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## 2020 MARKET DYNAMICS



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- More Time, More Recognition
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• 10-Year Bull Run

Income InequalityGender Pay Gap

Minority Pay Gap

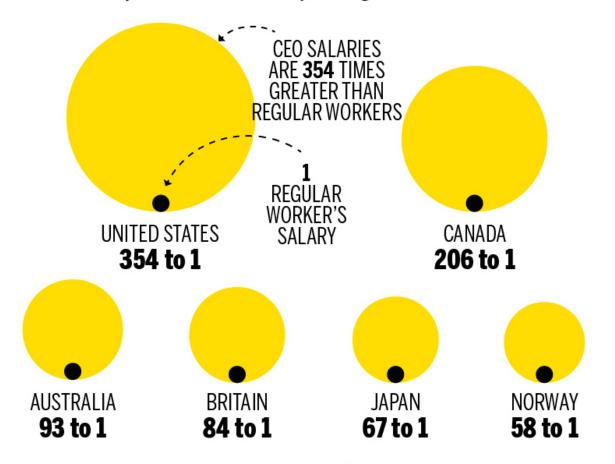
LEGISLATION

• Bloated Personal & Govt. Debt

## POLITICAL DEBATE TOPICS: Income Inequality



How many average workers' salaries would it take to pay an average CEO salary? Canada has one of the highest ratios in the world.







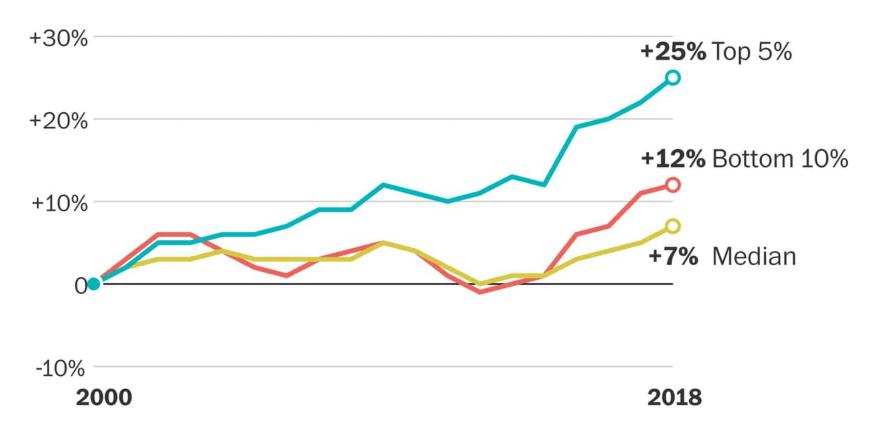
SOURCES: AFL-CIO; U.S. BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS; OECD; NATIONAL STOCK MARKETS

## POLITICAL DEBATE TOPICS: Income Inequality



## Top earners continue to pull away from everyone else

Cumulative percent change in real hourly wages since 2000

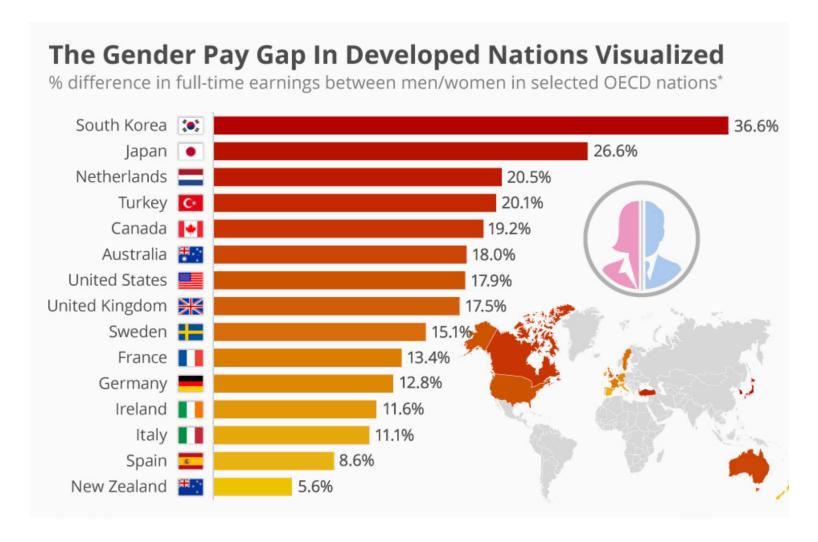


Source: Economic Policy Institute

THE WASHINGTON POST

## POLITICAL DEBATE TOPICS: Gender Pay Gap



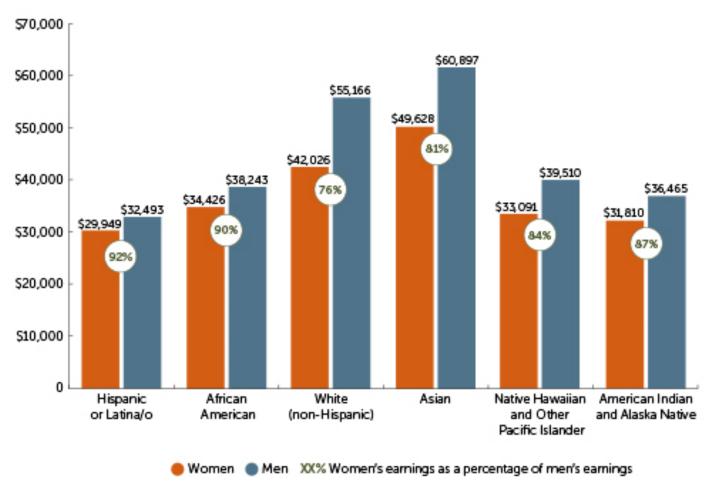


 2020 TAKEAWAY: The faster you get ahead of the gender pay equality curve and publish your good works, the better

## POLITICAL DEBATE TOPICS: Minority Pay Gap



#### Median Annual Earnings, by Race/Ethnicity and Gender, 2015



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2015 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates



## **LEGISLATION:** Not-for-Profit Regulations

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#### **Who Cares?**

- IRS Protects against tax abuse
- State Regulators Consumer Protection
- Donors Concerned that appropriate portion of contribution is used in accordance with donative intent
- Members Concerned that dues are used in accordance with member intent
- Media Excessive compensation makes great news in current economic environment
- Competitor Organizations The pool of available member donor funds is smaller than ever, creating competition for those funds
- Competing Interests More than ever, nonprofit entities are seen as tools of political and social reform, and potential adversaries are looking at executive compensation as a means to tarnish public image.
- Your Employees, Executives and Target Executives!

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## Reasonable Process & Reasonable Pay

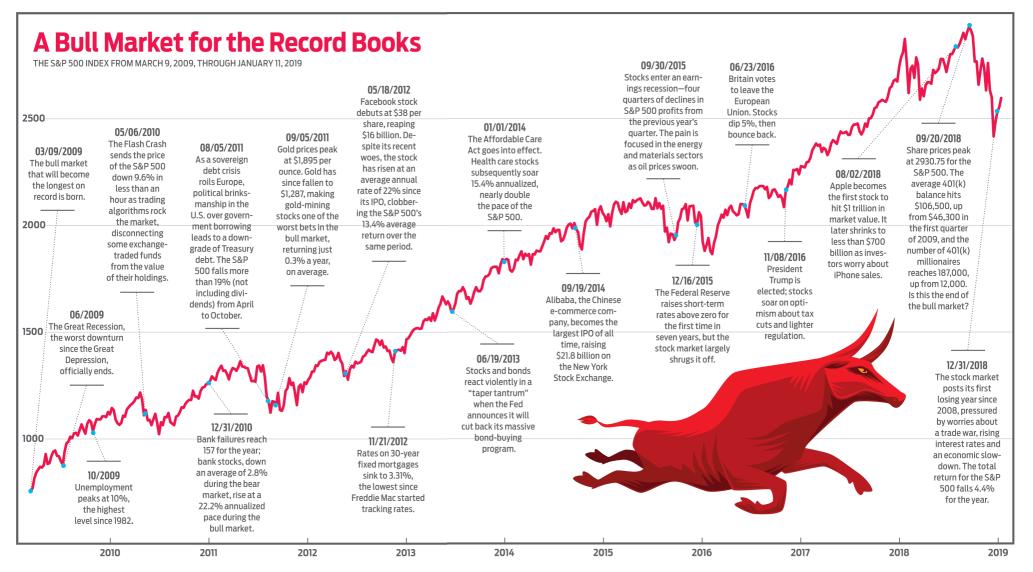
#### Board or Committee Chair

- Annual cycle established
- Manageable number of committee members
- Designated process and responsibilities between board and management for:
  - Annual performance goal setting and assessment
  - Compensation planning and decisions systematically organized
  - Organization compensation philosophy
  - Organization compensation budget
  - Responsibilities of Committee versus Board designated

# 2. Process in place for addressing intermediate sanctions, the rebuttable presumption of reasonableness

### MARKET VOLATILITY: 10-Year Bull Run



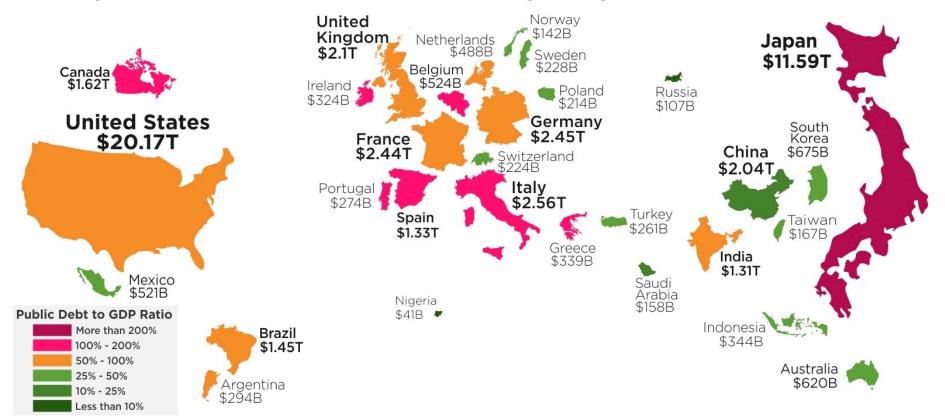


## MARKET VOLATILITY: Bloated Personal & Government Debt



## The Financial Impact of Sovereign Debt Around the World - 2017

This Map Shows Countries' Debt and Their Ability to Pay It Back



**How to read this map:** Countries appear bigger as their national debt is higher. e.g. USA. Conversely, countries with lower national debt appear smaller. e.g. Nigeria. The colour represent countries' debt to GDP ratio.

#### **Article & Sources:**

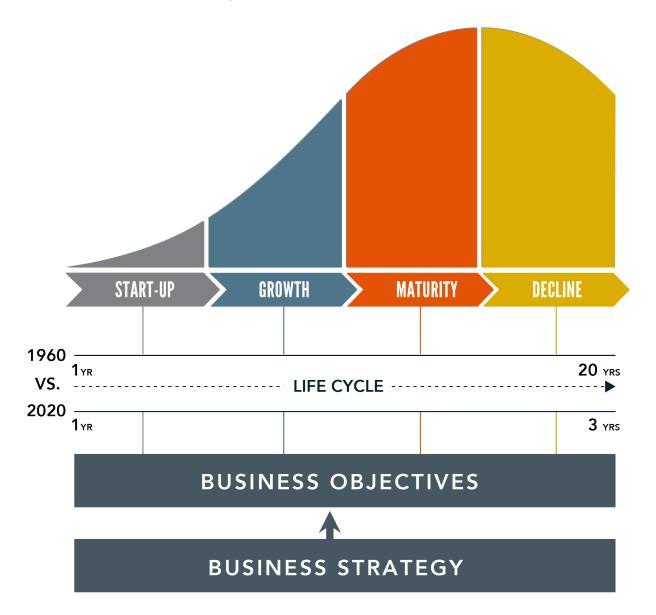
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# MARKET VOLATILITY: Life Cycles Are Short & Business Is Volatile



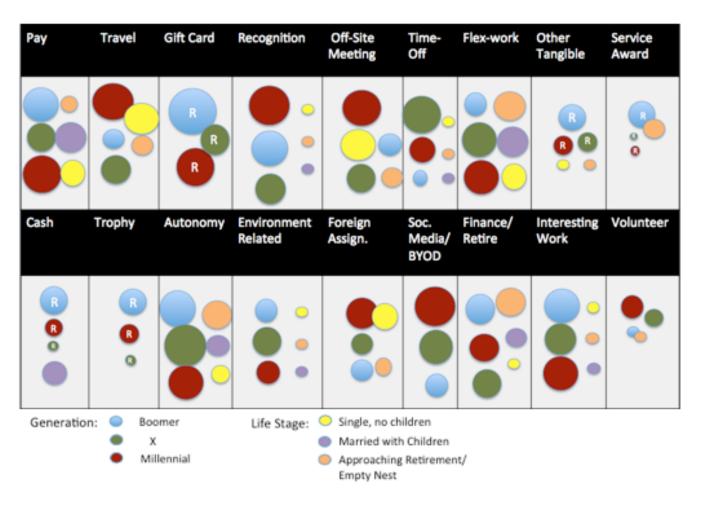


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## MILLENIALS: More Time More Recognition



## Pto, Flex-time, Autonomy will be the New Currency of Choice



The bigger the circle, the more it matters

 2020 TAKEAWAY: PTO, Flex-time and autonomy should be a significant consideration for the Total Rewards offering and a significant way to differentiate

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# MILLENIALS: Employees Sharing Compensation Information



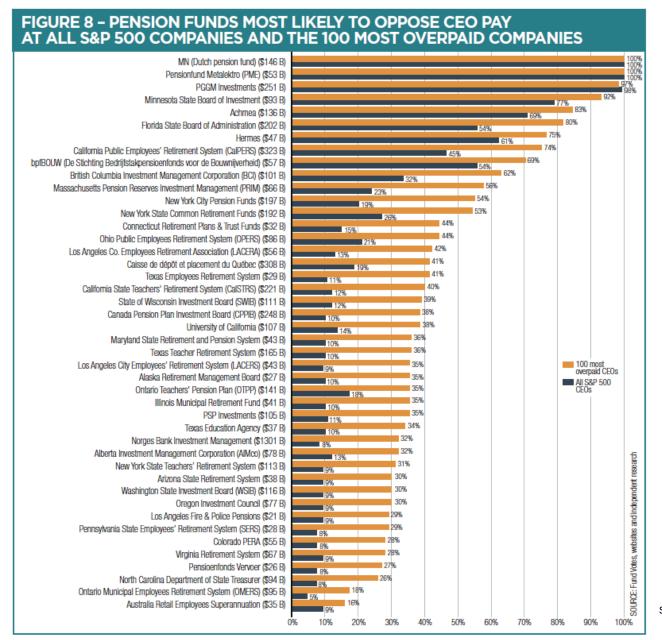
## Google Doc with Salaries went Viral in 2019



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Dev	142,800
Eng	\$162,433
Ор	\$89,395
Ор	\$92,700
Dev	172,857
Dev	\$103,750
Eng	\$120,553
Dev	\$190,775
Eng	\$140,600
Sale	\$113,542

### SHAREHOLDER ACTIVISM Shareholder Outreach and the Impact on Pay





# MEDIA RELATIONS: Negative Press vs. Positive Press

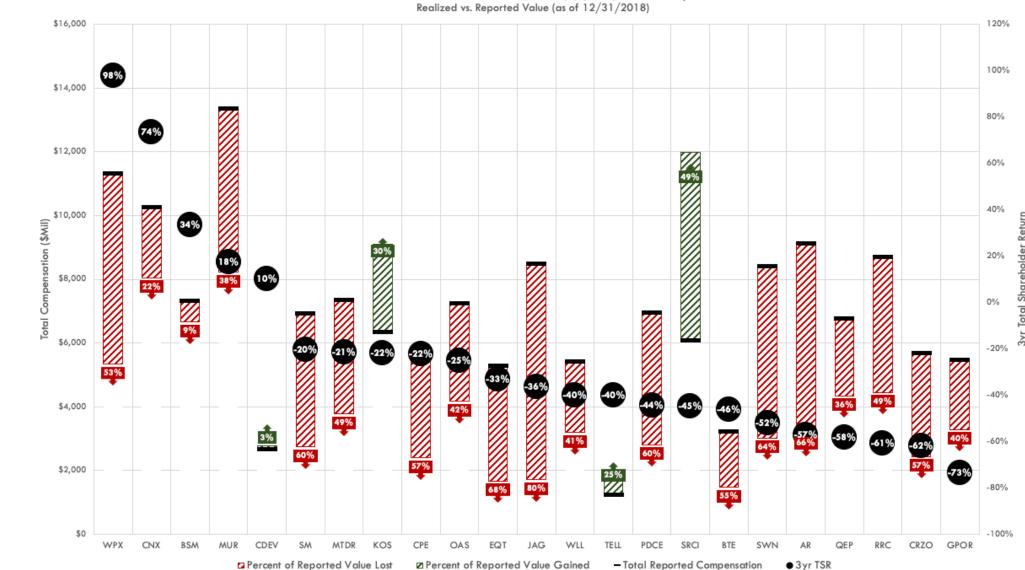




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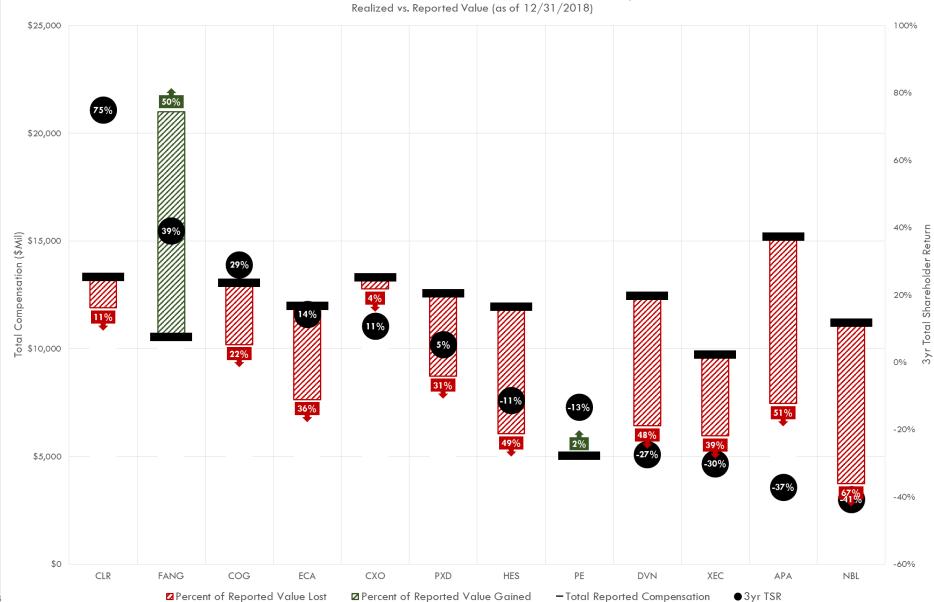
TOTAL CEO COMPENSATION (FY2018) | \$1B - \$5B Market Cap



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TOTAL CEO COMPENSATION (FY2018) | \$5B - \$25B Market Cap



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