

Three New Additions to The IPCR Website

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Greetings,

There are three new additions to The IPCR Initiative website (at www.ipcri.net):

1) An outreach message titled “The ‘1000Communities²’ Proposal: A Multiplier Effect of a Positive Nature” (see section at the bottom of the homepage "Outreach Messages with Descriptions of the "1000Communities²" proposal"). This message includes:

- a) quotes on the urgency of responding to the crises of our times
- b) details on how the “1000Communities²” proposal expands the concept of “Community Teaching and Learning Centers”
- c) an effort to redefine the concept of “job fairs”: “The job fairs which come at the end of the Community Visioning Initiative process provide opportunities for all key stakeholders in the community (businesses, organizations, institutions, government, etc.) to demonstrate their upgraded awareness—and their interest in the welfare of the community—by offering and facilitating new employment opportunities...” (see p. 39 of “1000Communities²”)
- d) the most concise expression yet of why this writer feels The IPCR Initiative and the “1000Communities²” proposal represent a most comprehensive response to the challenges of our times: “... *an exponential increase in compassion for our fellow human beings is, currently, not widely recognized as an essential and critical element of most comprehensive responses to the challenges of our times.*”

2) The IPCR Journal/Newsletter Summer, 2008 issue which includes:

- a) a reprint of the above outreach message for the “1000Communities²” proposal
- b) Section 9 of the “1000Communities²” proposal (“15 Suggestions for Preliminary Survey Questions”) (“A well-developed set of survey questions, administered to 150 key leaders from a variety of fields of activity in a community, would do much to bring to the fore the need for, and the potential of, Community Visioning Initiatives at the local community level.”)
- c) a reprint of the “Workshop” section from The IPCR Initiative website

3) A document titled “30 Different IPCR Business Cards” (which has been added to the “About the IPCR Initiative” section of The IPCR Initiative website)

This particular document, which reads and prints in color, is an effort to provide a variety of “in a nutshell” descriptions of what The IPCR Initiative has to offer.

With Kind Regards,

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