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Keynote speaker – Larry Johnson

The Network is Us

There is a growing realization that growing realization that the network has created new social constructs, and that social change, at scale, is not only possible, but inevitable. Examples of this permeate every field of human endeavor, and perhaps the most compelling indication that we are in fact in the midst of a global social revolution are recent events, where in our daily headlines we increasingly see the powerful potential of the network not only as a medium for instantaneous (and largely unfiltered) global communication, but as an instrument of profound social change. These communications have taken on new forms, with an immediacy and currency that is

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rare even among the best of traditional news — and the network will be available
driven by an expectation that the network will be available
it will remain accessible, and that it will allow free and open communication
— especially in times of strife, oppression, or even catastrophe.
Time and time again, whether the disruption is due to natural disaster, a
catastrophe, governmental action, or military operations, the network
have seen that the network finds a way to reroute itself, to find a way to
itself, to reestablish itself as a universally trusted multi-platform
communications medium — and to continue to support and help to
even sustain the people who depend upon it.

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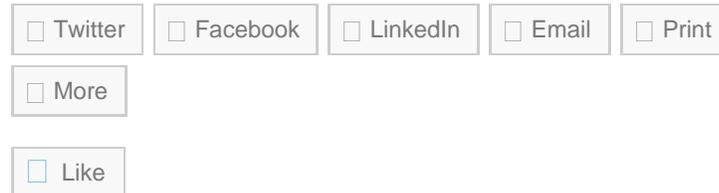
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Join Larry as he explores these ideas using the very media that make the network so compelling – gripping photographs and stories pulled from the real events of our world, with an overall message about social change that is as timely as it is timeless.

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