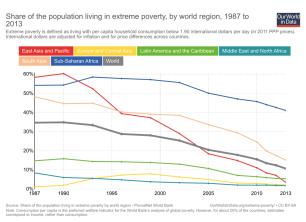
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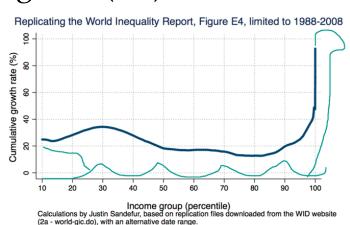
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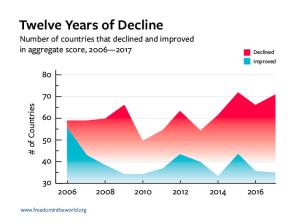
### **PSA**

- Office hours schedule this week:
  - Tuesday: 1-3 pm
  - Wednesday: 4.30-5.30 pm
  - Thursday: 2-3 pm
  - Friday: 2.30-3.30 pm
  - Saturday: 10-11 am
- Final exam:
  - Part 1: Thursday, 2 pm-Friday, 2 pm
  - Part 2: Friday, 2-3 pm, in Walsh-Ellett 310
- Last day to submit written work is tomorrow

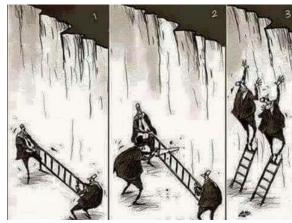
- Recent—and longstanding—trends:
  - Continuation of poverty (at least in parts of the world), limited development, and government policies that inhibit development and alleviation of poverty
  - Rise of economic/material inequality and political and social exclusion
  - Democratic backsliding and (re-)authoritarianization





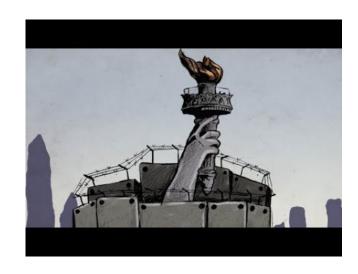


- Divide and rule tactics / tools of the powerful:
  - Extraversion
  - Politics of pork / neopatrimonialism
  - Populism
  - Politics of identity
  - Xenophobia
  - Politics of sex (and religion)
  - State coercion and repression





- Weapons of the weak:
  - International human rights regime
  - Political protest and violence
  - Nonviolent resistance
  - Valence issues



### Review: the danger of a single story



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D9Ihs241zeg

## Kahoot!

## Debate!

### Final exam

- Need to demonstrate both knowledge of the course content and analytical ability
- Part 1: essay
- Part 2: short answers

### Pair/group activities

- 1. Assign grades to sample short answers
- 2. Write your own answers to final exam short answer questions
- 3. Write a plan of an answer to an exam question