

## Introduction of 'Uncle Origami!'

Hello. My name is Teru-san (Terumasa Kutsuna) and I'm an international TanoShiawase (Fun+Happiness) evangelist.

I've been using English for 25 years, meeting wonderful people from all over the world and living a happy life. I've been fortunate enough to have many jobs/projects, so when my friends introduce me to someone, they are somewhat embarrassed and say, "Well, Teru-san, doing many things, but, in a word, Uncle Origami!" Laughter.

I'm an international origami instructor and has given courses to more than 10,000 people in Japan and from abroad over the past 10 years. In the last few years, I've been teaching 1,000 foreigners every year just through airbnb online experiences, and this year I have already taught over 2,500 people.

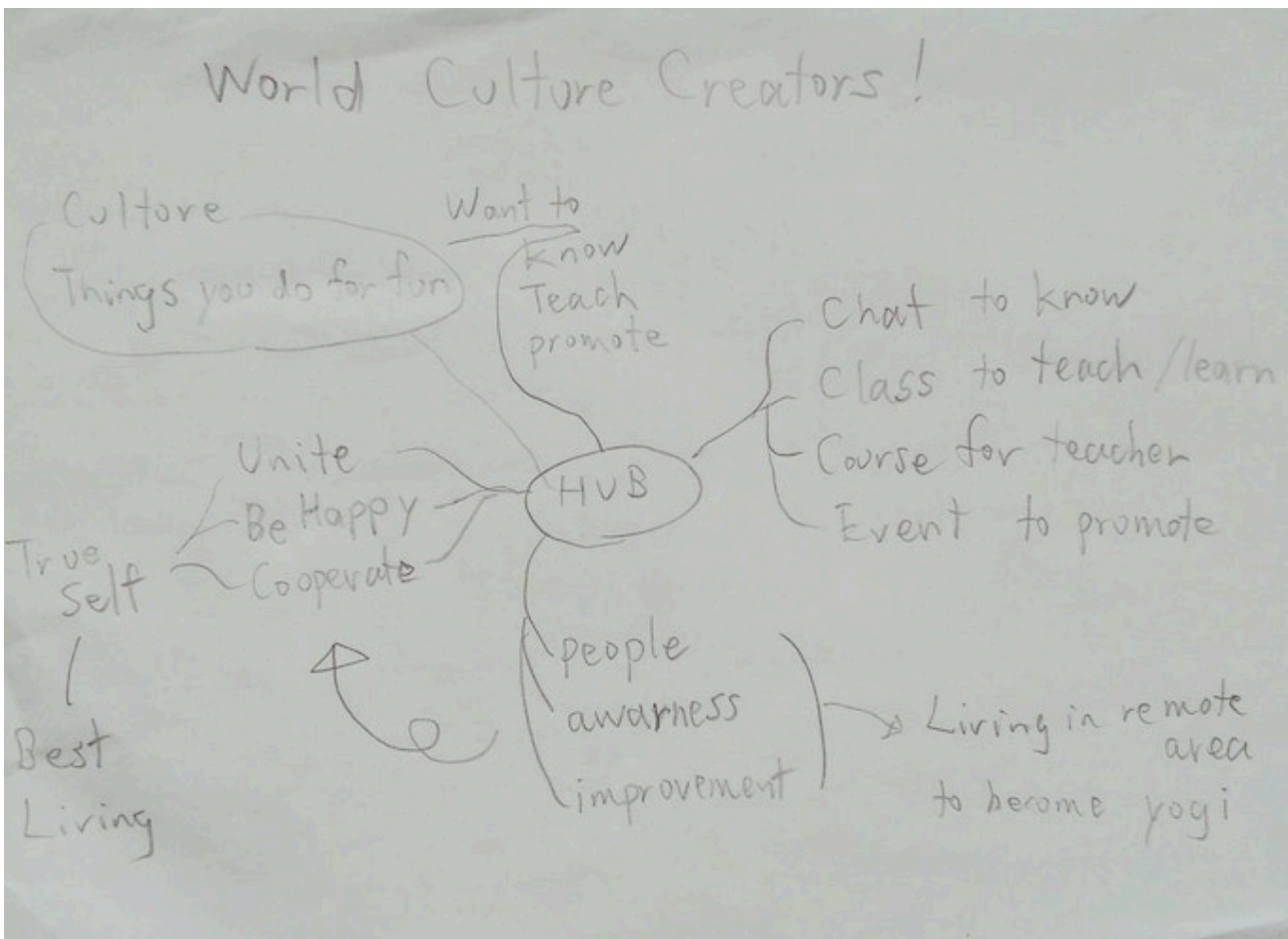
I enjoy a life of sharing culture with people from all over the world.

It would be interesting to connect people interested in this lifestyle and create an opportunity to develop cultural exchange worldwide!

That's why I'm going to set up an online community!

Let's call it 'World Culture Creators'.

Here is the overview.



### About this community

A brief description of what kind of community it is.

This is a community where people who want to know about world culture, teach culture to the world, and promote people can interact with each other honestly and casually!

Not only that, but I also want it to be a place where I can use my experiences to train teachers so that they can teach culture in English!

Here I invite international participants, but I am also gathering Japanese participants at the other cloud funding page for Japanese. I want to create an abundant international environment and I want to see everyone (including myself) improve happily.

In this community you can...

- Make friends from all over the world.
- Learn about diverse cultures in depth and broaden your world view.
- Participate in conserving, nurturing and sharing world cultures.
- Contribute to conserving and nurturing cultures and the peace and happiness of people around the world.

### Why do we want to start this community?

In the last few years, due to COVID-19, mobility has been restricted and, in contrast, online interaction has flourished. Now that COVID-19 has subsided, people are interacting with each other again, but the future is uncertain, as depending on the political situation in the world, it can be difficult to move around.

Now that everyone has started to interact online, we want to start a community with culture as the subject matter, so that people can interact directly with each other, in the hope that we can preserve and foster cultures around the world and contribute to the happy growth of everyone around the world.

In the past, people have systematically moved around and interacted face-to-face with each other and with different cultures, but we believe that in the future, people from all over the world can directly interact with each other in real-time and cultivate their cultures in an exciting way.

On social networking sites, people are sometimes careful about sending out information, and it is difficult to express their true feelings. I think it's a good idea to create a closed community where people with similar interests can get together to some extent, and create a place where they can interact in a relaxed manner within the community.

Everyone is miraculously born and lives in this world, so I want them to make the best of the life they have been given. Of course, I want to make the best of my life together with everyone else who is living at the same time!

Only I can be the change. But if I walk together with everyone else, I will be happy and joyful. I felt that it was time to start this community.

### Why a 'world culture creators community'?

This community is a center (Hub) of wisdom and experience, a gathering of people who, by interacting with each other, naturally realize their own unique way of life, help each other, and move straight ahead. We gather here to share wisdom and experiences, learn, and grow together.

What you can do...

1) Join the private chat group (discord).

In this chat group, you can make friends!

You can also exchange information, advice, and questions with other members, including Teru.



You can join as shown in the screen this →

(Instructions for joining the discord will be given after registering)

(2) Participate in monthly online social events (irregular offline meetings)

We will hold a monthly online social event (date to be decided later) with our members using ZOOM and voice chat in discord.

We would also like to hold offline meetings, although these are held irregularly (details to be announced at a later date).

(3) Participate/perform in monthly online training sessions (for members with student/teacher rights).

In your normal life, you rarely have the opportunity to meet and listen to lecturers from different cultures around the world.

We will invite such people as lecturers and set up a place where you can take the course online. Even if you are unable to participate in the live webcast, we will leave an archive so that you can look back at it later.

(For reference: comments from overseas participants who have experienced Teru's online origami classes in Japan.

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麻子

2023年9月

I enjoyed the origami class very much. He is friendly and explained how to fold origami understandably. Origami is fun and make us smile.



Lorena

2023年6月

Muy buena experiencia, aunque a mi no se me de bien el origami, Teru hace que sea divertido y agradable, me encantó cuando habló de donde vive también, en Japón.



Miami Locals

2023年6月

We loved the class! My mom and I signed up and it was a wonderful experience. We unleashed our inner artist and learned how to fold paper into masterpieces with Teru! With...

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Samantha

2023年6月

A great team building event. Nice to break up the day with something creative and meditative. Teru was a great teacher - engaging, funny, and so sweet!



Ava

2023年5月

Teru is a ray of sunshine. He immediately lifted the spirits of the group with great storytelling, jokes, and engaging origami



Lauren

2023年5月

We did this virtual event with Teru for our quarterly fun event among our team at work, and it was such a great experience!

As an instructor, you can organize a course. You can attend with your students and find students who are interested in your courses amongst the students who learn from other instructors who have also attended.