

Culture and Globalization

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What is globalization?

What do we mean with this term? How is it different from saying "the world," or "international," or other related terms?

Dimensions of Globalization

political

economic

social

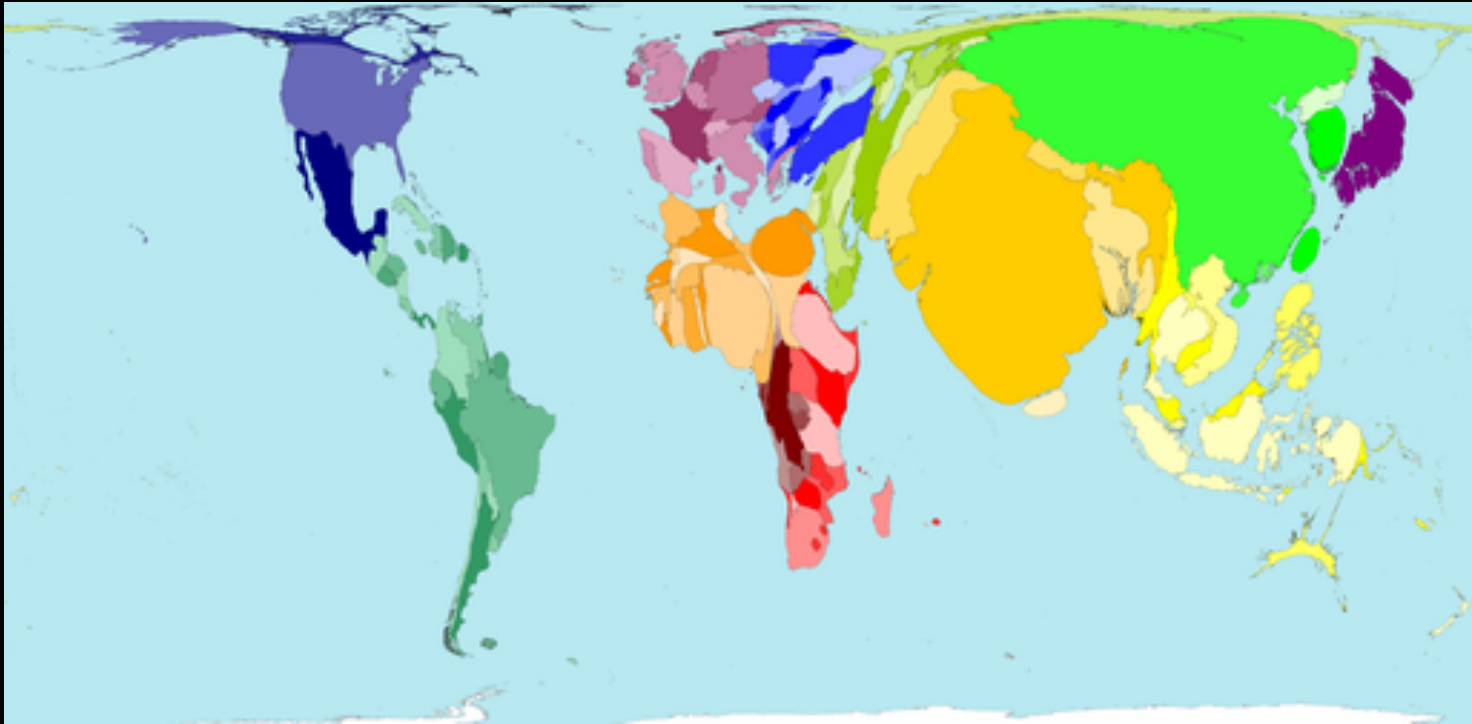
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Culture consists of the beliefs, behaviors, objects, and other characteristics common to the members of a particular group or society. Through culture, people and groups define themselves, conform to society's shared values, and contribute to society. Thus, culture includes many societal aspects: language, customs, values, norms, mores, rules, tools, technologies, products, organizations, and institutions. (source: Bukisa.com)

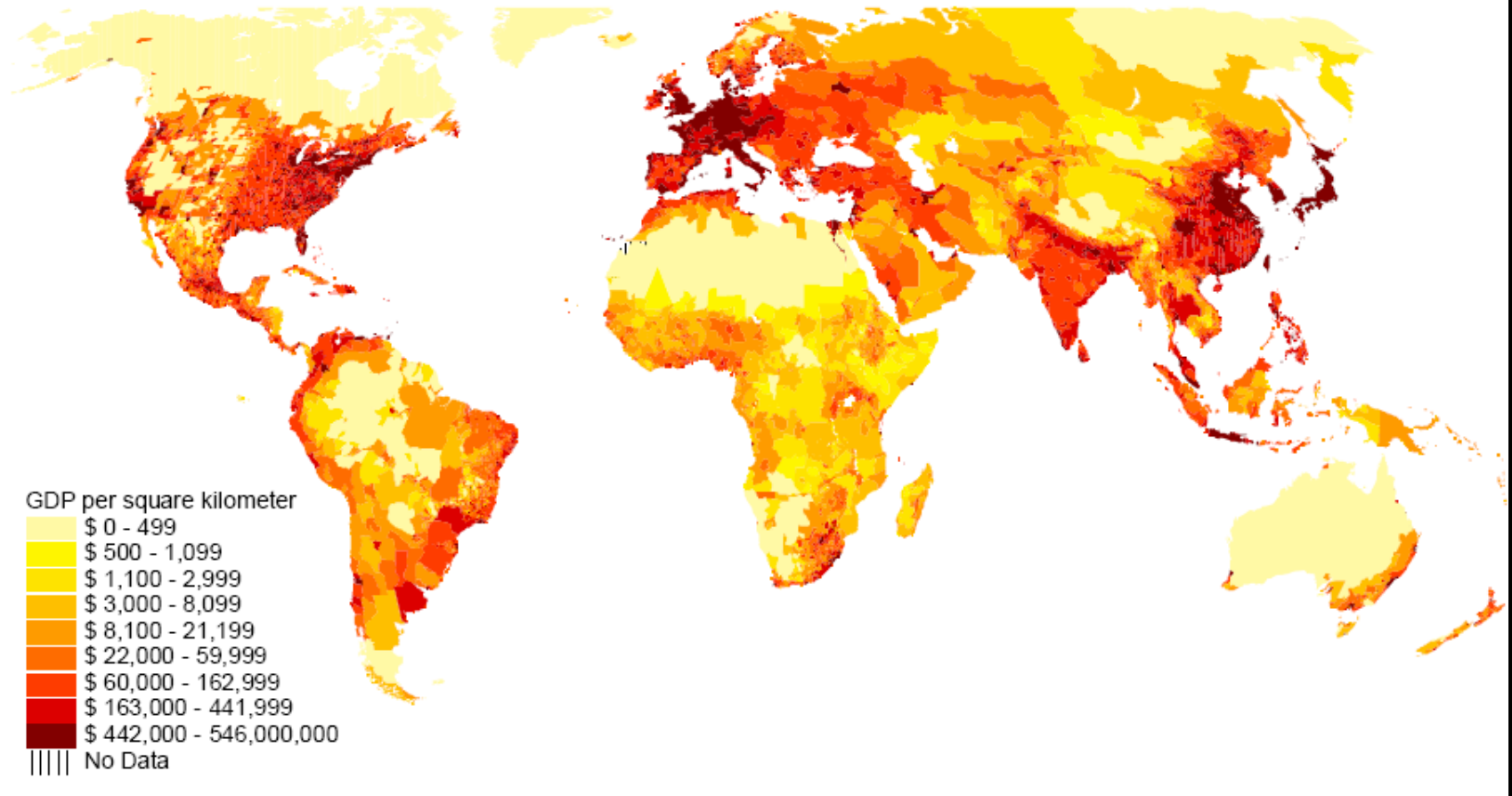


Political map



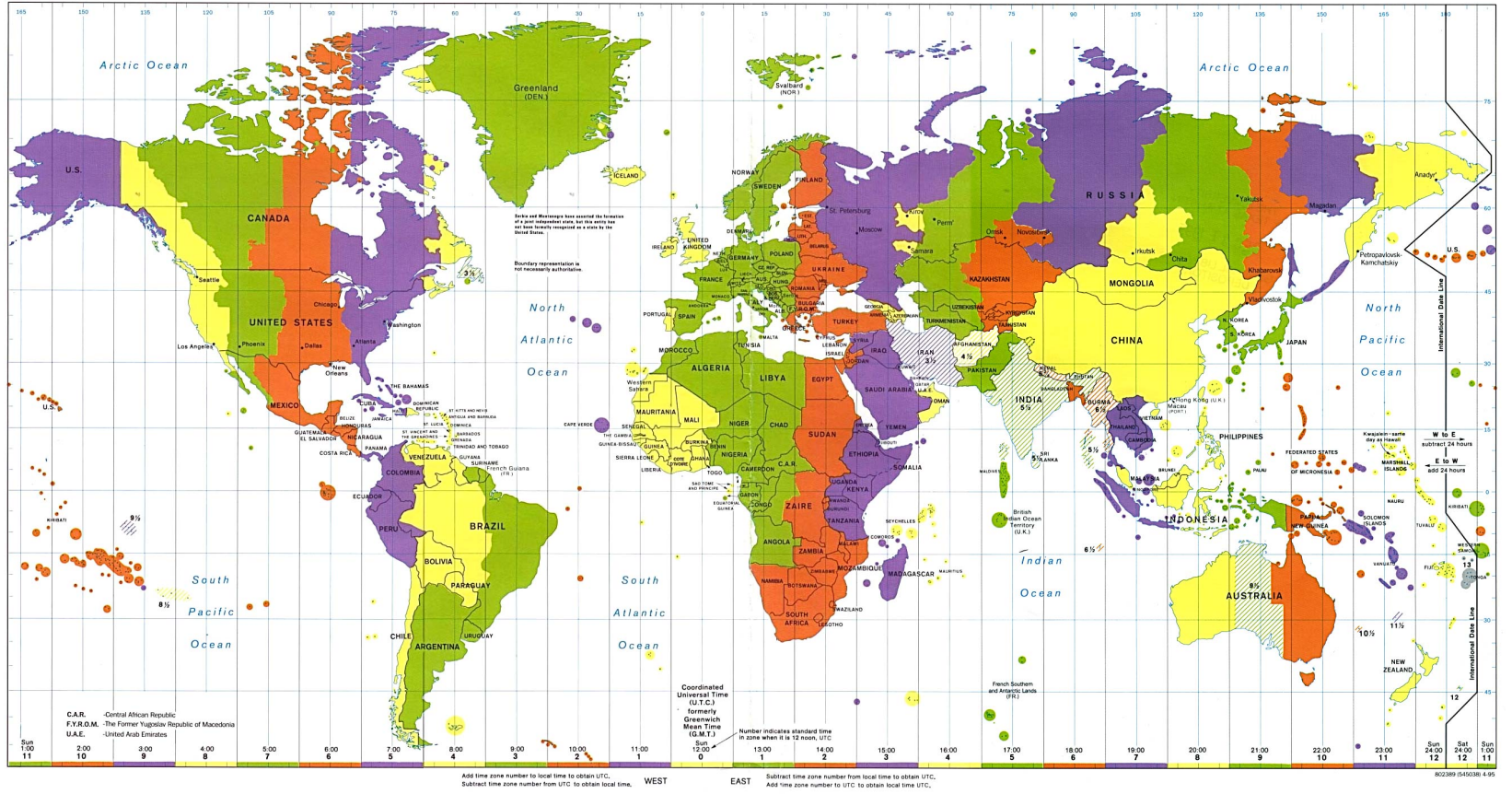
Population map

GDP Density



Economic map

Standard Time Zones of the World



Time zone map

The Global and the Local

How has your life been shaped by globalization?

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In your group, map out the connections between your experiences of globalization.