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Headline: A New Global Gender Divide Is Emerging

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Tweet: .@jburnmurdoch highlights a growing ideological gap between women and men under the age of 30: US women are now 30 percentage points more liberal than their male counterparts, with similar gaps in Germany and the UK.

Summary: In the US, Gallup data shows that after decades where the sexes were each spread roughly equally across liberal and conservative world views, women aged 18 to 30 are now 30 percentage points more liberal than their male contemporaries. That gap took just six years to open up. Germany also now shows a 30-point gap between increasingly conservative young men and progressive female contemporaries, and in the UK the gap is 25 points. Outside the West, there are even more stark divisions. In South Korea, there is now a yawning chasm between young men and women, and it's a similar situation in China. Korea's is an extreme situation, but it serves as a warning to other countries of what can happen when young men and women part ways. Its society is riven in two. Its marriage rate has plummeted, and birth rate has fallen precipitously, dropping to 0.78 births per woman in 2022, the lowest of any country in the world.

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