

Religion, the independent sector, and American culture

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The Effect of Religious Orientation on International Relief and Development Organizations on JSTOR

Statement of Values Any code of ethics is built on a foundation of widely shared values. Religion plays as central a role in civil society as civil society plays in the vision for a better world that propels Heritage forward.

Research Notes

The students visited more than 150 congregations and other community organizations and meetings, writing reports and conducting interviews, with the mission to answer the questions that drive our research: Does place matter? Does charitable choice make a difference? This document was drafted by a special taskforce of the Independent Sector Ethics and Accountability Committee, distributed to IS members for review over a four-month period from October 2003 through January 2004, and approved by the IS Board of Directors on January 29, 2004. Please contact the individual organizations or their websites to verify if a more recent or updated code of ethics is available. Because as they recede, ever-greater degrees of disconnectedness, despair, violence, and death are filling the void.

Altruism and culture as social products

Americans are significantly more likely to report volunteer service than citizens of 13 of the other 14 countries included in this analysis, with Canada the only country whose volunteer levels even approach the United States's.

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For instance, have these programs increased the presence of imperfect female characters, with women valued for their unlikeability, anger, vulnerability and precarity, rather than traditionally feminine characteristics? Bancuk Definition The INDEPENDENT SECTOR is a nonprofit organization that works to strengthen America's nonprofit independent sector. In this environment, the work that female practitioners from the independent sector undertake in and on television has taken on a wholly different status and potential.

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Nonprofit and philanthropic organizations must do more, however, than simply obey the law. And let us with caution indulge the supposition that

morality can be maintained without religion.

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Importance Collectively called the independent sector, the nonprofit sector or the third sector, these organizations are educational, religious, arts and cultural, and human service and health organizations. In addition, the Board of Directors of IS encourages IS members, and the field as a whole, to use this document in either drafting and adopting your own statement of values and code of ethics or, for those who have already done so, reviewing and revising, as necessary, your statement of values and code of ethics.

Religion, community service, and identity in American youth

Church attendance has a positive impact, however, on secular voluntary service as does membership in a church-related organization. Over 92 percent of Midwest households give to religious congregations, followed by 88 percent of Southern households, 87 percent of Northeast households and 79 percent of households in the West.

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