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I. Discussion of *NOW* video on women and globalization

II. Excerpt from Interview with Amy Chua

III. Discussion of *World on Fire* (Introduction & Part I)

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Brief segment from interview with Harry Kreisler, Institute of International Studies, U.C. Berkeley

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Discussion Questions



- *What is the significance of the story about her aunt's murder?*
- *What are "market-dominant minorities" and why are they so important?*
- *What is the "sobering thesis" of the book?*
- *What ethnic conflicts are in the news today?*

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• **What is the point of Chua's "thought experiment" on page 19**

• **Market-dominant minorities in**

- Southeast Asia
- Latin America
- (Russia)
- Africa

• **What is the overall point of Part 1: The Economic Impact of Globalization?**
