral	Arguments concerning ethical consequences of a proposition.
Political	Arguments relevant to the acquisition and exercise of power.
Rights	Arguments about freedoms or privileges.
Security	Arguments that address the subject of a nation's safety.
Social	Arguments regarding relationships between people.
Symbolic	Arguments concerning the interpreted meaning of phenomena.
Welfare	Arguments about public health and wellbeing.

This debate is about culture (ARE-I)

This debate is about education (ARE-I)

This debate is about rights (ARE-I)

Assertion -

Reasoning -

Example -

Impact -

THBT in elections, women's votes should count double

THBT poor people should not go to jail for crimes of theft