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	TRENDS	ISSUES	MANDATES
Objective Data	1. Increased militarism and global Conflicts. 2. More locally-based Consensus building 3 More government interference 4. Histrust of authority and popular unrest. 5. From national to more global forms of decision-making. 6. Less toleration of violations of human and civil rights	1. Unequal goods and services distribution. 2. Inadequate Structures for government goods and Services delivery. 3. Ineffective local participatory decision making. 4. Deteriorating basic education 5. Top down decision making process. 6. Restrictive bureaucratic procedures.	1. Practical education- life methods. 2. Affordable housing and health resources. 3. Equitable employment opportunities. 4. Inclusive participation mechanisms. 5. Consensus planning process and systems. 6. Persons and property security systems. 7. Integrated Rural Development
Hidden Reality	In the arena of political trends, the futuric reality is manifest in a two-fold vision: 1) Increased awareness of need for local/global Consensus building. a) Increased Control, militarism, and injustice of government.	In the arena of political issues the underlying Contradiction is the Weak voice of local wisdom and the absence of structures to receive it.	In the arena of political mandates, the metivational factor is participatory care for the region through integrating material, financial, technical, and human development in the region.

IMPLICATIONS FOR THE REGIONALIS DYNAMIC

The implications of the global trends for the Perionalis dynamic are:

- 1) A new ethical rosture that calls for a response from every human being across culture and religion;
- 2) with the continued ropulation growth, the need for new resource allocation:
- 3) a creative tension between wacro and micro planning; and,
- 1) a growing concern for the importance of the human factor in planning the future.

We see these implications in:

- 1) increased regional responsibility for planning;
- 2)increased communication interchange and access through retrieval; and,
- 3) increased edustion and training:

We expect that:

- 1) the regionalis dynamic is the nodal point between the macro
- and the micro levels; and,
 2) the degionalis dynamic is the level where a practical plan can be built because it is small enough to do implementation and large enough to have the input/output level that can make the difference.

The implication of the global issues for the regionalis dynamic are that the regionalis will participate in struggles with:

- 1) authentic training structures
- 2) economic ailments
- 3) the local-bureaucratic decision making gap
- 1) the value screen void across the globe

we see these implications in:

- 1) the demise of public education
- 2) more small business going out of existence
- 3) grass roots demonstrations
- h) tradicualist groups exerting more power.

we expect that:

- 1) filling the gap between federal or national mandates and local need relative to education and business,
- 2) develoring the style and and symbols that promote and sustain a new global ethical system,
- 3) and closing the gap between local need and wisdom and represental leadarship
- will be aspects of the regionalis dynamic.

The implication of the global mandates for the regionalis dynamic are:

- 1) reempowerment of the local,
- 2) expanding consensue, interchange and core mechanisms,
 3) more frequent use of comprehensive value screens by economic, rolitical, and cultural structures.

we see these implications:

- 1) in creased participatory management in corporations
- in agrated planning for rural development in Scapac
- 2) block clubs/neighborhood care forms.
- se expect that:
 - 1) decison-making interchange mechanisms, and
 - 2) integrating systems for economic and cultural priorities
 - will be aspects of the regionalis dynamic

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RELIGIOUS HOUSE

The task of religious house dynamic is 3-fold: 1) to enable lucid solitary giants, 2) to call forth radical spirits, and 3) to catalyze decisive corporatenes In enabling lucid solitary giants, the task of the religious house is to equip persons with the tools that release human consciousness and structurally enable t them to use their consciousness. It is calling forth people out of mass victimage and giving them a chance to act out their care as ones who are responsible and in charge of a situation. It is to give people the tools that enable them to prove their own direction in life in relation to what life is calling for and give them

methods and examples to follow.

The 2nd role of the Religious House is to call forth radical spirits, to equip and journey people in the consciousness of the long march and dark night so that

they do not collapse under the pressure or difficulty of the task, so that they are clear that despair is just a part of the way life is. It is a calling for a part of the way life is. It is a calling for a decisional style of life that allows a person to lead

a life of simplicity and profound dedication to the task they have decided to expend their life for.

The 3rd task of the Religious House dynamic is to catalyze decisive corporateness. It calls forth the corporateness of a people with a new selfhood about It is about building where they are going in history. the structures that allow the individual to stand in the midst of a history long, world wide task, engaged with others who are also concerned about the same task. encourages people to expend their lives out of a global perspective in a covenantal stance which enables the task to continue in the midst of "better or worse" situations and to see the situation in the long range of

what history is demanding.

1-style of sacrificial service demonstrated 2-collegiality of those in service called forth 3-each metro related to globe through global assignments 4-houses geographically relocated to strategically serve

and sustain troops 5-accountability for the movement performed 6-spirit center for the region

7-structures to host colleagues wanting engagement created 8-sign of successful community living

9-life in midst of serious struggle celebrated

BREAKTHROUGH

ACTUATION:

LIST OF CHARACTERISTIC

> The effect of relocating houses strategically (eg. Maharashtra) allowed for training of priorship, both corporate and solitary reflection, sustaining structures, and the ongoing struggle to createthe corporate style.

INTRODUCTION THE RELIGIOUS HOUSE

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What did we do?	-participants in 10,000 impact forums awakened to their care and the need for human development in their situationsgroups, agencies, communities, created strategic plans for their own futurescadres of people formed to give structure to a local movementpeople became intensely aware of their own geographyprovided role models for local leadership thru circuits, academy, reg'l consit leadership traininginjected practical images of corporate effectivety at the local levelpeople learned to delimit and grid geography to make managable units -people equipped to use practical methods and modelsspecial courses and forums created to meet specific needs in trends of our times.
Breakthroughs:	-put training on the road - mobilitylearned to speak to a larger context; various cultural situations, various educational levels, specific practical needsbuilt a training construct that can be marketed and pays for itselfgetting methods directly into established 4-sector structures has created a new constituency of trained caring peoplea new confidence that we can work at high levels of technology and bureaucracymetro cadres broke open opportunities for acting out care and excerleadership skills in local situationstraining coming in the form of being able to deliver on practical demands being placed on people.
Residue:	-spirit leadership that has formed much of the priorship of the movement is a direct result of in depth and extensive training programs and curriculumstraining programs are the basis of the common memory of people participating actively in the movement todayemerging new strength in leadership in active metros where there is a house and cadresubstantial models, programs, campaigns, constructs, etc, are available for use and adaptation to meet future needs.
New Directions:	-new tools for breaking into masses -we used to educate people to the fact of possibility, we are now training in practical tested models that actually do implement change at the local and regional level.
Conclusion:	-we are called to figure out common statements of what emerging and established leadership need to be trained inaims and objectives that bring coherence to the training journey of the troops.

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SOCIAL HISTORY OF RURAL HUMAN SETTLEMENT Originating in the extended family around 5 million BC, aggregating into the nomadic tribe, (500,000 BC?) human settlement was established in and about 10,000 when the first permanent agricultural villages were formed. This unit was economically, politically and culturally independent with loose relations to other villages. As civilization developed some of this independence was exchanged either voluntarily or by force for incorporation into larger political and cultural systems. The final form of this was the feudavillage (11 0 AD) where the village ceased to be autonomous and its residents "free" and become village and population the property of a "landlord". Such a village was economically, independent, politically and culturally dependent in most respects.

In the 19th century the Industrial Revolution birthed the industrial settlement, a village focussed oncoal mining, iron smalting; weaving, etc. Many of these quickly grew into urban settlements but some stayed "rural" (e.g. Tai r gwaith). Such communities were economically dependent but usually politically and culturally independent.

In the 20th century another mutation of the village has emerged the exurban village A bedroom community that is politically often an independent entity but economically and culturally dependent on the larger urban reality to which it is tied.

MOVEMENTAL ENGAGEMENT IN THE RURAL

The initial engagement of the movement in the rural community came indirectly with the teaching of RS IIIA to residents of rural communities in the late 1960's. In 1969 direct self-conscious engagement in the rural occured with the application of methods developed in 5th City in Mowanjun, an Aboriginal community in Australia. In the mid 70's the engagement with the rural intensified with the county coverage campaign when we found that rapid set up of forums was most effective in rural communities: The Primal Community Experiment done in 3rd World urban communities illumined the reality that revitalizing urban community depended on stopping the urban-flow - creating authentic options of community in the rural. This informed the strategic decision to locate all but 3 of the Band of 24 HDP's in the rural. Since that time experimentation has continued with the most effective ways to catalyze and sustain human development in rural communities -HDTS, Replication, and clusters are examples of this work.

DYNAMICS OF RURAL HUMAN SETTLEMENT

(See attached chart)

CONTRADICTIONS
FACED IN
THE RURAL

Key Contradictions the rural human settlement faces as it looks to the future are:

1. disconnected-ness from structures of total society prohibits the

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STRATEGIC QUESTIONS	community, drawing an individual away from his/her human settlement (where they live), diminhing its significance and thes rest of society's structures and phases except as they relate to the working place. There are several questions about our corporate relationshit to workplace communities: (1) As we show up in a workplace, what is the demonstrative are creating for the workplace and its relationship to human settlement; (2) As we work for various companies (in self-support) what do we experiment with in relation to working place or human settlement; (3) As we do structural permeation, what images are we out to implant to create a company's relations to human community. Other strategic questions are: What is history requiring in order to give human form and relationships of the workpt to human settlement?	ge	
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1981 July. GLOBAL COUNCIL TASK FORCE THE HDZ SECTION T. A . THE GEO. SOCIAL CONTENT CHICAGO Page SYNOPSIS In response to the divisiveness widely evident in society, and the limited access to services and to structures experienced at the local level, the human development zone is a manifestation of the readiness of the local sector to appropriate the methods, spirit and unity necessary for a multisector, multi-social geographic endeavor. MULTI-SECTOR The HDZ is not a recent idea, but a strategy whose time has come. We have always known that involving FINDRAVOR the local sector in development is key, but up to this point neither we nor society were capable of the methods, spirit and unity necessary for a multisector, multi-social geographic endeavor. SOCIETAL. The HDZ is not an expansion of projects, or indeed UNITY clusters, per se, but is a profound demonstration of societal unity in the social process, in the way that the symposium is a demonstration of unity in the intellectual process. With increasing divisiveness in society, the HDZ is being elicited to demonstrate THAT the local canwork withthe other sectors without revolting into anarchy, or becoming an apendage to the political and economic structures. CATALYSIS We have always understood ourselves to be catalytic. LEVER As the single-village project was a catalyzation of the provess of local people, the HDZ is a demonstration of the catalysis of all four sectors inclusively. It is a new lever of catalysis where we would forthrightly be touching larger numbers of communities and impacting related structures in order to reach a new level of momentum. It is therefore the catalysis of the 1% towards the 2 million villages - not a phasing plan. ACCESS The contradiction which we and other voluntary efforts SYSTEM have most acutely experienced recently is not the lack of readiness of local people, not the lack of concerned leaders of the political and economic structures, but the experience of the regional log jam in terms of access systems from local to global and from global to lowal.tc Wglbave known theoretically that the regionalis was key , and practically experienced it for the last six years in local projects

> putside of the mainstream of national or district development efforts. The zone is therefore a probe into the manifestation of an intensified regionalis dynamic

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Over the next three years Human Development Zone pilots will be launched in every continent, Human Development Zones will be launched in every area, and finally, in every region; this monumental endeavor will be strategically actuated by geographic coverage, profound framing, intensive demonstration communities, and locally trained forces.

Careful analysis of the current situation in each area and region as it relates to HDZ launch criteria will inform the global phasing design. This design must be and remain flexible. Below is one option which holds current thinking and planning. Human Development Zones will be commissioned and launched in each region where ICA staff reside by 1984. In the past year (80-81) zones were clearly visible in India and Kenya. During this year, 1981-82, we would commission six HDZ's or one in each continent of North America, Latin America, Europe, Africa, SubAsia, and SEAPAC as pilots. During the year 1982-83 we would move toward one HDZ in an area of each continent, including one in Area Cairo. The last phase, year 1983-84 of global coverage of HDZ's, would look like one HDZ per region in the seven continents or approximately 88 Human Development Zones would be launched. It may be strategic for certain areas and regions to move more quickly than the above model indicates. Every region will be moving toward a Human Development Zone. A lot of careful work must go into this strategy. A check list for launching an HDZ would have to include: 1) geographic coverage of the entire zone, and beyond, with awakenment programs and events; 2) profound framing of the political and economic structures across zone and beyond to the region; 3) an intensive demonstration community that could be a potential power house of the the training of local forces to lead zone: and 4) events, programs, and planning sessions.

July 18, 1981 GLOBAL COUNCIL TASK FORCE HUMAN DEVELOPMENT ZONE II - Structural Components SECTION Page CHICAGO The Panchayat's research on the HDZ, plus other work reviewed, by Research and Operations centrums, were helpful screens for sorting the vast data from the cluster experiments. After reviewing interviewdata from 15 different experiments, we discerned 5 inclusive dynamics. These 5 dynamics were supported by a component review of the 73 Regional Consults. The dynamic of Ongoing Coverage is to sustain and further human ONGOING development across the entire geography by maintaining inclusive COVERAGE impact, developing foundational support and continuing the catalytic circuits. Secondly, HDZ's are built upon the Primary Foundations of PRIMARY advocacy shields, demonstration pillars and movemental cores. **FOUNDATIONS** The dynamic of Demonstration Intensification is the intensive DEMONSTRATION mode within the zone. We have seen this intensification achieved INTENSIFICATION by utilizing structural riders and demonstration community clusters. Interchange mechanisms have paroved key in these. Effective Implementation perpetuates critical mass momentum. EFFECTIVE This includes phasing total maturation, facilitating development IMPLEMENTATION associations, and ongoing indepth training. Finally, the dynamic of Zonal Webbing has to do with the linkages ZONAL and interrelationships which provide the glue, access routes and WEBBING concensus channels across the zone that allow a self-conscious transformation to take place as a common effort. This includes cultivating the critical relationships, enabling demonstration structures and catalyzing sector coalitions.

EMERGING PATTERNS OF CLUSTERS

ARENA EMERGING PAZTERN			
Location	Identifiable by political, administrative units		
Cluster Leadership Local representative core			
Connection to Sectors	Public and private heavily linked, volunteer less so		
Authorisation	Heavy authorization by government structures in addition to guardian influence		
Consult Form	Specially designed 1-5 days long as launching dynamic of clustering		
Stake Form	Smaller units meeting, but no clear form to unit		
Guild Form	Local core works on implementation, as well as specialized agencies		
Circuit Form	Regular meetings more than one monthly to weekly and bi-weekly		
Staffing Combination of ICA and local staff			
Training	Specific events of training to establish leadership		
Legal Form	Corporation as means of cluster legalization		

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I. TRAINING JOURNEY. Training has always been a focal point for the Movement's growth. Over the past quarter century! this has taken many forms as the nature and strategic objectives of the global mission have shifted.

We have over the past eight years intnesified the use of social methods in order to implement human development. This focus on social methods in order to meet needs at the local level has resulted in an imbalance between social, intellectual and spirit methods. Training has dealt with the how to the exclusion of the profound grounding and significance of our work.

THE TRAINING JOURNEY						
Training a movement in structl revol in demonst, hope in the 3 Strategies						
Intellectual Methods in relationship to the University	Spirit Methods in relationship to the Church	Social Methods in relationship to communities	Comprehensiveness Methods in relationship to global plurifty			
1954	1968	1973	1981			

- II. PRESENT SITUATION. Strategic operational directions have always provided the demand and the opportunity for effective training; e.g. workshop leader training in the Town Meeting Campaign. The effectiveness of social methods has been demonstrated world-wide by the HDPs. The earlier push on imaginal methods and pedagogical skills led to a clarity on the spirit dimension which is now needed in all of our human development activities. A common grasp of "order history" and "order wisdom" is needed to empower our corporate thrust.
- III. <u>PROFOUND FUNCTION OF TRAINING</u>. The profound function of movement training is to occasion experiences of the deeps of life, provide the practical tools and methods to give form to those experiences, and prepare one to be a vehicle through which others encounter the deeps. Such movement training equips a broad-based network of people around the world with the life methods, basic screens, contemporary images and wisdom, intellectual and practical tools necessary to move with operational clarity and strategic effectiveness.
- IV. $\overline{\text{FUTURIC DIRECTIONS}}$. We are clear that the demand for training systems is a $\overline{\text{global issue}}$ and one of the burning questions or the Global Spirit Movement today.
- It is clear that one futuric direction for training is that we will journey, with our intellectual, social and spirit methods, this movement of 30,000 people who care and we will journey the 3,000 who have declared themselves as part of the symbolic, extended and movemental order. And we will raise up 300 master trainers who will serve as journey guides.

We see a new emphasis on training in the Religious Houses and that it is through the developing of our spirit prowess that will lead us to primal community and depth awareness.

We also see that common global models are needed that are comprehensive and yet the issues of language use, pluriformity and illiteracy must be addressed if depth training is going to happen in all the diverse situations we find ourselves around the world.

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THE PROFOUND FUNCTION OF TRAINING: Key Learnings	1. The spiral curriculum from womb-to-tomb providing adequate images of humanness for 2. Effective training instruments are practivent to spirit (e.g. the structure of RS-13. Effective training instruments occasion ter with spirit (e.g. Profound Humanness E4. Effective training instruments enable a spirit persons to create their own form for with spirit (e.g. NRM workshops and muses) 5. The comprehensive curriculum form our played a foundational role in catalysing at the core of today's movemental forces. 6. Image change and practical prowess are 1y synonymous with spirit awakenment. 7. Training is not only for equipping our and for achieving our immediate missional also a means for serving the long range structure building the new earth. 8. Training is not simply changing images the enabling of the practical formation of stance.	all peop trical fo I). n an enco ab exerci awakened r encount neritage nd formul not nece own troo endsit rategy of but also	le. rm un- ses). ers ating ssari- ps is
THE PROFOUND FUNCTION OF TRAINING: Training Journ Brooding Arena	1. How do we give flexible yet intentional to the training journey, which both honours dual's place on the journey and yet at the intensifies the journey? 2. How do we give objective, futuric evaluance to the teacher which clarifies needed skills prowess intensificiation? 3. How do we evaluate and improve our traiments on the basis of the spirit experience designed to give form to and communicate?	s the ind same tim . uative as d arenas ining ins	sis- of

IV. FUTURE SENATEGIC QUESTIONS

As we look to the future several strategic questions are emerging in the arens of training.

- 1. How do we build and refine components of the comprehensive curriculum within the context of global operational strategy and logistical frame?
- 2. What are the modes which will allow us to intensify grounding of profound knowing in the midst of our doing rather than as spart from and divorced from our doing?
- 3. How do we get ahold of the educational probes which we are already doing and get a fix on those which need to be done in the future?
- 4. What are the pillard of the training center dynamic?
- 5. In the arena of quality of training, how do the houses turn out solitary spirit giants?
- 6. How do we crack through local mass training?
- 7. How do we mark the journey stages for the 30,000, 3,000, 300?
- 8. How do we continue to evolve in the media and methods at our disposal?
- 9. How do we impact and learn from the Global Education Revolution?
- 10. How do we deal with the preliterate and with the language issue?
- 11. How do we hold before ourselves the functions of training order, serving order, contemplative order so that we do not allow training to become an end in itself and turn inward?
- 12. How do we get ahold of anew the design rationale underlying all curriculum we do?
- 13. How can we have a comprehensive curriculum that holds in being our previous wisdom of humanness and yet remain open to the expanding stream of consciosness which characterizes civilization?
- 14. How do we create a lively open dialoque with other training experiments and yet maintain the uniqueness of our contribution?

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ACTIVE BROODING	Another real cry is how to stand back in the to see what history will tell us in the aren relationship to the historical church and the pluriform order. Active brooding seems approcategories. On relation to the historical cfinally Order or historical church? On for experimenting, articulating, the dynamics will what does it mean to choose to be Order today.	n of the Order's e forms of the priate for these humanich: sm I humanich order: thin and between for	
PONDERINGS	Ponderings at this point involve 3 questic What is the dialogue and interchange that's structure for reflection? Naming the social contrediction to which a padequate response in our time.	ns: needed and the luriform order is an	
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THE TASK THAT MOTIVATES

A Regional Team receives its vision by standing before all of its assigned geography and devising schemes to be responsible for it.

Local and specific activity gives the team its credibility which was the power of the LCX, taking the diverse & comprehensive thrust of RS1 recruitment and allowing that to be manifested in a specific piece of geography.

Teams need revolutionary adaptability, always responding to what is actually required. This is a learning we have learned more from being too rigid than too flexible and have often had to do major maneuvers to get redirected. Dialogue with and experience in extra-regional contacts deepen the on-behalf-of resolve within the team. Tsl teaching assignments in other regions & areas did this. as later did HDP Consult interchange.

In action the regional team serves a guilding function.

STAKE-GUILD DYNAMICS

Among the understandings from movemental experience which will be key to the future of the regional team are our insights into the interplay between geographic structures and guilding networks. The basic insights coming out of HDP history cany provide some clues upon which the regional team can budd in the future.

ONE SPECIFIC EXPERIMENT: METRO CADRES

Metro Cadres in the sixties and early seventies were out to take a group of caring people and give them form that would serve the geography. Many Metros had their own coordinators and/or cadres.

Regional activity then focmssed on recruitment for movemental programs. on journeying individuals (formulation), and on supporting galaxy church experiments.

Regional Councils and Metro Cadres during these years experienced standing before all the geography of the region. They demonstrated the power of gathering and scattering, and were sustained by the dynamics of collegiality, study, and missional planning.

COMPOSITION

The regional team is a larger reality than the image of 30,000. In is a dynamic in that people of various backgrounds, sectors and levels fo committeent show up together in a particular time, geography and task. Elements of the team include the symbolic order in religious houses, "blueshirts" in community cores, TWC in the region engaged in specific mandate arenas, guardians, advocates, boards of advisors, metro elleagues and long time movemental order. The common factor in the composition of the team is a self-conscious decision to catalyze human development in particular situations in the region.

2. COVENANT

The regional team operates within a covenant. The covenant may be multi-leveled but involves practical assignments, an undergirding ethical/ missional thrust, a depth relationship to the mystery of life, and a mutually supprotive relationship a among the three dynamics of the order. It may involve specific elements of time and economic committeent.

PRACTICAL ENGAGEMENT

The regional team functions through tactical local tasks. Major tasks are regional programs, development and training. The team enables effective structural care through revealing networks and serving those organizations already existent in society to effectively provide their services. The team works through their owns jobs or community concerns. The team engages with metro forces in local service and movemental events.

METHODS TRAINING

The regional team must be trained in a variety of methods so that they can be effectively serve the region. This training needs to include common memory - acquaintance with those books and thinkers which have informed us in the past; a proficiency in methods - conversation, contexting, workshopping, maneuver writing, etc.; and be given a means of keeping abreast of the trends of our times. This training does not take place in a vaccuum but is geared to a particular task of each metro and community. Methods training can be at a regional level through specific methods training weekendslocally in the metro cadre or through guild training for a specific event.

5. ENLISTMENT METHODS

The regional team emerges through indirect enlistment rather than direct recruitment. Awakenment events impact people who are already "on the move" and involved. They become intrigued with the possibility of joining forces with others who care to act effectivley as one thrust in addressing concerns, issues, opportunities they hold important.

6. POLITY AND INTERCHANGE

The regional team builds a refgular rhythm of interchange to ensure reporting and decision-making across the sectors and geography its members represent. This is done by newsletters, circulting, councils, weekly metro signal checks, and planning meetings. This polity dynamic ensures: 1. the creative tension between the particular local and the comprehensiveregional; 2. objectivity; 3. broad input, and 4. focussed corporateness.

7. SYMBOLIC LIFE

The regional team is enlivened and enlivens others through symbolizing in rites, myths, songs, etc. it "on behalf of" mission and hopefilled style.

 EXERCLIGIOS HOUSE 's context is expanded by the religious House through its symbolic space, globality and exemplary missional life.

helpful authorization and fiscal base.

July 1981 GLOBAL COUNCIL TASK FORCE The State of the Movement 3 The Master Strategies. SECTION CHICAGO Page A Few strategic 1. How will we determine a strategy for which of the many openings questions we will take? Continental councils? Area councils, Regional related to councils? 2. What are the elements of the HDZ or cluster experiments which Manifestation are moving us toward the critical mass? 3. How will we determine a strategy for the Urban? do we need to do a "city"? work through a structure of a city (such as education)? or do a neighborhood cluster? 4. Why would we take on an Urban Demonstration (beyond one community) What is our vision? What would we be hoping to demonstrate?

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DECLARATION (continued) LEARNINGS	We have learned this year how to adapt our methods to suit the need of many groups and structures. Many new courses and modules have had to be created. We are learning how to market LENS to public sector organisations and communities, and the implementation of the Master Strategies has been greatly informed by the Region Consults. We discovered the creative result of a dialogue where all four sectors were present. The response to the global P.R. pieces has been very favourable.
STRATEGIC QUESTIONS	This year we discovered there is not a question of whether to become a pluriform Order; we are a truly pluriform group. The question is how to empower the diverse gifts present and continue to work on building a movemental consensus. We struggled across the globe this year with the question of where our houses should be located, knowing the necessity of living with the disenfranchised. The strategic question is how to work with the 15% at the same time.

July 1981 GLOBAL COUNCIL 16 TASK FORCE SECTION STATE OF THE MOVEMENT Page **CHICAGO** Inworking with and through the seven revolutions, we have DECLARATION enabled a creative declaration on the part of the black (continued) American minority through the creation of a Black Engagement Strategy. Imaginal Education methods were transferred to educationalists in Europe, India and North America, and LENS seminars have been held with the private sector in every continent. Women's forums were done strategically in India. As opportunities occur to work with governments, businesses, Ethical and other dimensions of the 15%, the presence of the Order Posture Articulation in direct contact, both working and living in proximity to dramatic examples of innocent suffering is of the utmost importance. It is only in this way that the community and human services can be proffered and the gift of vocation received.

July 1981 GLOBAL COUNCIL 16 TASK FORCE STATE OF THE MEVEMENT SECTION CHICAGO 4 Page DECLARATION The Region Consults in 73 regions of the globe allowed us to articulate anew the societal contradictions to which we will address the Master Strategies in the coming years. In preparation for its own consult, each region produced an informative brochure which in itself provided a prose context for the need for a four sector dialogue on the future. Collectively these Regil (onsult brochure mailings reached a minimum of one million people across Brochures the globe, and possibly as many as two million. For many regions it was the first time of "Roing public", as these mailings reached prominent individuals and key networks. Our public face was P.R. pieces also revealed through national, continental and global P.R. pieces, such as the annual reports from the U.S. and Indonesia, and the continental programme brochure from India. All of these publications emphasise cooperation within local communities and allustrate the vocated style of individuals and communities which have participated in deciding their own future. By means of field interviews and group workshops, the Region Interviews Consults enabled thousands of people from industry, the public WORKSHOPS sector, various professions, the education community, voluntary groups and local communities to articulate the required directions in which human development has to go in the coming years. This data is accessible globally in the form of printed documents.

Beyond the practical the role of these documents is to put a

face to the hope beyond hope.

Consults and programs which grew out of them.

THE TASK THAT MOTIVATES

A Regional Team receives its vision by standing before all of its assigned geography and devising schemes to be responsible for it.

Local and specific activity gives the team its credibility which was the power of the LCX, taking the diverse & comprehensive thrust of RS1 recruitment and allowing that to be manifested in a specific piece of geography.

Teams need revolutionary adaptability, always responding to what is actually required. This is a learning we have learned more from being too rigid than too flexible and have often had to do major maneuvers to get redirected. Dialogue with and experience in extra-regional contacts deepen the on-behalf-of resolve within the team. Tsl teaching assignments in other regions & areas did this, as later did HDP Consult interchange.

In action the regional team serves a guilding function.

STAKE-GUILD DYNAMICS

Among the understandings from movemental experience which will be key to the future of the regional team are our insights into the interplay between geographic structures and guilding networks. The basic insights coming out of HDP history canx provide some clues upon which the regional team can budd in the future.

ONE SPECIFIC EXPERIMENT: METRO CADRES

Metro Cadres in the sixties and early seventies were out to take a group of caring people and give them form that would serve the geography. Many Metros had their own coordinators and/or cadres.

Regional activity then focmssed on recruitment for movemental programs. on journeying individuals (formulation), and on supporting galaxy church experiments.

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Some Basic Presuppositions

A basic presupposition upon which we have built all our formulation is that the ordering dynamic in history has three functions: The Symbolic; which assumes responsibility for all that is needed; The Movemental, which is the work force out to do the task; and the Extended, which has to do with specific and carefully decided strategic assignments.

With these dynamics in mind, an initial experiment was the formation of region cadres which later gave way to the 4-churches teams of the Local Church Experiment, and later still to the Auxiliaries, blue shirts community development associations in the Human Development Project Experiment. Undergirding all this, has been the guardians which have had to do with the Extended Order dynamic, not quite fitting the definition, but taking responsibility for enabling the on-going task of the Symbolic and Movemental groups.

The Significating Motivating Story

That which sustains the Regional Team is the significating story of being about enabling creative humanness to emerge, which provides a common focus and motivity to be a group. This story ensures that the larger vision is not lost in the midst of wrestling with immediate issues, and reminds the group that the task is finally contentless and gloriously endlessly unfolding.

Consensus Planning Methods

Methods for building and consensus, and for strategic planning are resources from momement history which are critical to the life and work of th new regional teams.

Pillars of Effective Corporateness

The effectivem corporateness of the regional team is ensured by guarding those pillars as articulated in the Bug Model (study, symbol, Discipline, justing love and Witnessing love) as weal as in the need to train and journey the members. These do not dreate corporateness for its own sake, but only with the context of the consensed strategy and the significating story.

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As the Order moves forward into increasing pluriformity, and as we as individuals and a copporate body participate in radical societal changes, the corporate patterns that have sustained our life age being stretched thin and are being transformed by new experiences and understandings. The experience of the fragility of our commonality calls us to create corporate patterns that are flexible and powerful enough to carry us through a time of transition. Four arenas of particular concern are:

The Marking of Journey

We understand the significance of marking one's journey, yet have experienced inadequecy in forms for ocassioning and recognizing decisions that relate to an individual's vocational journey rather than inate or learned skills. Questions of order classes and criteria for assignment are part of this arena. We believe it is time to name and enable stages of the journey.

Covenantal Forms

What is the self-conscious structure for covenant that will allow an individual to create a significant life story, that will honor decision and that will be a common ground for forging a powerful force in history. How withe vows of poverty, chastity and obedience transformed in a pluriform situation? We believe there is in these a common element to all religious, essential to this time. Spirit Tools

Structural forms for standing at attention to life, owning one's experience, exploring the profound human deeps, standing before all of life, bl ading the meaning out of every moment are an integral part of the Order's existence. How can spirit tools continue to be powerful, relevant to every local situation, relevant to the moment in history we stand in and appropriate for every human--transcultural? How do we hold the possibility of spirit process for every individual?

Corporate Discipline

What are the unifying operating principles that create a context for one global task and build a foundation for effective corporateness and yet allow each individual participating in the Order forms to experience full humanness as a unique and unrepeatable individual? What are the "bottom lines" in terms of the classic order principles, i.e. All time is assigned time, the Order lives among the poor, and how do we recreate the story of living out of this context? What is the bottom line for any Order member symbolic, movemental or extended in light of our common task now? We believe unclarity here has become detrimental to our effectivity. Guidelined give freedom even when they are there to be broken.

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The Order experiences deeply the vast changes sweeping across the globe in all facets of life - political, economic, cultural - which make pluriformity a present reality. This has occasioned an unprecedented turmoil in the understanding of what is meant by the Order and its task today. A response to this situation calls us to discern the societal contradictions beckoning forth a pluriform religious order which would allow the world to move into the future. Four arenas of particular concern are:

The TASK

We experience both the unclarity of the geo-social contradiction and, simultaneouslythe unfocused missional direction of the Order. The tension/relationship of local and global contradictions and strategy is raised here. We must immediate need at both levels. The Order's task is not that of a social agency; it is not static structurally. We stand beyond history to determine the immediate task of the age, but then, like Don Juan, we move on.

The UNIQUE TIMES

We live in a unique time of engagement with society and all its structures and have become an integral part of those forms of engagement making it difficult to step back and sand direct the ongoing work Questions raised here have to do with the dangers of being ensnared by engagement... hence how do we get distance?

The ROLE OF THE RELIGIOUS

"History rides on the backs of the religious.' This is a dynamic that is transhistorical. The role of the servant needs to be rearticulated for the present age. Questions raised here have to do with 'What makes the Order the Order and not a Social Agnecy? and 'Why be the Order if I can do the same social task living in some other human grouping?' In the midst of society, we stand self-consciously before the Mystery of life, demonstrating the fear and fascination which is human as well as the stance of openness, faith, hope and care and the honoring of each parson's freedom to decide. The PLURIFORM RELIGIOUS

The face of the religious changes - the function of being servant to the needs of society remains. The changes have burped up an incredible diversity in our midst which we name Pluriformity. What does the face of that pluriformity look like for us today? We experience in this arena struggling with questions like 'What is meant by pluriformity? What does it mean to be a profound demonstration of pluriform primal community? How does the pluriform religious live before awe and mystery; a out of total commitment and with the discipline that comes from understanding Poverty Chastity and Obedience?

In the midst of many faceted existence we exist to demonstrate unity, to mobilise care, to be expendable, disciplined troops, and to remind mankind of the glory of participating in life across time and space.

July 1981 GLOBAL COUNCIL MOVEMENT TRAINING TASK FORCE PRESENT SITUATION SECTION **CHICAGO** Page 3 Strategic operational directions have always provided the demand and the opportunity for effective training; S'rategies e.g., workshop leader training in the Town Meeting Define Campaign. Training - A variety of training constructs have been tailor made to meet local needs; e.g., Human Development Course on the Sub-continent; Pisinemo H .D.T.S. -We are finding more and more opportunities to engage in training of individuals, organizations and companies; e.g., Company training modules in Japan, two-session leadership seminar in New York.
- The success of practical results has revealed anew the need for profound grounding. - The radical shifts in the global situation Current Geo-Social require an updating in our training programs. - The effectiveness of the social methods has Realities been demonstrated world-wide be the H.D.P's. - People around the globe who have experienced impact courses are requesting more. - Intellectual , spirit and social methods are Emphasis On Spirit the underpinnings for all of our training events. Methods - The earlier push on imaginal methods and pedagogical skills led to a clarity on the spirit dimension which is now needed in all of our human development activities. - The commonness of particular events is held in foundational presuppositions, allowing for appropriate local variations. - A higher level of self-consciousness is being called for on spirit methods, and on understanding the intent and method behind procedures. - A common grasp of "order history" and "order wisdom" is needed to empower our corporate thrust. - There is an urgency for all of us to become master teachers and master trainers thru regular training at the local level.

MOVEMENT TRAINING - TRAINING JOURNEY

Training has always been a focal point for the Movement's growth. Over the past quarter century, this has taken many forms as the nature and strategic objectives of the global mission have shifted.

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We have over the past eight years intensified the use of social methods in order to implement human development. This focus on social methods in order to meet needs at the local level has resulted in an imbalence between social intellectual, and spirit methods. Training has dealt with the how to the exclusion of the profound grounding and significance of our work.

Intellectual Social
Mathods

A human being grows in new directions in response to pratical experience, and reflection on that experience. New decisions about life happen as a result of this interplay. Over the last 8 years our emphasis has shifted from pushing knowing to pushing doing. Depth reflection has been more and more difficult to achieve for several reasons. One is the passion to get the doing done. Another is the difficulty of communicating at a deep level across language barriers.

There is a consciousness of the need to journey both those who have decided to be the symbolic order and those who are swelling the ranks of the movemental order, through training constructs. There is an awareness that training through doing in itself is not sufficent. So that training doesn't create a methods overload, interrelating, redefining and ordering must occur. In addition, a new emphasis must be given to undergirding spirit methods which will sustain and empower people. Formal training must occur on both a regular and on going basis for symbolic and movemental order members.

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DECLARATION	maintaining INCLUSIVE IMPACT - extensive LENS and forums - sustained program income - regular impact systems - media involvement	building ADVOCACY SHIELD - guardian's engagement - advisory boards inclusive frame - regular contact schemes	using STRUCTURAL RIDERS - impact expension - methods delivery - programme authorization - public credibility	phasing TOTAL MATURATION compelling story self-generating clusters zone phasing momentum/critical mass	cultivating CRITICAL RELATIONSHIPS - government contacts - key economic concerns - established services delivery - national plans	
MANIFES TATION	developing FOUNDATIONAL SUPPORT - broad local funding base - public sector financial support - self-support mechanisms - solid track record	establishing DEMONSTRATION PILLARS - economic self- sufficiency - social self- reliance - human self- confidence - extension modes	extending CUMUNITY CLUSTERS - cluster consults - regular councils - joint ventures - symbolic undergirdings	facilitating DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATIONS - local entities - cluster - organizations - self-sustaining economic designs - inclusive participation structures	enabling DEMONSTRATION STRUCTURES - key institutions selection criteris - significant permeation - direct engagement in local - visible effectiveness upgrading	
FORMATION	continuing CATALITIC CIRCUITS - systematic geographic coverage - depth care - team modes - developing sustaining structures	forming MOVEMENTAL CORES - local cores - cluster leadershi - regional team - movemental events	- data/learnings	sustaining ONGOING TRAINING - modular designs - methods prowess - training center - advanced schools	catalyzing SECTOR COALITIONS - 4 sector impact - working partnerships - zone symposia and consults - 4 sector guilds	

July 18, 1981 GLOBAL COUNCIL HUMAN DEVELOPMENT ZONE TASK FORCE SECTION IC -SELECTION SCREENS Page CHICAGO HDZ - THE LAND AND THE PROPLE CHOSEN WILL HAVE SOCIAL COHESION IN AN URBAN-RURAL AREA LARGE ENOUGH FOR ECONOMIC VIABILITY AND HAVING SYMBOLIC MEANING FOR REGIONAL AND GLOBAL IMPACT COHESIVE ENTITY The zone is related both to the urban and the rural through geography and structural services. It is an area which has a common story - or the potential of one which makes its It is a socially cohesive identity, marked unique identity. by features such as common language, economic marketing, distribution and administrative location. SYMBOLIC POWER The key importance of symbol in human development stands with the other Fifth City pillars of delimited grography, dealing with all the needs of all the people, and addressing the underlying contradiction of that geography. In order to select the location of an HDZ, it would be necessary to research and sense out what would have the symbolic power to engage the imagination of the zone, the region, the nation, and the globe. An example of this is Sevagram, which was the location of Gandhiji's ashram. PELT NEED In order to select the location of an HDZ, past research and current data, intuitions, etc. would help to identify the nodes or pockets of real, felt need. It would be necessary to determine how to make use of, and extend, the locations, credibility, learnings, and advantages of the existing demonstration projects. SELECTION SCREEN On the question of screening of locations and the size of an HDZ, it would be necessary to do prior receptivity probes. This could include either an existing project or a new potential location. Also the use of all current data on past contacts, site visits, i.e. regional files, golding communities, and live individuals. It could also include awakenment tactics such as grographical coverage Community Forums, to discover new contacts and to research the climate, concerns, and issues of the geography. Relative to size, the thinking is that the zone will need to be small enough to launch rapidly, but large enough to impact the Region. It should be small but substantial and able to birth a movement. Another image yet is that it is a large organic community.

July 18 1981 GLOBAL COUNCIL HUMAN DEVELOPMENT ZONE TASK FORCE STRATEGIC RESPONSE 1B -SECTION Page CHICAGO THE HDZ - THE PROFOUNDLY HUMAN LOCAL RESPONSE TO THE GLOBAL CONTRADICTIONS TODAY - IS A GLOBAL BAND OF LOCAL, HIGHLY VISIBLE DEMONSTRATIONS (OF TOTAL REFORM-ULATION, INTENSELY ENGAGING ALL THE STRUCTURES WITHIN DEFINED GEOGRAPHICAL AREAS. INTRODUCTION Local communities in regions across the earth are prepared to seize the challenge beyond building the local self-sufficiency, self-reliame and self-confidence, which has already literally changed the course of human history in the past decade. ties are prepared to join efforts in their districts and regions, and enlist the efforts of those who care within the structures and institutions which could serve the region. The profoundly human local response to the global contradictions today will be the building of zones of human development of shocking visible total transformation in every region on planet earth. The HDZ provides a context for active structural STRATEGY relationship between the rural and the urban. a coalition of forces, including villages, structures and individuals. At the core of the HDZ is a highly visible intensive demonstration of local reformulation. Surrounding the zone are circuits of expansive impact which cultivate a climate of receptivity across the region, and which relate the resources and forces of the entire region to the demonstration. LINKAGES HDZ is a geographical socio-political linkage of communities for their own benefit. With the active coordination and assistance of all the four sectors it endeavours to awaken and engage all the human resources of the zone located within the delimited geography. It seeks to generate creativity among the members of the community by demonstrative projects wherever called for. THE PEOPLE The human development zone is characterised by people from the various sectors whose new consciousness of care for the globe is particularized in their comprehensive plan and activity for a delimited area within Significant indices are a new public the region. mythology, local man troops, training experience as an ongoing dynamic, regional network advocacy, documented massive local change, agency program alteration, signal communities emerging, regional cooperative structures, international advocacy linkages, and new ethic energies.

July 1981 TASK FORCE PRIMAL COMMUNITY/HUMAN SETTLEMENT GLOBAL COUNCIL VOCATIONAL COMMUNITY SECTION Page CHICAGO Throughout bistory, the concept of vocational community has SOCIOLOGICAL experienced many changes. One's livelihood as a nomadic HISTORY shephard was one's entire life, and one's community travelled with the demands of that livelihood. Human settlement evolved with agricultural discoveries and one's residence became the focal point of one's livelihood. The Industrial Revolution completely reversed that concept and one's workplace became the focus around which one lived. This is still true today in company towns. The advent of modes of rapid transportation began to enable people to separate their work life from their residential community. This increased mobility expanded the time devoted to one's workplace because of increased distances and caused further diversity between workplace and settlement, and increased the fragmentation of one's life thrust. No longer did one's vocational engagement and passion directly relate to the community in which one lived. Results of technology shifted home environments and released women into the work force with a further displacement of traditional values regarding home and workplace. Our history with the workplace community goes back as far MOVEMENTAL as when we first assigned people to do self-support through HISTORY "permeation". We experimented with vocational guilds in 5th City such as the education and health guilds. Recently, we have begun to deal seriously with the workplace community programmatically. This has been done primarily through LENS, but also through permeation labs such as Training Inc. As the Order, we struggle within ourselves with the question of the relationship between the workplace community and primal community, As our Houses struggle with how to relate to the local communities in which they are located. The dynamics of the vocational community (workingplace) are DYNAMICS so intensely work-related that other relationships are often excluded. It is where a person's major amount of time and passion are focused. The workplace is usually not set in a common family context and it is primarily for economic It is the place where people expect and personal satisfaction. to find fulfillment, as structures fall apart and values become unclear. The sociological contradictions which have become manifest CONTRADICTION as a result of the claim of the work place on an individual's or family's life are: (1) that the job gradually becomes the screen for viewing life and the primary context out of which one makes decisions and sets priorities for his/her life; (2) a fragmented life style results, where family, service and community life become fringe "activities" attached to the primary focus of one's job; (3) geographic human settlement is deprived of the full participation and care of Phase II and III as they leave early for work and return late, leaving children, youth and elders operating in isolation from the

total community and (4) the working place becomes one's

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p Forces - The whole population R D Instruments - Family assets C Systems - Family business/farm	Direct Involvements Tudicial Proced Community	Schemes - Extended family unit Roles - Fixed relationships E Structures - Informal	
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Dynamics of Rural Haman Settlements - Predominant FORMS

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	 2 - Having little historic relationship residential location and therefore l to respond adequately to local deman 3 - Increasing population density and re has overtaxed the ability of present physical institutions and services t enough adequate local care resulting crime, social disruption and chaotic uations. 4 - Having the workplace in disrelation settlements presents problems of tra self-identy and motivity. 5 - Maintaining ethnic isolation through and cultural barriers to inter-mixin 6 - Imaging one's self as powerless before complexity of decision making mechan seem unrelated and external to one's 	ittle ds. fugee socia o deli in in local to loc vel, t econo g. re the	ability flow l and ver creased sit- al ime; mic
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GLOBAL COUNCIL July 1981 Primal Community Urban Human Settlement SECTION **CHICAGO** Page This paragraph is a brief rehearsal of the social history of urbanizatin, in order to grasp the future implication of need. A glimmer of the urban community began with the Social History demand to centralize locations for commerce and trade to serve the agricultural communities. The age of the industrial revolution brought to the emergind city unit a massive migration of doversified people settling around the industrialization. Suddenly the city grew, becoming the center of activities; economically thru jobs, socially thru services, and culturally thru entertainment. Thus, becoming more mobil with options of employment, living places relationships to social groups, it also grew in complexity. As society attempted to order this complexity, the roles in human settlement shifted. The city continues to be that which draws masses of migrant population out to seek not only the economic survival but available social services as well as the diversity of entertainment - and communication with the world. Movement In 1962, in response to the contradiction in the urban History crisis in North America, the 5th City Project was initiated to develope a process and model for comprehensive community reformulation. Later, that model and process were taken to other urban communities, such as Ivy City, Kawangware, Isle of Dogs and Kreutszburg Ost. At the same time we experimented with effecting the services of other organization and institutions as the congregation, who relate to a local neighborhood, in experiments like the PCE and Urban probes. Other experiments, like Training Inc. are a response to a particular urban problem - like unemploy ment. Dynamics Dynamics Four dynamics of urban settlement are its 1) diversity 2) its size, 3) external relationships and 4) flexibility of time and space. The first dynamic is pluriformity; all races live together, there is a great variety of food, it is an historical center, where museums are built to preserve its past. A second dynamic is its overwhelming size and the effect this has on the numbers of people in close proximity with each other but not related to each other. The urban community is central to a geography when it is bombarded by the world through communications and human interchange. The forth dynamic is the feasibility of space when at different times of a day different groups of people use the same space and one group may have and use many differnt spaces in the urban. In the arens of Human Urban Settlement, the social contra-diction that tends to interfer with and fragment human Contradictions settlement, care and interaction are; 1 - Conflicting claims on time and energy which exclude being involved in the life of one's community.

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the spirit modes out of our common memory that have nurtured us in the past. We need to find a way for this crucial spirit dynamic to impact our mass movement throug

the Religious House.

CONCLUSION

The Regionalis Guild Part B: The State of the Regionalis Section 4. The Global Analysis

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	TRENDS	ISSUES	MANDATES			
Objective Duta	1. Increased concern for management of resources, A-Individual specialization in employment and leisure time activities 3. Technological advancement out pacing human response. 4. Collapse of religious foundation and demination by economic sects. Labor unrest demands more humanized education environ. 6. Consensus decision making precess	1. Unbalanced Resource Distribution 2. Unfocused economic priorities 3. Unstructured management and use of resources. 4. Inadequate Social Care Structures to deal with disrupter life styles. 5. Limited total education. 6. Outdated decision-making process.	Affordable basic Sustenance Practical education/values Curriculum Integrated local/regional development Comprehensive Community Lare structures.			
Hidden Reality	1. Local/Global Consensus building 3. Control of Unjust, military government 3. Global consciousness made possible through knowledge access 4. Increased sensitivity to unique gifts of individuals and arts 5. Increased human use of technology and resources 6. Increased economic factors impact upon diminishing value of human impact.	1. Gap between work force and available jobs. 2. Poor resource management 3. Weak voice of local wisdom. 4. Lack of Structure to receive local imput. 5. Traditional thinking and modes of operation have not been replaced with new self conscious thinking and modes	1. Management Systems Allowing growth for all. 2. Participatory Care 3. Multifaceted, Cross- Cultural interchange.			
Implication for Regionalis Dynamic	1) A new ethical posture, 2. New resource allocation	1. Authentic training Strategies	1. Reimpowerment of the local. 2. Expanded consensus, interchange, and care mechanisms, 3. Comprehensive Value screens.			

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	TRENOS	Issues	MANDATES
gejective Data	1. IMPRODUMENT OF QUALITY OF LIFE FOR ALL. 2. INCREASE OF INDIVIDUALISM, ARTS, + LRISURE THRE ACTIONS, THROUGH OF INCREASED INFORCES. 3. EMPANDED COMMUNICATION THROUGH INCREASED INFORCES. 4. SNIFT AWAY FROM RELIEVON TOWARD REDEEMED STRICL POSTUL. 5. MORE AUMANISCO EDULATION + CUORAPAPACE EMULATONMENT. 6. CHANELING ROLE OF CUOMEN. 7. TOWARD GLOBAL CONCIOUS-NESS + RESPONSIBILITY.	STYLES. 3. COLLAPSED SOCIAL RELATED WESS. 4. UNCOMPREHENSION LIFE TRANVING. 5. UNDER-DECEIOPED SOCIAL	1. COMMUNITY CARE STRUCTURES. 2. GLORAL CITIZEN DRUT, 3. LIFE-LONG EDUCATION - 4. PRACTICAL CURRICULUM SYSTUMS. 5. COMPRENENSIOE HOMAN /NTERCHANGE, 6. RESPONSIBLE LEADCASHIP DROGGODMENT,
HIODEN REALITY	IN THE ARENA OF CULTMENT TRENDS, THE FUTUR IC REALITY IS MANIFEST IN THE TENSION BETWEEN NEW GLOBAL CONDIOUSARES (MADE POSSIBLE BY EXPANSION OF ENOWLEDGE + MERMATION ACCESS) AND A TREND TOWARD MOIULOUALLY ATTOM EMPMA- SIPINS NEW ROLES OF WOMEN, RELIGION, THE MOTS, I LIESURE TIME.	IN THE ARENA OF CHEMAL ISSUES THE UNDERLYING CONTRADICTION IS TRADITIONAL THINKING AND MODES OF OPERATION, AND MODES OF OPERATION,	IN THE ARENA OF CULTURAL MANDATES THE MOTIVATIONAL FRACTOR IS MULTI- FACETED, CROSS GULTURAL INTER CHANGE,

THE EQUITABLE INTERCHANGE OF RESOURCES

A grain silo (co-operative) is an equitable interchange of resources within the regional dynamic. It expands the local access to storage facilities and export to the larger regional market. It provides a local interchange relation to the price acceptable to the local inputs by allowing the smallest and the largest contributor to the corporate storage facility to equitably participate in decisions relative to their common resources.

SUCCESSFUL COALITION STORY

Effective interchange of responsibility shows up in the small German speaking region in Belgium as a cluster of small villages and towns. In the recent past this region lost major parts of its economic base caused be the textile industry moving to lower cost production places. Over the years the region deterionated, became unattractive and developed a negative image of itself. In this situtation of rampant unemployment, the Christian Labour Union (representing the volunteer dynamic) initiated the dialogue between the business people, politicians and the residents of the villages. Here all the sectors got involved in the planning and actuation process to tackle the issues and assume responsibility. They coordinated small wood industries, saved the remaining textile workplaces and raised a regional identity.

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APPROPRIATE INTERCHANGE OF VALUES

In the United States the dissemination of the experimentation at the land grant A & M colleges dispersed to the private sector (forums) and voluntary (4-H, etc.) sectors wisdom and skills which developed local community.

CONCERNING THE WORD CCALITION

After looking at the dynamic of the regionalis which can be identified within any of the four sectors, it is clear that a word is needed to describe the phenomenon of the comprehensiveness of the regionalis which goes on when all four sectors inter-relate and/or care for more than one local. Perhaps comprehensive regionalis is the word.

Coalition is not an effective word because of its political overtones in many parts of the world. It connotes a group formed in order to move as a power against another group. It is a defensive word with a hostile emotional tone. It also indicates a particular style of relationship distinct from a consortium, cartel, etc. The word coalition is popularly used to link several groups within the same sector.

The Regionalis Dynamic Holding Chart راكيهاند Equitable Interchange of Resources Ellective Interchanged Responsi-Appropriate Interchange of Value 77.07 - community extension to other -permits consensus bla on broad come cares: Limit صنمه committee '- Dre local to other local markel place of rescured goods -reconciles dicerse social · cluster of interchange locals Local Albric inte alciders. - preduction of goods -enables exection of breader Iscals relating to regional structure -local may be part of multiple · local mowledge extention - motivates proved pasticipation -consumsed and has - Soverdown Interchange · Vacuum of regional structures to give form to interdependence - unusledge merchange geographic/historic pietry well catalyse clustering for Volunteer promotes regimal identify . Product marketing comprehensite interchange common events create positive story of internal atalogs pedagogical training - case structures expands regional Johnteer - under standing BY TRAUSLATING VALUES - req. planning expands . Expertise imput islaced TO APPROPRIATE ACTIONS locus of p. s.'s self interest . By building the whale . - Providing technology to local Rivale - private sector in picture pirlor to deciding . Smplaying local reactorto direction partnership is more accountable - Developing many proflicioncy - By collaborating exchange of skills - channeling resources he local - Enable regional case effectively · showleting weed development By effective dialogue - expands participation Public Enabling Regil resourch on IN polity By consensus based polity establishes exclusive resource natido - Training of local leadership coordination See next pages Marrolice

Coalition

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SPIRIT EDGE OF THE MOVEMENT

Every person on the planet is living a time of transition including the Spirit Movement. Each of us needs a story to free us to participate fully in change and revitalization.

As a movement we have given ourselves to the globe. Now the decision is to claim time and give our lives to a creation which will extend beyond our lifetimes - the completion of which we will not see.

In the midst of the corporate we're dealing with vocation as an individual and family venture as well. This will require new structures and force us to live out of responsible freedom. act of creation requires our passion, reveals resove and evokes courage.

In our programs and our internal life the team is the form we're betting on.

The constant creation of corrorateness is a demonstration - an act of service. This is a time when we assume corporateness as we pursue the many facets of our mission.

Within all we do, we continue to address the spirit and invite human life in its many forms to live its greatness.

Implications

- 1. Pluriformity is our edge; diversity is our future.
- 2. We can permeate any structure in the world; the wraps are off structural permeation; now its's a question of strategy. Either we relate structural permeation to our total strategy or we lose the incredible advantage we have gained this year.
- 3. The Band of 24, relating single projects to one global demonstration has given us a firm and profound base on which to stand. Now, the future of demonstration lies in clusters of projects around one piece of geography.
- 4. The team dynamic, e.g. the regional team, will be intensified and extended in order to begin to deal with the immense task, revealed through the regional consults. The Religious House structures need to accommodate the regional team.
- The Religious House have become a key sapect of menifestation rather than formation, that is, it demonstrates profound human community.
- Training has expanded imaginally from formation to declaration.
- 7. The local community is one sspect of demonstration. We need to continue to experiment with forms of manifestation which deal strategically with the contradiciton relative to innovent suffering in each region.

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Declaration

THE ETHICAL DECLARATION OF THE NEW HUMANNESS

Spirit Resurgence Proclamation asserts itself in three gestelts:

- 1. As pluriform religious order.
- 2. In declaring the spirit edge.
- 3. Through rewriting and teaching our curriculum.

Pluriform Order

Covenant with the Mystery - enabling every individual to be most profound in whatever shoes he stands.

Be nobodies but walk with kings - shock/entice with ability to play any role and demonstrate that dish-washing and lecturing are creative necessary deeds. Or like the Lindsays working with the villagers of India.

Liturgy form has been and will continue to be experimented with. This category pluriform order has taken on primary significance as the movement has experienced religious faith other than Christian However it extends also to male/female, all four phases, family diversity and configurations plus occupational pursuits in all

Declaring the Spirit Edge

Has come in the practical engagement with communities.

The Phillipine Odyssey - visit to ancient terrace farming area and a model planned community.

Structural repentance has impacted every community where preschools have been established. The community kitchens have attacked the problems of nutrition and health and guilds that meet there at noon enhance adult nutrition. Developing industries and the Business Association to stimulate employment and supporting forces. Or the Training, Inc. School that is retraining the unemployable in confidence and skills to enter the job market.

Social Repentance forms have given elders, women, youth and business people new and fulfilling relationships. In Fifth City the Elders Center engages elders in the Golden Diners Club, s noon mutrition program supported by the Mayors Office of Senior Citizens and Handicapped and supervised by Fifth Citizens. This has catalyzed programatic activity that has resulted in full days acheduling five days a week.

REWRITING AND TEACHING OUR CURRICULUM

The diversity of the sectors and organizations we are confronting have alerted us to the demand for updating our curriculum to meet the repid changes of these times. Town Meeting format is a form that must be mutated to meet the special issues of various crunches and has been varied for the various ages to some degree. Simplifying the methods menuals, like The Image, and creating the pictures and images of illumination increase the possible use of our process by the masses. Imaginal Education curriculum has been rewritten by the Chicago Area. Keep going on the others.

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FORMATION

The Vocational Formation of the New People

The major intent of this strategy is to establish a global network of people who are self-consciously vocated to be the "invisible college" of the trans-establishment, engaged in the task of human development. Action modes were seen as, The Novemental Metro Development, The Religious House Transformation, The Cl obal Forces Empowerment. During the year 1980 - 81, the Formation Strategy began to reveal itself through the following arenas.

BULLDING The movement

Building The Movement

Breakthroughs in our work from the past year in this arena were illustrated by:

- i -Emergen ce of teams as an effective tool in the forms of "Regional Teams" made up of symbolic, movemental and extended Order persons and the creation of a "Black Engagement Strategy Team" through which minority persons can be drawn into movemental events.
- J -University Colloquies which served as probes for developing structures through which university-related persons can be engaged.
- 3-Cluster Cores of persons meeting regularly for spiritcare, training and planning.
- 1-The design of simple, practical curriculum for use in training people to be effective decision makers.
 - -The engagement and training of 3rd world staff.

2. Training The Movement

Breakthroughs here were illustrated by the creation of 12 Indian Ashrams which brought in circuiters from the field to train them in methods and dynamics which brought greater depth to their understanding of the Order. The Los Angeles Religious House held an evening methods academy which trained regional colleagues. Methods were also transmitted to the masses through consultations with religious ordrs in Rome, 3-week training lab in Los Angeles, The Womens' Advance Module in India and Fgypt and working with a Womens' Organization in Brussels, to name only a few.

Truining the Movement

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U. L. C.	An explosion An explosion in the use of LENS has happened As a result we have experienced breakthroughs in framing and authorization networks. Some illustrations of this breakthrough: 1. Symposium LENS in Japan. This was a multied on a common theme which demonstrated the rum that lead to focused LENS courses. 2. Four LENS seminars with Health and Human Sorleans. 3. A Junior League LENS in Chicago. 4. LENS courses held throughout Australia in LENS. 5. LENS in Calcutta.	n extending our i-sector LENS focus- method creating a more services in New

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