Virtual Worlds as a Platform for Government Collaboration

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act of working jointly together
cooperating as a traitor
What is collaboration?
working together on a common enterprise
sharing knowledge, learning and building consensus
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Famous examples of successful collaboration

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The Quest
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The Fellowship

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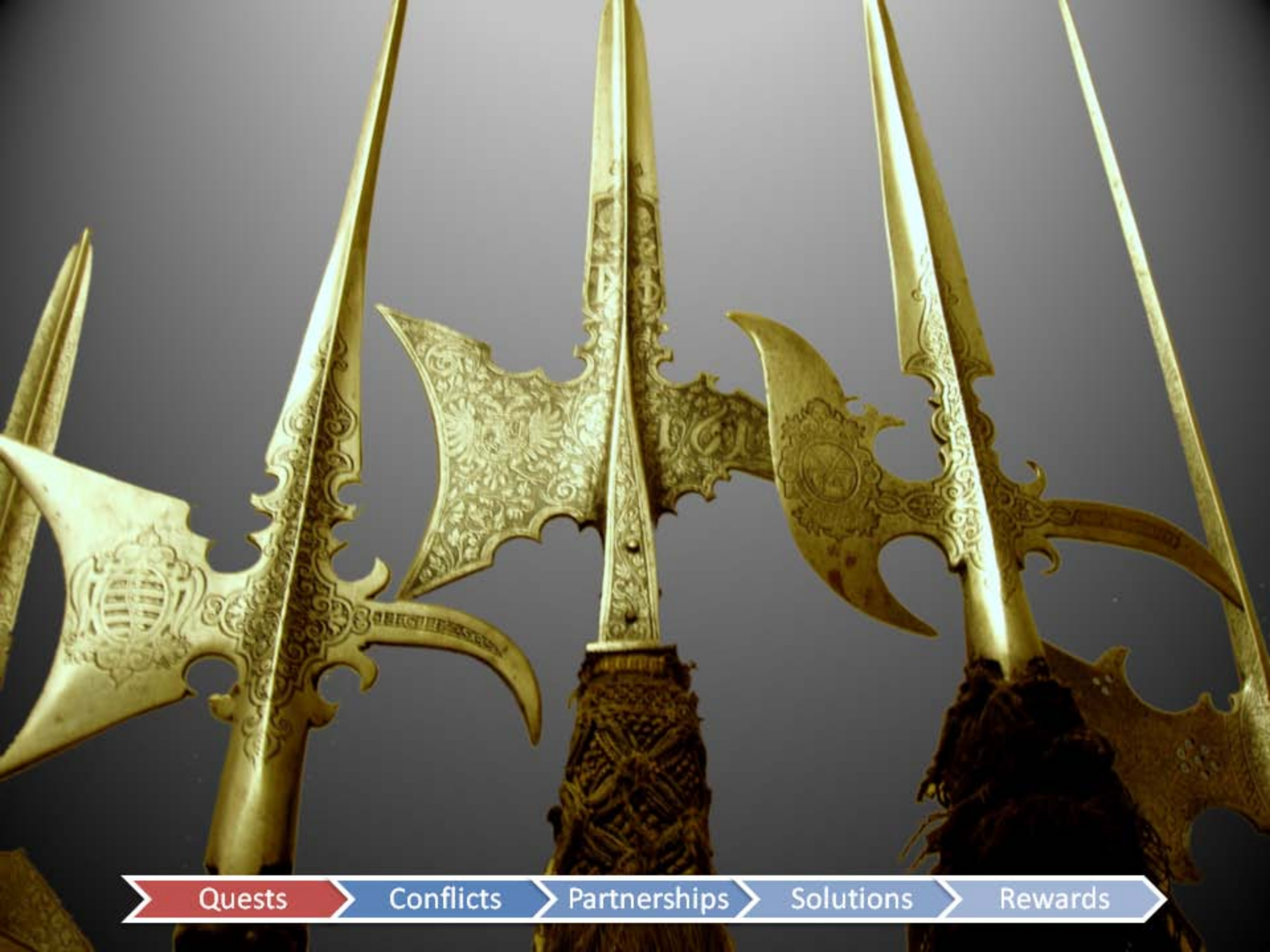
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The weapons have changed, but they are just as effective.
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Joshua Blankenship
mobile
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Answer
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I am familiar with Tolkien's story "The Fellowship of the Ring"

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THUMBSUP or
THUMBSDOWN

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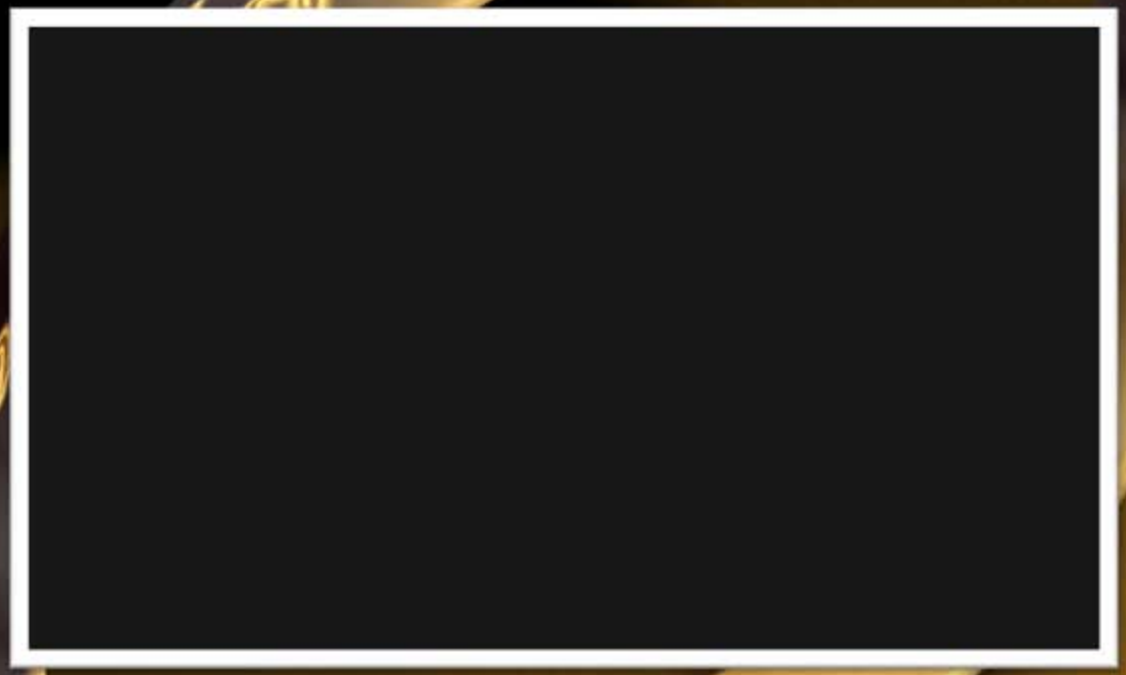
Conflicts



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Lessons Learned

- Its easy to loose sight of what's ultimately important
- Improper use of our tools can lead us down the wrong path
- Through lack of understanding, sometimes the good guys come across as the bad guys

Sometimes it feels like we have our own Boromir…

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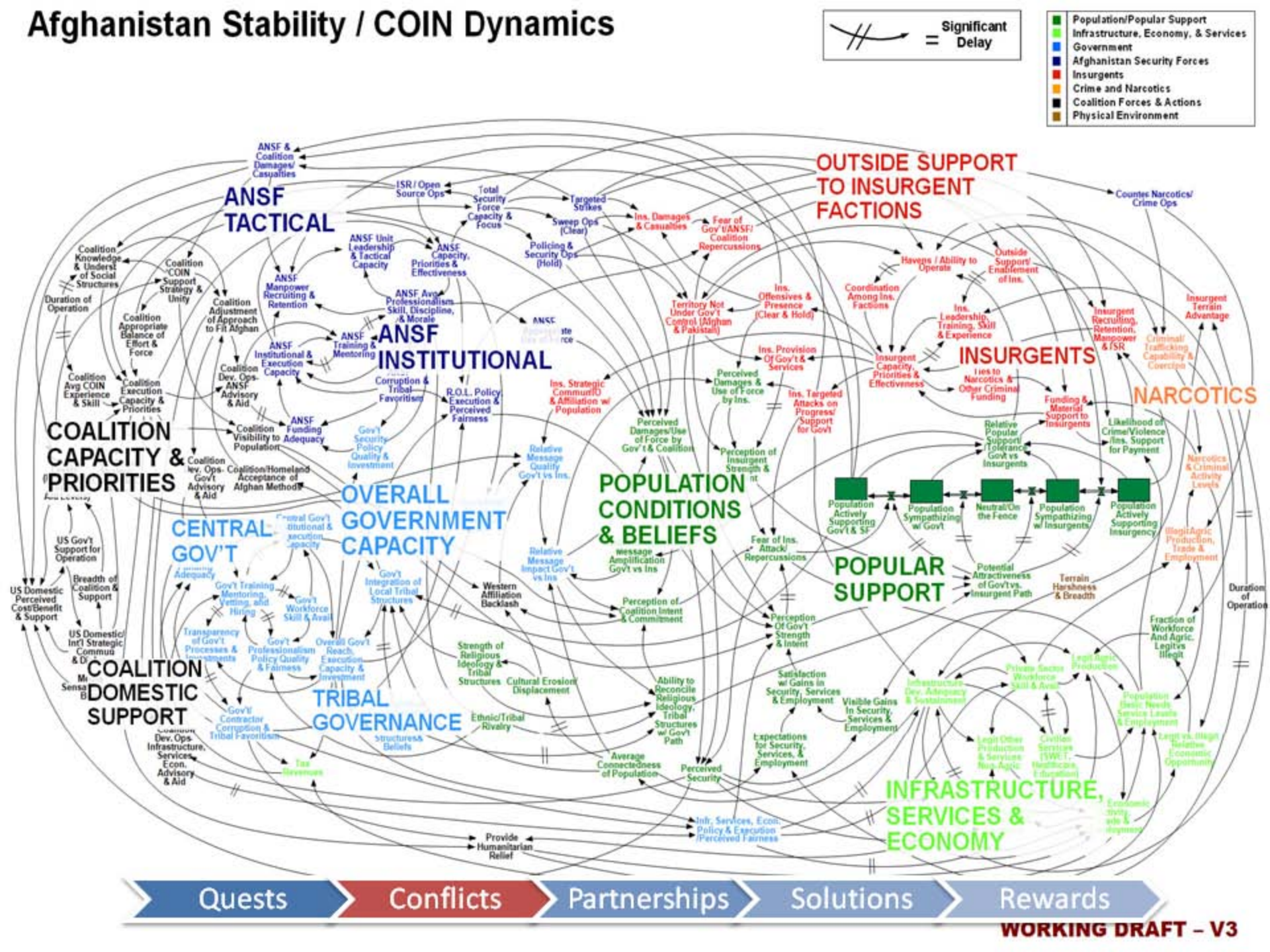
Afghanistan Stability / COIN Dynamics



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Lessons Learned

- Don’t loose sight of “the point” by using fancy technology
- Don’t forget who is your audience
  - More than the military, it’s the world!

Do you have appropriate access to technology at the office in order to be effective at your job?
Innovation
Corporate Firewall
Employees
The Berlin Wall
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Partnerships

Lessons Learned

- Life's big challenges were not meant to be handled by a individual
  - …or a single agency, or a single government!
- Take help where you can get it
- Virtual worlds offer a unique environment to engage with your supporters be they internal or external.

In a sea of regulations it's easy to feel alone.
We need each other!
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Twitter Montage

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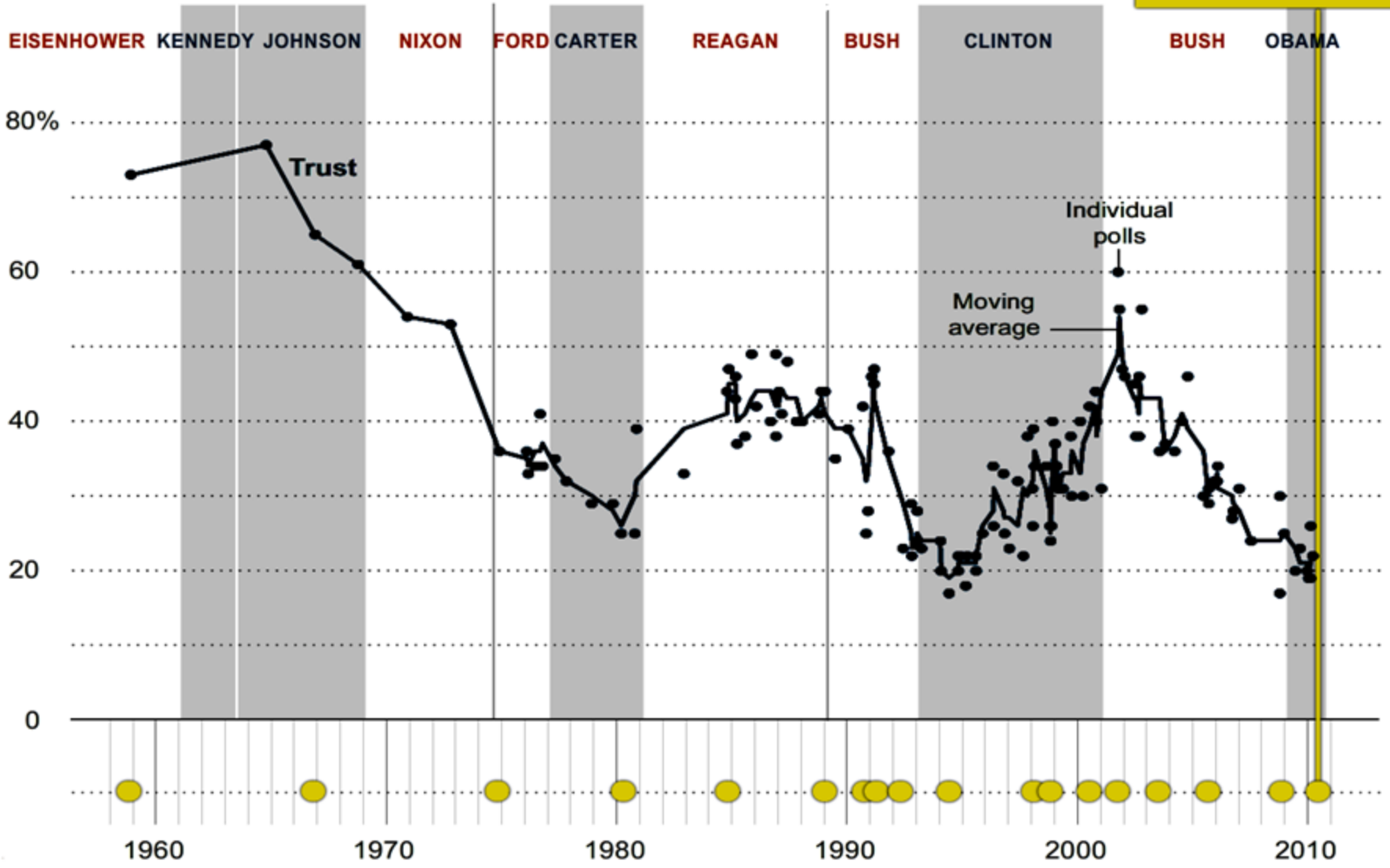
22% Trust MAR. 2010
Source: Pew Research

Democratic trust higher than during Bush, but Republicans at historic lows.



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Open Data Video Clip

More than talking, it's listening!

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connecting the government community
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Welcome to GovLoop - Social Network for Government, Eric Hackathorn!
Here are a few things you can do right now...
Invite friends
Add photos
Add a video
Add Applications
Edit profile
Eric Hackathorn
Sign Out
Inbox (1 new)
Alerts
Friends – Invite
Settings
Quick Add...
Members
Invite More
Member Search
FAST MEMBER SEARCH
Search Members
Blog Posts
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Federal Eye: The Budget: First Glance
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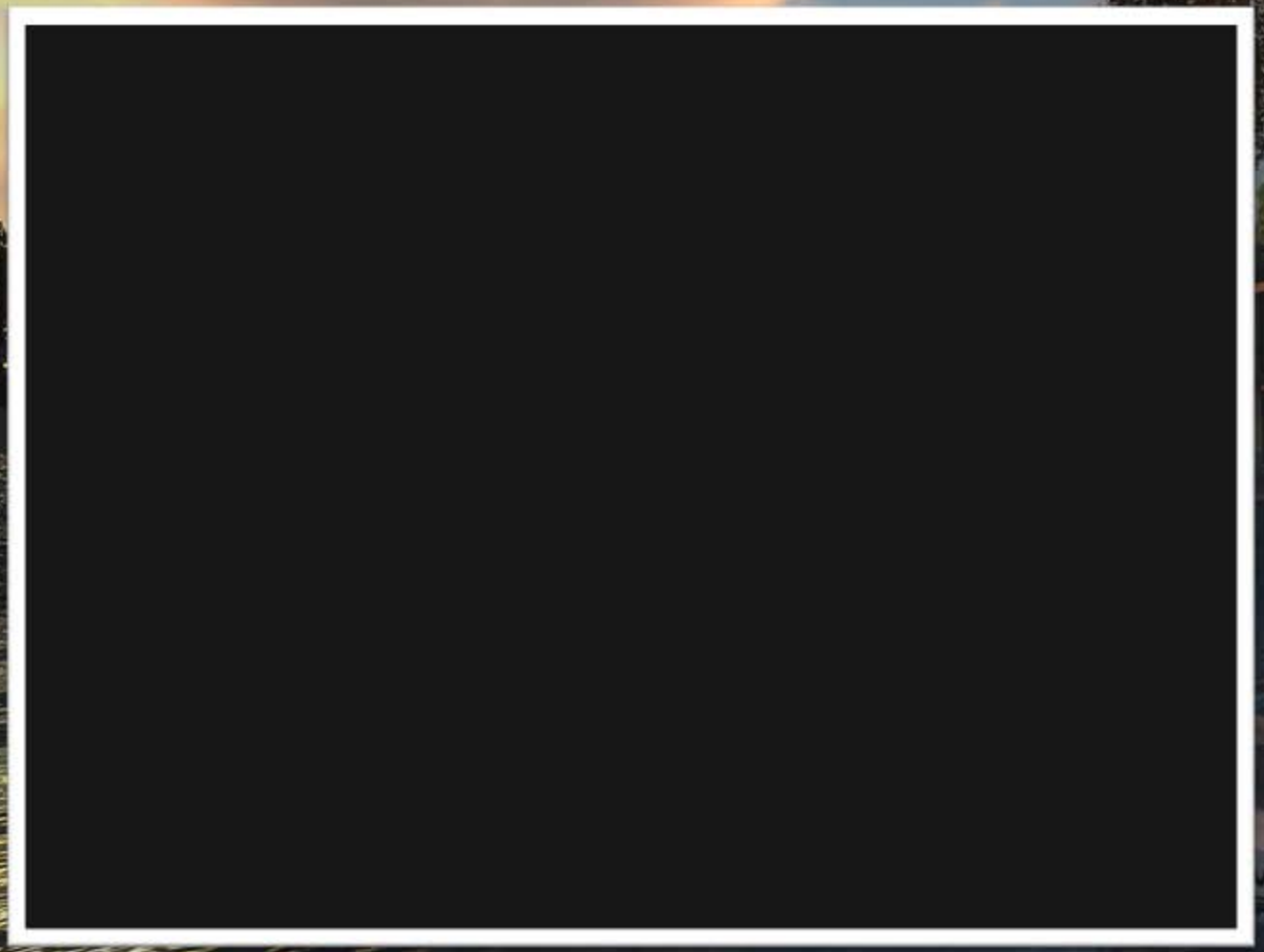
Virtual Worlds Advantages



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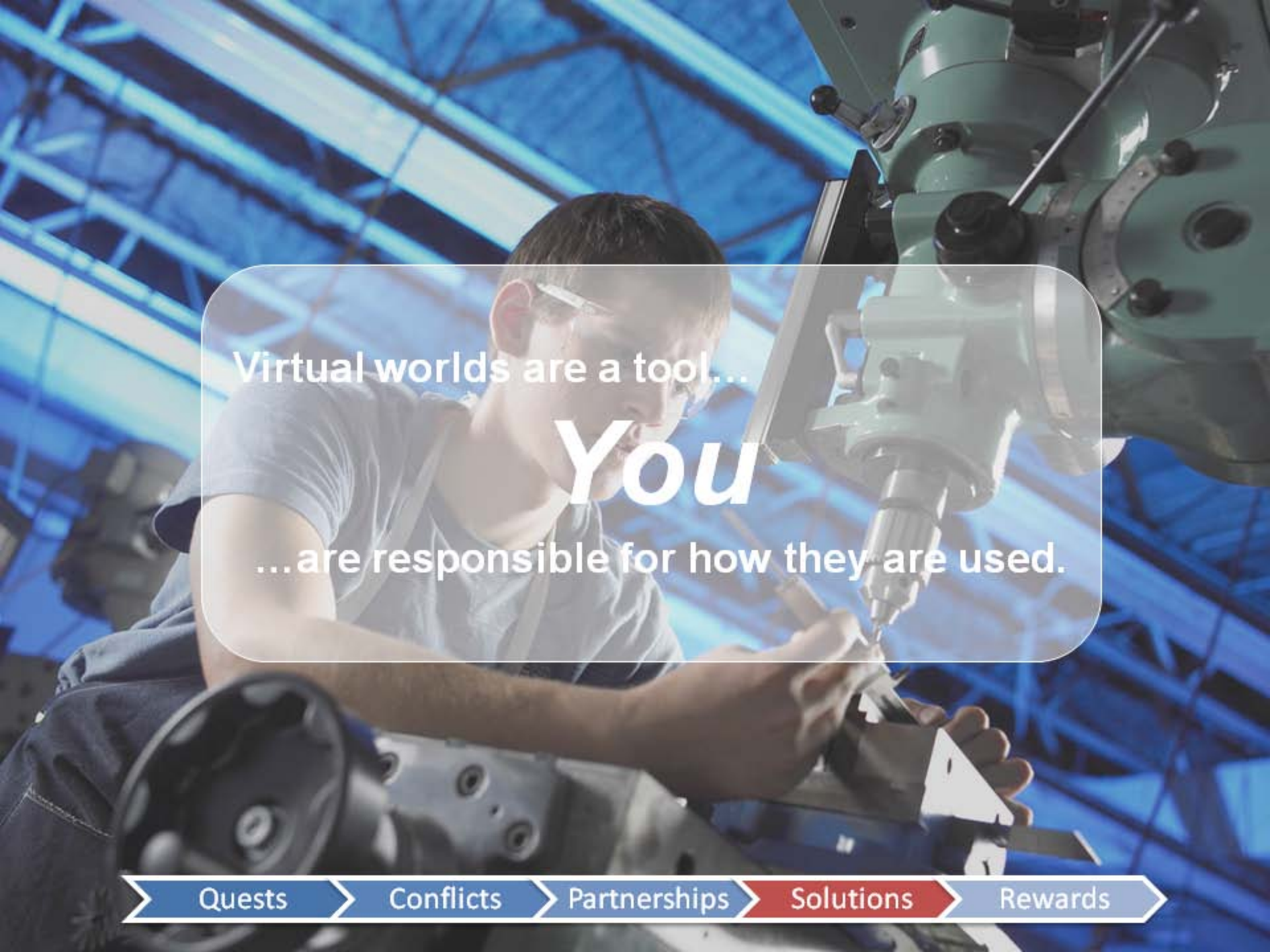
Virtual worlds are a tool…
You
…are responsible for how they are used.
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What makes a game “good?”

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What makes a “good” employee?
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CLICK ME
FOR TREASURE HUNT INSTRUCTIONS
There are 10 treasure chests in this hunt.
with a total of $L900 remaining unclaimed.
NOAA Staff
Hackshaven Harford
George Davidson
George Davidson

Rewards

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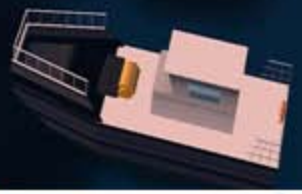
The real world has different challenges

...but still needs saving



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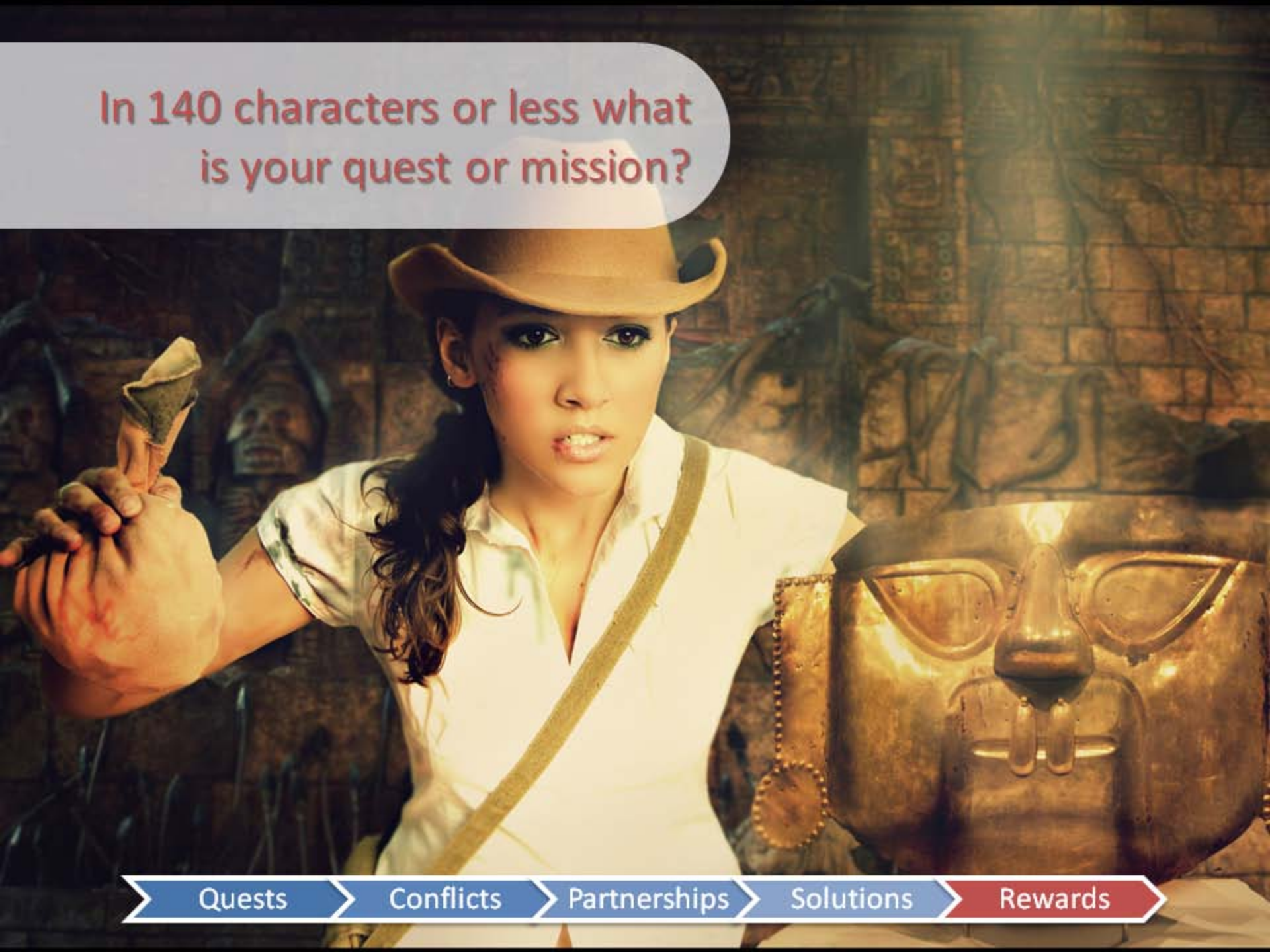
In 140 characters or less what is your quest or mission?
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MISSION
Your Message

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My hope for you and your quest is that you find your fellowship and can effectively collaborate
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Questions?

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