### 100% Renewables is the Peace Strategy for Korean Peninsula

#### Seoul, 30th October 2018

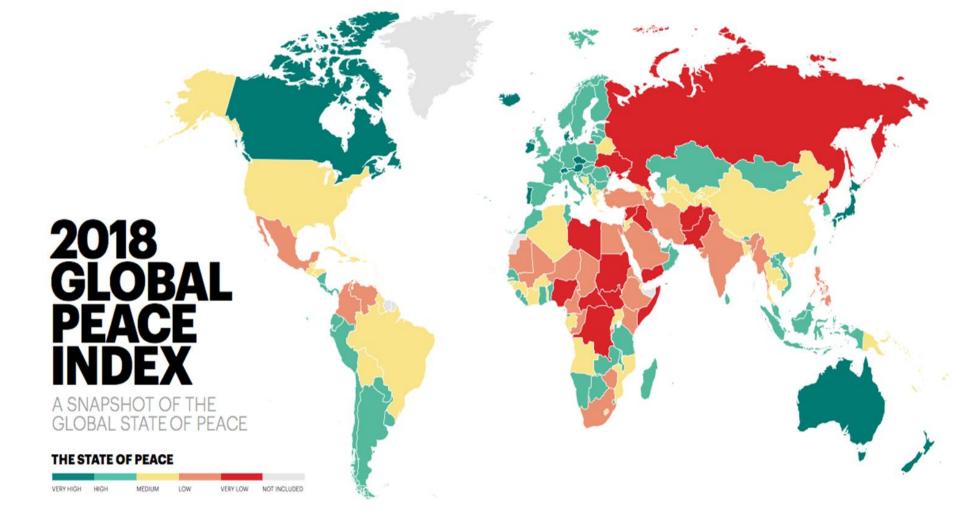
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## **Current political challenges**

- Global warming, loss of biodiversity
- Peak oil, energy security
- Nuclear and environmental disasters
- Oil wars, poverty, refugees, economic crises
- All these challenges are associated with fossil and nuclear energies

## **Good news: Renewables will solve these problems!**

### Where oil is, is often war



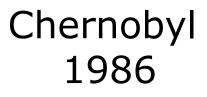
Source: Institute for Economics & Peace. Global Peace Index 2018: Measuring Peace in a Complex World, Sydney, June 2018. Available from: http://visionofhumanity.org/reports

# Nuclear power is the source for nuclear disasters and nuclear weapons



Hiroshima 1945



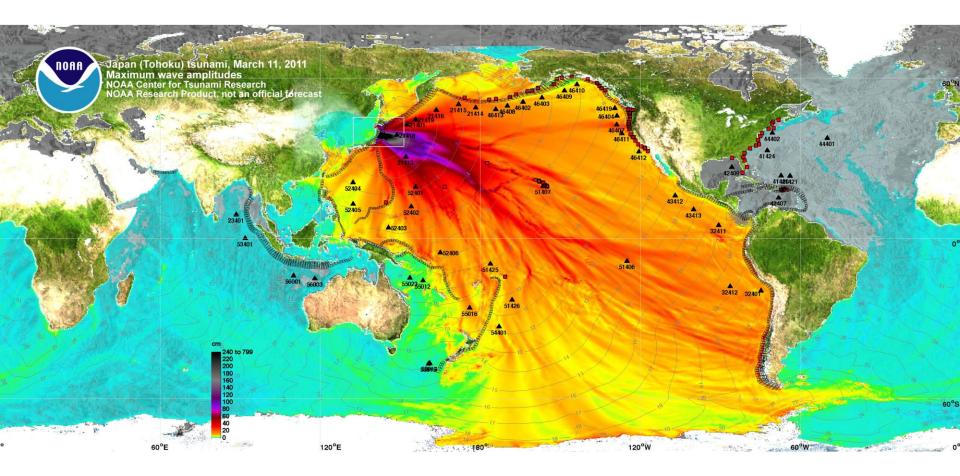




Fukushima 2011

Sources: 1)-2) BFlickr/Oldmaison, Tepco, 7.11.2012, Pripjat 2006 3) https://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/worldnews/asia/japan/8863968/Fukushima-nucleardisaster-timeline.html

## Radioactive water in the pacific ocean



#### Fukushima nuclear radiation spread throughout Pacific Ocean

Source: NOAA/ PMEL/ Center for Tsunami Research, 2011. Available from: https://nctr.pmel.noaa.gov/honshu20110311/honshu2011-globalmaxplot\_ok.jpg

## COP21 target: Stop climate warming at 1,5°C

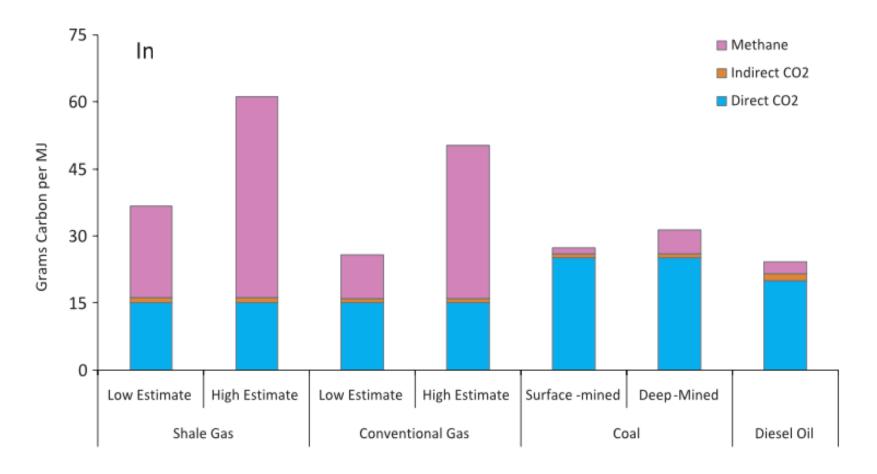
But today's warming of +1,3° C is already unacceptable: aridity and wild fires, floods and storms, sea level rising





### The better choice is: **Global Cooling**

Natural gas more climate-damaging than coal Climate impact of different power sources, as in "A Bridge to Nowhere", Howarth 2014



Source: Howarth, R. W., A bridge to nowhere: methane emissions and the greenhouse gas footprint of natural gas, Cornell University, 2014 (http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1002/ese3.35/epdf)

## **Crises of climate warming and peak oil can only be solved with two parallel strategies:**

#### 1. Stop greenhouse gas emissions

(not only a reduction of emissions)

- Switch to 100% renewables
- Completely stop the use of fossil and nuclear energies in energy, chemistry, transport, agriculture

#### 2. Take out carbon from the atmosphere

- Convert plants to humus soil (biocoal)
- Reforest big areas, green the deserts
- Organic agriculture

#### The target must be 330 ppm CO<sub>2</sub>

## This leads to <u>global cooling</u>, instead of global warming

## Hydrothermal carbonization (HTC)



#### **Usage of biocoal**

Fuel (e.g. in coal power) Chemical base (oil substitute) Fertiliser (carbon binding) **Input:** plants, organic agriculture and municipal waste

#### Output: biochar



### Agroforestry systems in Spain, UK, France and Italy



poplar-wheat (F)

#### walnut-lucerne (I)

## Afforestation at Mount Kundudu, Ethiopia by "Menschen für Menschen" Foundation





#### 2013

### 2016

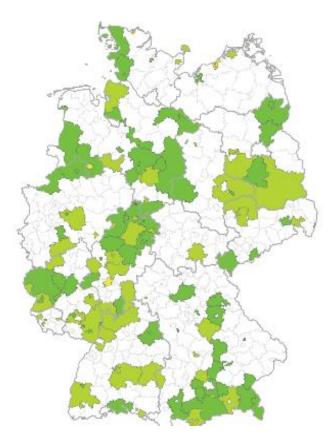
## 10 million trees create habitat for 55,000 people at Kundudo Plateau, East Ethiopia

Source: Menschen für Menschen, 2018: Available from: https://www.menschenfuermenschen.de/kundudu/

#### Double yield from one field: crops and solar electricity







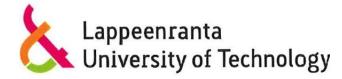
#### Nov 2016, COP22, Marrakesh: 48 countries (Climate Vulnerable Forum) decided for 100% RE target

*More Countries e.g.: Denmark; Sweden; Costa Rica; Iceland; Cape Verde* 

**Cities with 100% RE target e.g.:** Barcelona; Masdar City; Munich; Msheireb; Downtown Doha; Vancouver; San Francisco; Copenhagen; Sydney; Lemberg

**Companies with 100% RE target e.g.:** *Google, Coca-Cola, Ikea, Walmart* 

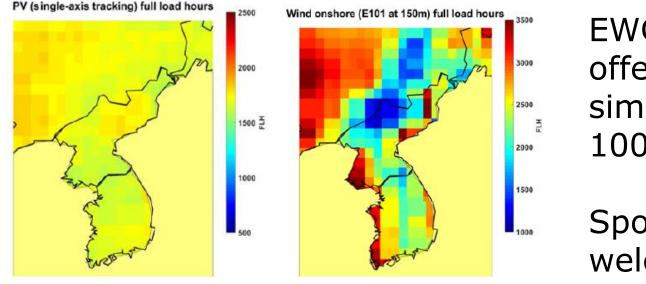
Source: 100% Renewables, 2018: Available from: http://www.go100re.net/







## **100% Renewable Energy for Korea** Basis for peace, prosperity, green growth

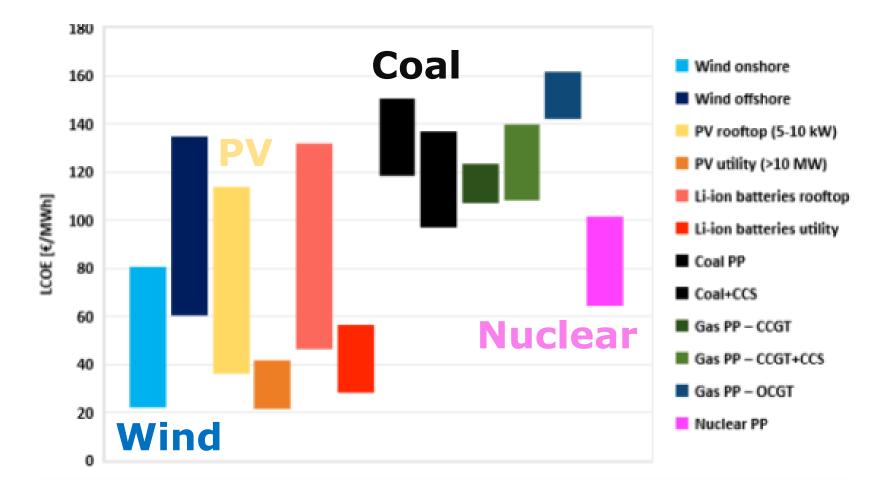


EWG/LUT/GGGI offer a scientific simulation for 100% RE in Korea

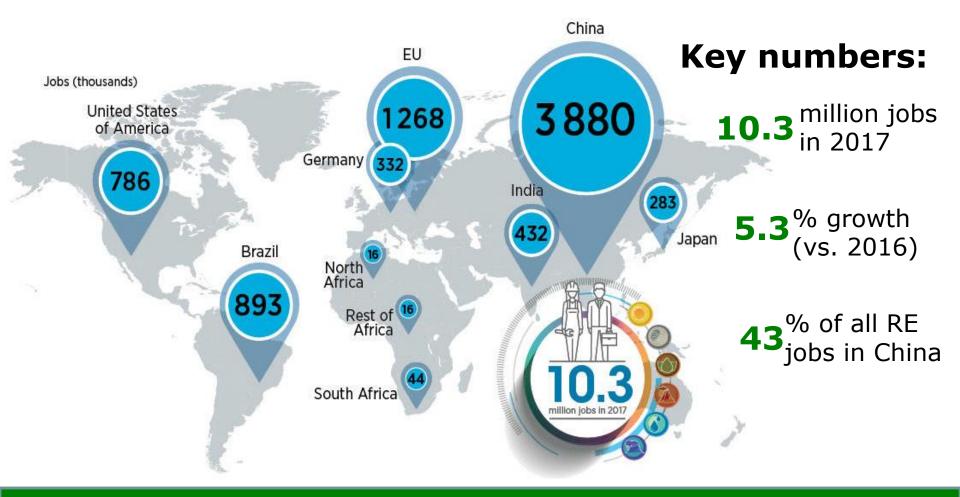
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### **Renewables are energy for peace!**

## **PV and wind power = cheapest** energy in G20 States by 2030



## Renewable energy jobs reach 10.3 million worldwide in 2017, with most jobs in Asia



Source: IRENA, Annual Review 2018, Renewable Energy and Jobs. Available from: <a href="http://irena.org/publications/2018/May/Renewable-Energy-and-Jobs-Annual-Review-2018">http://irena.org/publications/2018/May/Renewable-Energy-and-Jobs-Annual-Review-2018</a>

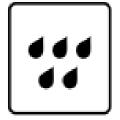




## Global Energy System Based on 100% Renewable Energy - Power Sector











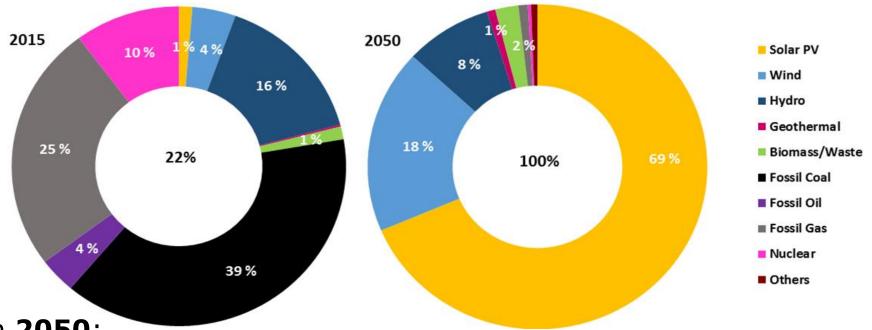


Study funded by the German Federal Environmental Foundation (DBU) and Stiftung Mercator GmbH



Source: <u>http://energywatchgroup.org/studies/</u>

## Electricity Generation 2015 and 2050

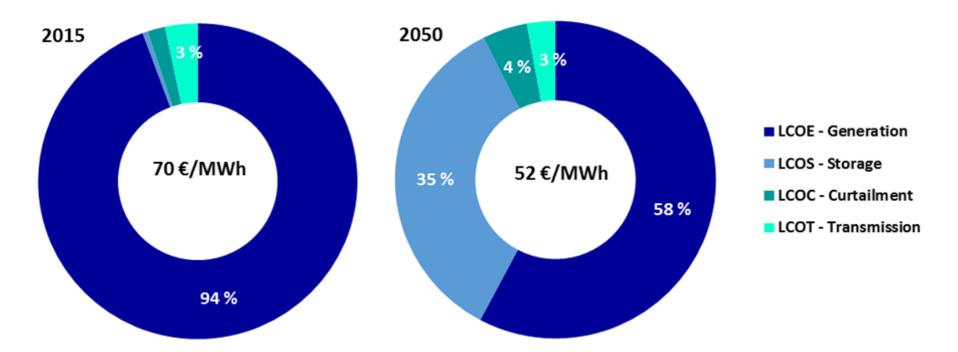


#### In **2050**:

- Solar PV 69%, wind 18%, hydropower 8%, bioenergy
  2% of total electricity mix globally
- Gas generation is only from renewable energy-based gas
- Nuclear power still accounts for negligible 0.3% of the total electricity generation, due to the end of its assumed technical life, but could be phased out earlier

Source: Ram M., Bogdanov D., Aghahosseini A., Oyewo A.S, Gulag A., Child M., Fell H.-J., Breyer C. <u>Global Energy System based on 100% Renewable Energy – Power</u> <u>Sector.</u> Study by Lappeenranta University of Technology and Energy Watch Group. Lapeenranta. Berlin. November 2017.

## **Renewable electricity is cost-efficient**



Total levelized cost of electricity (LCOE) on a global average for 100% renewable electricity is €52/MWh in 2050 (incl. curtailment, storage and some grid costs), compared to €70/MWh in 2015.

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#### 100% Renewable Electricity Simulation Northeast Asia by Lappeenranta University, Finland

#### Global 100% RE System: Northeast Asia

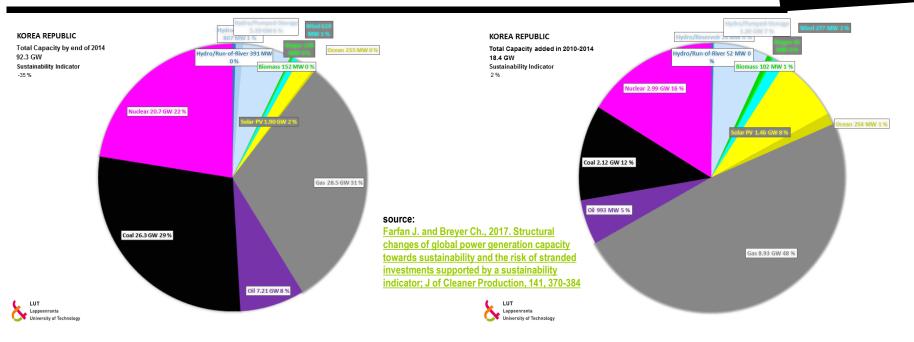
#### **North Korea**

https://www.researchgate.net/ publication/320755773 Global 100 RE System Northeast Asia - Korea North

#### **South Korea**

https://www.researchgate.net/ publication/320755587 Global 100 RE System Northeast Asia - Korea South

## **Republic of Korea - Power Plant Infrastructure**



Key insights:

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Historically, a significant share of fossil power plants in the generation mix is observed Recent growth in RE installed capacity is observed However, fossil power plants capacity increased more than RE capacity from 2010 to 2014

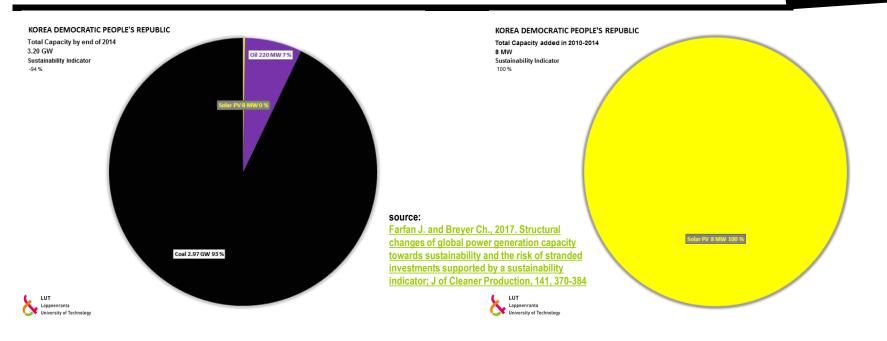
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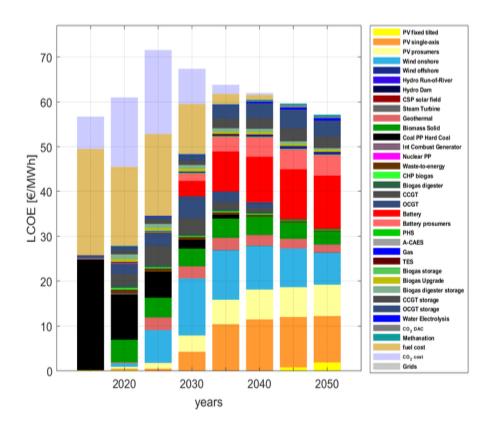
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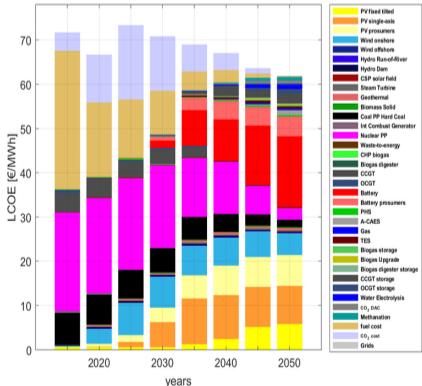
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Key insights: Historically, a significant share of coal power plants in the generation mix is observed Solar PV is growing, but slowly

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#### LCOE for electricity with 100% Renewables in South and North Korea

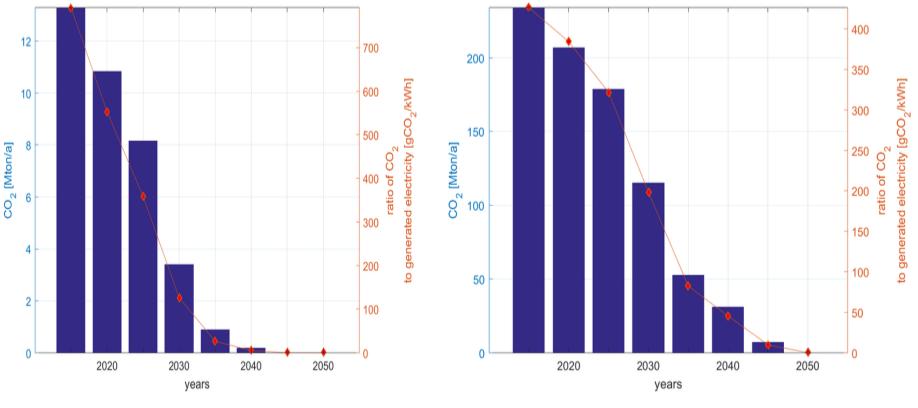




North Korea

South Korea

### CO2 emissions in the power sector will decrease to zero by 2050



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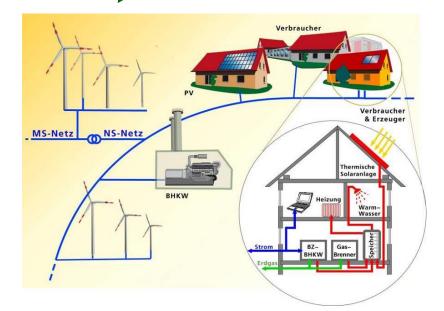
South Korea

# Overall concepts for 100% renewables

- Renewable energy (wind, solar, hydro, waves, bioenergy, geothermal power) for: heating, cooling, mobility, electricity, industry
- Storage: hydro pump; batteries; power to gas; ice (heat) storage
- Big data; smart homes; smart cities

Hybrid/ electric vehicles





### **Policy recommendations**

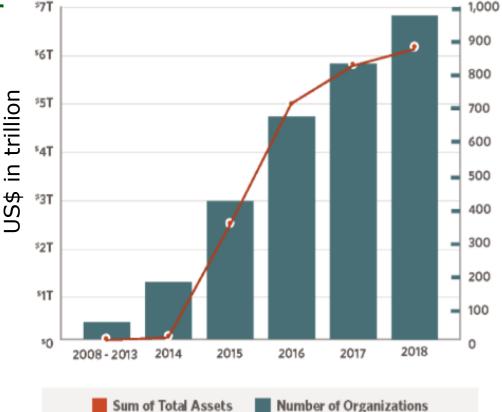
- Instruments, enabling direct private investments in renewable energy and other zero-emission technologies.
  - The German Renewable Energy Sources Act (EEG) with a fixed feed-in-tariff
  - Hybrid renewable power plant remuneration
  - Tenders only for capacities above 40MW
- Phasing-out all state subsidies to fossil fuel and nuclear energy generation
- Tax exemptions for investments in renewable energy
- Replacement of emission trading system with carbon & radioactivity taxes
- Research and education

## **Global fossil fuel divestment movement**

As of September 2018, **\$6.24 trillion fossil fuel assets** flagged for divestment

- 985 institutions
- >5,800 individuals
- Major actors: religious organizations, municipalities, universities, large pension funds & insurance companies

#### **Growth in Divestment Commitments**



Source: Arabella Advisors (2018) *The Global Fossil Fuel Divestment and Clean Energy Investment Movement.* Available from: <u>https://www.arabellaadvisors.com/wp-</u> <u>content/uploads/2018/09/Global-Divestment-Report-2018.pdf</u>

## Leonardo di Caprio 17.4.2017 in Shanghai at presentation of new BYD e-cars: Global Cooling by 1° C



# International campaign for 100% renewables

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Promotion of benevolence, harmony and peace, transcending all boundaries of nations – as advocated by Dr. Lui Che Woo – "energizing the people"

#### Ruslana

- Winner of Eurovision Song Contest 2004 for Ukraine
- Lady Maidan 2013, Kyiv
- Former Member of Ukrainian Parliament



## Thank you very much for your attention!

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