

Tentative Thematic Schema: Handbook of Global Leadership and Followership

RATIONALE

Leadership and followership behaviors, functions, and roles are taught and practices around the world from values-based and cultural perspectives. In other words, they are culturally bound. Our goal in this handbook is to first chronicle the differences in values, cultural habits, models, and traditions in leading and following, and then together discover ways to integrate leadership and followership on interpersonal, group, organizational, and intercultural or international domains, for the global world that is highly diverse and multi-modal/multivalent, yet inclusive and collaborative.

We envision our proposed handbook to have the following major integrative global leadership themes:

DIFFERENTIATION

THEME 1 – Value differences in leading and following in the North-West and South-East.

THEME 2 – Cultural and worldview differences in leading and following in the North-West and South-East.

THEME 3 – Historical and Emergent Leadership models in the North-West and South-East.

THEME 4 – Historical and Emergent Followership Models in the North-West and South-East.

INTEGRATION

THEME 5 – Historical and Emergent Followership Practice between North-West and South-East.

THEME 6 – Historical and Emergent Followership Education between North-West and South-East.

THEME 7 – Historical and Emergent Leadership Education between North-West and South-East.

THEME 8 – Historical and Emergent Leadership practice between North-West and South-East.

ORIGINAL SYNTHESIS

THEME 9 – Envisioning the future of leadership and followership in the digital and post-pandemic age.

THEME 10 – Addressing global “wicked problems” with the emerging leadership-followership paradigm.

THEME 11 – Leadership and followership for the new VUCA environment across cultures.

THEME 12 – Toward a healthier and collaborative world between North-West and South-East.

ACTIONABLE LEADERSHIP INSIGHTS

THEME 13 – Integrating the best of Global Leadership practices for ever-changing new realities.

THEME 14 – Balancing Multiplicity, Interdependence, Ambiguity, Flux, and Flow—locally and globally.

THEME 15 – Coaching/Mentoring for Global Leaders/Global Teams/Global Projects.

THEME 16 – Working globally toward the twin goal of Happy Individuals and Harmonious Society.