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## SYSTEMS SCIENCE AND THE ALL-WIN PRINCIPLE: A VALUABLE RESOURCE IN A GLOBAL WORLD

### *Introduction*

Stress is increasing as our world 'goes global'. Each of us has one foot in a personal world and the other foot in the world as a whole, as the media, the people we meet, the products we buy and the work we do entwine us with the rest of humanity. The stress decreases to the degree we can integrate these two worlds.

As a human race, there are also two forces at work: One is conflicted, chaotic tearing us apart. The other is bringing us together, as myriad strands of communication encase us in a cocoon within which humanity is reconstituting itself into one indivisible whole.

It is not clear which course our evolution will take. Will we fall apart or come together?

Humanity is torn between remaining a caterpillar or taking its next evolutionary leap into 'butterflyhood' by becoming a global community based on unity in diversity. Systems theory provides us with insights into how we can take our next evolutionary leap with the help of the all-win principle. Here is a brief summary of the two principles:

### **The Evolutionary Waltz.**

Looking at 'evolutionary leaps' in the context of the evolution of the Universe, we discover a regular pattern, we can call the All-Win Evolutionary Waltz. This consists of a three-step process:

1. a change of energy,
2. chaos, and
3. a stable dynamic pattern which maintains an environment of all-win for all of its parts. Examples of durable all-win structures are: solar systems, atoms, molecules, single cells, the cells within a plant or body, human social services like the world postal union, systems of law which enable all to prosper, like the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. Each of these stable structures are necessary building block if a stable global community is to emerge.

The chaos we re experiencing in our world today can be seen as the chaos phase within the Evolutionary Waltz.

**Humanity's challenge is inspire sufficient people to recognize and build on this all-win world in formation, so that it becomes a reality for all.** This is also referred to as a critical mass or from an energetic perspective a resonant frequency.

### *The 3-Part All-Win Principle as a Part of the Evolutionary Leap*

Both Chaos and Dissipative Systems Theory illustrate the all-win principle at work:

1. As the energy in an environment changes, the individual parts are ***propelled from within*** into a new relationship with the other parts in that new energy environment.
2. Hereby ***each part benefits from its connections with all others***. In the new constellation of relationships, ***the whole is greater than the sum of the parts***.
3. The new constellation (system of relationships) is ***governed by a pattern, which holds the all-win relationships in dynamic and stable harmony with itself and the rest of what is***.

Before a stable pattern emerges, there are many trial runs. Humanity differs from other phenomena in that we are able to block signals from our surroundings from becoming conscious. This makes the movement from the chaotic to the all-win phase problematic, unless we ***consciously understand and implement all-win relationships and empower others to do the same***. Using the same words, can be useful.