In 1956 Johan Galtung received a PhD in mathematics, and in 1957 in sociology. Galtung has continuously contributed original research and insights to many areas of intellectual inquiry, including peace studies, peaceful conflict transformation, reconciliation, pedagogy, interstate relations, non-offensive defense, human rights, basic human needs, reflexive development strategies, a life-sustaining economy - as opposed to our current global killing economy, macro-history, civilization-theory, federalism as a macro-political peace mechanism, globalization, communication and peace, deep culture, peace and religions, social science methodology, sociology, ecology and future studies. He has so far published over 150 books and over 1500 essays, articles and papers in scholarly and popular journals, translated into over 30 languages.

The culmination of this persistent transdisciplinary study of peace is to be found in his most recent series of publications by TRANSCEND UNIVERSITY PRESS. When asked what it is that holds this opus magnum of entirely new books published since 2008 together, he explains:

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