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YOUTHQUAKE, FROM ARAB STREET TO WALL STREET...AND FURTHER

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ITS TOUGHER THAN EVER BEING A DICTATOR

BAD YEAR FOR BAD GUYS... FOLLOWED WITH A BAD HANGOVER?









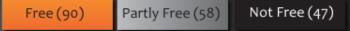




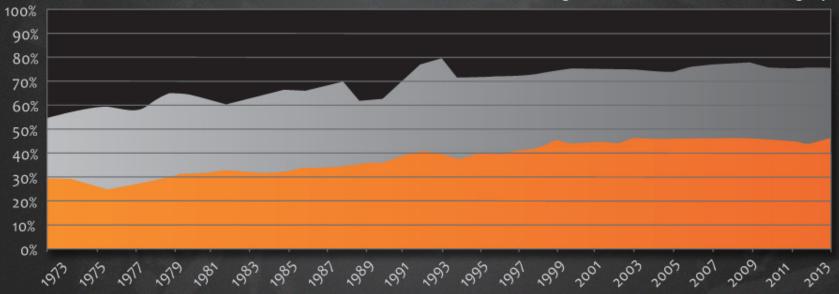


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DICTATORS LEARN...



Percentage of countries in each category



...DEMOCRATS SHOULD LEARN HOW TO FINISH WHAT THEY START



Source: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Freedom_in_the_World_graph

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"There is more power in socially organized masses on the march than there is in guns in the hands of a few desperate men.

Our enemies would prefer to deal with a small armed group rather than with a huge, unarmed but resolute mass of people."



Major nonviolent campaigns have been successful twice as often as violent resistance campaigns

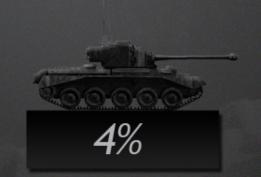


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26%



Nonviolent campaigns are **10 times more likely** to end in durable democracy



41%



COMMON SUCCESSES and Lessons: UNDERSTANDING UNTY, PLANNING, NONVIOLENT DISCIPLINE . CLEAR DEMANDS AND FOCUS ON "BREAD AND BUTTER ISSUES"



Lessons learned "Video Game Image": KEY DYNAMIC: ENTHUSIASM AND HUMOR vs FEAR AND APATHY "LAUGHTIVISM"

SERBIA SUMMER 1999: "A COIN FOR CHANGE"

STARTED BY: A HANDFUL OF ACTIVISTS. ARRESTED: BARREL WITH PRESIDENT'S FACE LAUGHED: THOUSANDS IN DOWNTOWN BELGRADE, AND EVERY SERBIAN NEWSPAPER READER.



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FEBRUARY 2012, BARNAUL, RUSSIA Toys cannot hold protest because they are not citizens of Russia, officials rule

100 KINDER SURPRISE TOYS,
100 LEGO PEOPLE,
20 MODEL SOLDIERS,
10 TOY CARS BANNED FROM
PROTEST.
BECAUSE THEY ARE NOT CITIZENS
OF RUSSIA..☺

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Now a petition to hold another protest featuring 100 Kinder Surprise tovs. 100 Lego people. 20 legality. The number of people, and their toys, wanting to take part

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The toy protest in Barnaul, Russia, last month. Photograph: Sergey Teplyakov/Vkontakte

The response to the original ban is typical of the new wave of demonstrations in Russia characterised by witty banners and a degree of absurdist humour. After a process was re-enacted with Lego models and posted within days. Toy rallies have caught on and taken place in four other Russian the wake of the Barnaul protest.

Despite the ban, the group says it will look for another way.

One possibility, said the activist Sergei Andreev, is a solitary picket, which is allowed to take place without permission from local authorities under Russian law.

COMMON CHALLENGES

LESSONS FROM EGYPT AND ARAB WORLD: How to follow successful revolution with sucesful transition?



- 1. Focus on VISION not the individual power-holders
- 2. Assume somebody will try to "overtake" or reverse your revolution
- 3. Keep up the unity through transition
- 4. Don't proclaim "Game Over" too early



COMMON CHALLENGES> Ukraine



- 1. Maintaining nonviolent discipline and
- 2. Getting away from "occupying space" pattern
- 3. Consolidating victory
- 4. Maintain unity and fight separatism

COMMON CHALLENGES

LESSONS FROM HONG KONG How to spread movement to different social groups and plan long term



- 1. Avoid demanding and risky tactics of concentration too early
- 2. Build arsenal of different tactics and become "unpredictable"
- 3. Reach to different social groups outside of only educated, urban and angry
- 4. Plan for long-term strategic struggle for democracy



New challenges for NVS

UNDERSTANDING NEW CHALENGES: Fighting new kind of enemies...

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Lessons learned: NEW MEDIA PROVEN TO BE IMPORTANT FOR ORGANIZING.

CAN WE USE IT FOR TEACHING SKILLS?



We are all Khaled Said

Egyptian youth movement 6 April has revealed an official Egyptian Police document that shows a clear order from the head of Central Police force for all Egyptian police to go out with live ammunition and full weaponry on the second day of the revolution (26 January). This document contradicts what some senior police officials have said in court that there were no orders for policemen to be armed on the day. Photo from Dostor website.





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ARMS RACE IS OVER

First Team

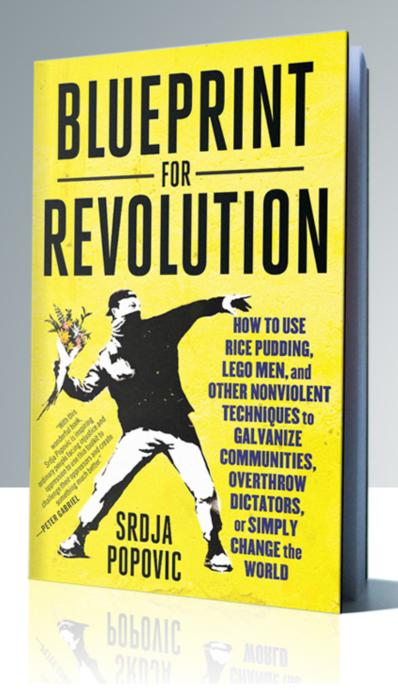
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