Baden-Baden Peace Manifesto 2017/2018
(Open Letter to World Leaders)

We, the ordinary people of this Planet Earth and the members of academia urge you - the world leaders - to meet and search together for peaceful resolutions of pending conflicts and wars before they get out of hand and result in an apocalyptic nuclear annihilation of life/mankind on our beautiful Planet Earth.

We appeal to you to establish a collaborative agenda and find the ways and means of removing obstacles to peaceful, friendly and sustainable cooperation between and amongst the people and countries of the world and tangibly improve relations between these countries.

We feel that such a meeting could inspire creating a nuclear-free zone in (central) Europe with a subsequent denuclearization of other parts of the world. Possible agenda of such a meeting could also include a worldwide collaboration and mutual help with current and pending natural disasters such as flooding, earthquakes, forest fires, ocean pollution, air pollution, droughts and lack of clean drinking water, starvation and poverty in many parts of the world, problems associated with rising migration and resettlements, and others....

Anything you could do to alleviate the anxiety, fear, uncertainty, suffering and despair of people, would be greatly appreciated by all those who are currently feeling left out and abandoned by our politicians and our leaders....

We, the people of the world and the members of the academia are willing to help and support you, in your noble peaceful initiatives, and are ready to join you and fully participate in replacing the current Culture of War, Violence and Uncertainty with a Culture of Peace, Cooperation, Stability and Prosperity for all.

On behalf of all our colleagues, friends and supporters,

Sincerely yours,

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