Modern World Tournament 2014 Round #11 Tossups

- 1. In one game, these items can be acquired with the keyboard shortcut B-4-2 and, depending on the version, 2500 or 2700 dollars each. These items used by Team Grizzly from Hokkaido and Rento Kirishima of *Stella Women's Academy* are nicknamed "Cuernos de Chivo" in Mexico. César López gained fame for building guitars out of these items, which the time-traveling Afrikaner AWB gives to Robert E. Lee in a Harry Turtledove novel. A flag design with one of these items is opposed by (*) RENAMO but supported by FRELIMO. Democrat Joe Morrisey of Virginia waved one of these items at other legislators, while Republican Steve Stockman posted a picture of himself cleaning one with a bottle labeled "liberal tears." In movies, most of these items are actually Egyptian Maadi MISRs or Chinese Type 56s. For 10 points, name this item that graces the flag of Mozambique, a Russian-designed assault rifle. ANSWER: Kalashnikov rifles [or AK-47s or AKMs or AK-74s or CV-47s; or Type 56s before mentioned; prompt on assault rifles or guns or firearms or other less specific answers]
- 2. After this nation was invaded, the US instituted an embargo through UN Resolution 713, forcing it to rely on the Pakistani ISI for arms imports. The Centre for Civic Initiatives is a top NGO in this nation, where Aluminij has been investigated for discriminatory hiring. This nation sided with the HVO against VRS forces despite earlier HVO massacres in its Lašva Valley. Joe Biden and Bob Dole led congressional support for this nation, culminating in Senate Bill 2042's call for a (*) "lift and strike" policy, against the wishes of Clinton. The 1994 Washington Agreement turned this nation from a Republic into a Federation. It was invaded by the secessionist Republika Srpska until they merged in the aftermath of the Dayton Accords. For 10 points, name this European nation brutalized by Croat and Serb forces after the breakup of Yugoslavia.

ANSWER: <u>Bosnia</u> and Herzegovina [or <u>Bosna</u> i Hercegovina or <u>BiH</u>; prompt on <u>Yugoslavia</u> before mentioned]

3. In 2013, this state was caught illegally sterilizing poor women. An activist from this state was arrested for comments like, "I loved especially the nigger two-year-old getting nailed... White Dick Rules!" A city in this state dedicated a week to that gay activist, Larry Brinkin. In 2011, officials in this state were found exacting illegal taxes from migrant workers to give themselves million-dollar paychecks. In 2013, a mayor from this state was caught molesting disabled veterans. This home state of Bob Filner paid a prison doctor over eight hundred thousand dollars to deny care to (*) inmates. Courts have ruled this state's prisons as cruel and unusual punishment for overcrowding. A Senator in this state has been caught funneling guns to the Moros Islamic Liberation Front. Unions have successfully extracted six-figure incomes for manual workers on this state's public transportation system, BART. For 10 points, name this home state of Diane Feinstein and Nancy Pelosi.

ANSWER: State of <u>California</u> [or Estado de <u>California</u>; or <u>CA</u>; accept goofy nicknames like the <u>Golden</u> State]

4. Judd Gregg warned a participant in these events that another participant would attempt to use his superior height to violate his body space. During one of these events, that participant later devastated the first one with a nod. In the aftermath of these events, one participant turned an eight-point deficit into a ten-point lead according to Gallup. One participant in these events constantly referred to his (*) lockbox, or rainy day fund, which another participant immediately noted as an example of "fuzzy math." During one of these events, a participant was mocked for sighing loudly. One candidate who participated in these events was a noted proponent of "compassionate conservatism," while another claimed he "took the initiative in creating the Internet." For 10 points, name this series of presidential debates between a Vice President and the Governor of Texas.

ANSWER: **Bush-Gore debate**s [or any reasonable answer indicating 2000 presidential debates between George W. Bush and Al Gore or clear-knowledge; prompt on presidential **debate**s or other non-specific answers]

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5. This non-Chinese event motivated the censorship of the first major non-American IMAX film, a 2010 sequel by Feng Xiaogang. In the aftermath of this event, World Order released the hit song "Machine Civilization." Citing an earlier event in January 1995, Larry Summers lauded this event's potential to engender stimulus spending and economic recovery. In the aftermath of this event, the government announced the Super Cool Biz campaign, which

painfully restricted AC usage. A capital region's governor referred to this event as (*) "divine punishment" for the supposed egoism of the nation, which afterwards became the world's largest natural gas importer. Serious public disapproval for TEPCO resulted from this event, which led the US to launch Operation Tomodachi. For 10 points, name this natural disaster that caused critical damage to a nuclear power plant at Fukushima.

ANSWER: March 11th earthquake or Tohoku earthquake or 2011 Japan earthquake or Japanese tsunami [accept 3-11; accept reasonable equivalents; accept "tsunami" in place of earthquake; accept Fukushima disaster or equivalents before mentioned; if they just say Japan earthquake, ask for year or literally any other information that shows they're not talking about the Kobe earthquake]

6. To watch foreign shows in this non-English language, flip to the TelkomVision channel. Comics in this language include *Helios Eclipse*, *Fatal Chaos* and *Le Gardenie*. The main characters of *Nichijou* repeatedly greet each other in this language, which names locations in the *Just Cause* series. In *Uncharted*, Nathan Drake tries to con a guard through an intercom by speaking this language. Sergeant Jaka fights the memetically badass Mad Dog in one film in this language, *The Raid*. John Ashbery popularized one of this language's three major forms of poetry, the (*) pantun. The non-Korean performer Yuna sings in this national language, which is spoken by federal troops in the *The Act of Killing* and is the world's most widely spoken Austronesian language. For 10 points, name this language whose two major registers are both acceptable answers and named for the countries separated by the Malacca Strait.

ANSWER: <u>Bahasa</u> [or Bahasa <u>Indonesian</u>; or Bahasa <u>Malaysian</u>; or <u>Bahasa</u> Indonesia or <u>Bahasa</u> Malaysia or Bahasa <u>Melayu</u>; accept Bahasa <u>Kebangsaan</u> or <u>Bahasa</u> Nasional]

- 7. This man claimed that Flaubertian bizarreries result when a rising class of non-Western èlites appeal to tradition through violent nationalism, citing his meeting with Kenzaburō Ōe. This man claimed that the situation in his country "is going from bad to worse and even towards terrible" in response to a government crackdown on Twitter. One speech by this man is framed around a discussion of his father's suitcase. Juan Goytisolo, José (*) Saramago, Umberto Eco and five other writers issued a joint statement supporting this man, who experienced legal trouble for violating Article 301 of the TCK by "insulting" his ethnicity when the Swiss newspaper Tages Anzeiger ran an interview in which he claimed that no one but him dares to talk about the Kurds and Armenians killed in his home country. For 10 points, name this author of The Museum of Innocence, The White Castle and Snow.

 ANSWER: (Ferit) Orhan Pamuk
- 8. The judicial branch of this nation's government is administered by the Superior Council of Judicature. "The U" is a nickname for this nation's largest political party, the Social Party of National Unity. This nation's Patriot Plan included Operation JM as part of its doctrine of "democratic security." The young sons of this nation's Castano family founded the ACCU, which later joined the (*) AUC, or United Self-Defense Forces. This nation sparked a huge 2008 diplomatic crisis after its troops shot Raúl Reyes. A "plan" named for this nation refers to the extensive American intervention here. One hundred and thirty-nine lawmakers in this nation have been tried for taking illicit donations from paramilitary groups. This nation's politics have been dominated by Alvaro Uribe, though its current president is Juan Manuel Santos. For 10 points, name home nation of Pablo Escobar that beat down FARC. ANSWER: Republic of Colombia [or República de Colombia]
- 9. Louise Young claimed that a cultural construction of these people stereotyped them as ending sentences with "aru," a tendency from the "Concordia" pidgin. A 1992 book on the construction of their identity was written by Frank Dikötter. The cuisine named for these people has eight major culinary traditions. T. Colin Campbell used a study of these people to advocate a vegan diet. These people were first named by the concept of "Five (*) Races Under One Union," a term later used to encompass fifty-six different ethnic groups. Samuel Huntington argued that the a civilization named for these people would be the primary ally of Islamic civilization against the West. A language named after these people is reproduced by a computer well enough to pass a Turing Test in a thought experiment proposed by John Searle. For 10 points, name these people who are studied by sinologists.

 ANSWER: Chinese peopre [or huaren or zhonghua minzu; accept Han until "Five Races Under One Union" and

antiprompt after; antiprompt on other Chinese ethnic groups like Manchus; accept Sinic until "sinologists"]

- 10. During a primary debate, John Catsimatidis stated that he wouldn't mind if this practice were applied to his son. The cessation of this policy was the subject of a newspaper headline warning readers, "Welcome to Chicago." Though he was recently re-appointed by a man who opposes it, William Bratton is often considered the original architect of this policy, which Allen Moye claimed he was falsely targeted by. This practice is primarily legitimized by the 1968 decision (*) Terry v. Ohio. Christine Quinn filed a lawsuit aimed at protecting reforms to this practice, which Shira Scheindlin ruled unconstitutional in 2013. This practice, which is based on broken windows theory, has been criticized as a form of indirect racial profiling, since over half of the people targeted by it are African-American. For 10 points, name this practice in which NYPD officers bother and search civilians.

 ANSWER: New York City stop-question-and-frisk program [accept any reference to stop-and-frisk programs in general after "Terry"]
- 11. This man was the closest ally of the Frolinat-controlled GUNT government as well as the primary international backer of a controversial paramilitary group also supported by New York's Steve King. He was obsessed with the so-called "Black Flower in the White House." This man tore up a copy of the UN charter during a rambling ninety-minute speech. His daughter was killed in a bombing strike in retaliation for the bombing of (*) Berlin's La Belle disco. Bulgarian medics who allegedly infected patients with HIV were tortured under this man, who made a play for the Aouzou Strip before being defeated by the namesake technicals of the Toyota War. This tossup's answerline includes all seventy-two recognized English spellings of this man's name. For 10 points, name this man who ordered the 1988 Lockerbie bombing, a leader of the Socialist People's Arab Jamahiriya overthrown in 2011. ANSWER: Moamar al-Gaddafi [or Moamar el Gaddafi; or Moamar El Kadhafi; or Moamar Gaddafi; or Moamar El Kazzafi; or Mo'ammar el-Gadhafi; or Moammar El Kadhafi; or Mo'ammar Gadhafi; or Moammar Kadhafi; or Moammar Khadafy; or Moammar Qudhafi; or Mu'amar al-Kad'afi; or Mu'amar al-Kadafi; or Muamar Al-Kaddafi; or Muamar Kaddafi; or Muammar Al-Gathafi; or Muammar al-Khaddafi; or Mu'ammar al-Qadafi; or Mu'ammar al-Qaddafi; or Muammar al-Qadhafi; or Mu'ammar al-Qadhdhafi; or Mu'ammar al-Qadhdhafi; or Mu'ammar Al **Qathafi**; or Muammar Al **Qathafi**; or Muammar **Gadafi**; or Muammar **Gaddafi**; or Muammar **Ghadafi**; or Muammar **Gaddafi**; or Muammar **Ghadafi**; or Muamma Ghaddafi; or Muammar Ghaddafy; or Muammar Ghaddafi; or Muammar Kaddafi; or Muammar Khaddafi; Qadafi; or Muammar Qaddafi; or Muammar Qadhafi; or Mu'ammar Qadhdhafi; or Muammar Quathafi; or Mulazim Awwal Mu'ammar Muhammad Abu Minyar al-Qadhafi; or Moamar Al Kadafi; or Maummar Gaddafi; or Moamar <u>Gadhafi</u>; or Moamer <u>Gaddafi</u>; or Moamma <u>Gaddafi</u>; or Moammar <u>Gaddafi</u>; or Moammar <u>Gaddafi</u>; or Moammar Ghadafi; or Moammar Khadaffy; or Moammar Khaddafi; or Moammar el Gadhafi; or Moammar Gaddafi; or Mouammer al **Gaddafi**; or Muammar Al **Ghaddafi**; or Muammar Al **Ghaddafi**; or Muammar Al **Qaddafi**; or Muammar Al Qaddafi; or Muammar Gaddfi; or Muammar Gaddfi; or Muammar Gaddfi; or Muammar Gaddfi; or Muammar Gaddfi Gadhafi; or Muammar Ghadaffi; or Muammar Qadthafi; or Muammar al Gaddafi; or Muammar el Gaddafy; or Muammar el <u>Gaddafi</u>; or Muammar el <u>Qaddafi</u>; or Muammar <u>Gaddafi</u>; or Muammar <u>Gaddafi</u> Omar Al Qathafi; or Omar Mouammer Al Gaddafi; or Omar Muammar Al Ghaddafi; or Omar Muammar Al Qaddafi; or Omar Mua Omar Muammar Al **Qathafi**; or Omar Muammar **Gaddafi**; or Omar Muammar **Ghaddafi**; or Omar al **Ghaddafi**]
- 12. This region's cinema created the rom-com *Hero Hitler in Love*. One state in this region is controlled by the PML (N) while another is controlled by the right-wing SAD headquartered in the capital of the northernmost Union Territory. A singer from this region starred in the film Best of Luck. This home region of Jazzy B inspired the failed "folkhop" movement. To make a point, an artist from this region created a music video with only multiple CGI versions of himself dancing, where they all arrive as meteors to Earth. The (*) "Friendship Express" bombed in 2007 and a road passing through the village of Wagah both connect two states in this region: one containing the Shalimar Gardens and another known for Bhangra music and the Golden Temple at Amritsar. For 10 points, name this region that straddles India and Pakistan and contains most of the world's Sikhs.

 ANSWER: Punjab [antiprompt on Haryana; prompt on Republic of India or Bharat Ganrajya or other names for India;

ANSWER: <u>Punjab</u> [antiprompt on <u>Haryana</u>; prompt on Republic of <u>India</u> or <u>Bharat</u> Ganrajya or other names for India; prompt on Islamic Republic of <u>Pakistan</u> or Islāmī Jumhūriyah-yi <u>Pākistān</u>]

13. Following this event, one band changed its name to Pacifier for three years. A song written in response to this event describes "Mary in the garden / In the garden of a thousand sighs" and repeats, "Come on up, lay your hands in mine." This event inspired the song "Where Were You (When the World Stopped Turning)." One work composed in response to this event contains a children's chorus singing, (*) "I see water and buildings." Michael Jackson performed at a benefit concert subtitled "What More Can I Give" held in response to this event, which

inspired Bruce Springsteen's album *The Rising*. In a terrible song inspired by this event, the singer vows, "We'll put a boot in your ass." This event is the subject of the John Adams piece *On the Transmigration of Souls*. For 10 points, name this event that gave rise to such jingoistic hits as Toby Keith's "Courtesy of the Red, White and Blue" in response to concerns over terrorism.

ANSWER: September 11th, 2001 terrorist attacks [or 9/11, or whatever you want to call it]

- 14. In 2007, George W. Bush personally asked this nation's President to not eliminate term limits and run again. He complied. The e-commerce hub Jumia is headquartered in this nation, where protests erupted when the President removed fuel subsidies and privatized its former National Electric Power Authority. In 2005, the Paris Club gave eighteen billion dollars of debt relief to this nation. The (*) MEND insurgency attacks energy companies in this nation, where Ansaru has formed as an offshoot of the group that carried out the Gamboru Ngala attack. In 2014, this nation's government made an accounting adjustment, almost doubling its GDP in the process. In this nation, Ken Saro-Wiwa was executed by Sani Abacha, who was replaced as President by Olusegun Obasanjo. For 10 points, name this Goodluck Jonathan-led nation plagued by the Boko Haram insurgency.

 ANSWER: Federal Republic of Nigeria
- 15. Ligene the Time Patroller stars in a game featuring an hourglass and this word. In a 2011 single, KARA sings this word after "Go Go." In *The Dresden Files*, the title of three Seelie Queens share this word, which with "Mori" names an ancient elf-fairy with severe Chūnibyō. A woman with this surname sang, "Life can be a challenge. Life can seem impossible. It's never easy when so much is on the line," and released "To Paris with Love." With "Wars" it names a Madhouse film in which the AI Love Machine tries to use Oz to drop a (*) satellite on Earth. In a Memphis Bleek song, Jay-Z tells this word, "I know you gon' miss me, for we been together like Nike Airs and crisp tees." This is the first word in a song with the lines, "I remember every sunset. I remember every word you said" by Simple Plan. For 10 points, name this word that names a song sun by Olaf in *Frozen* as well as a Zooey Deschanel character who has a relationship with architect Tom Hansen for 500 days.

 ANSWER: summer

16. A 1991 real estate crash led to the creation of Securum and Retriva in this nation, which has experienced huge tax cuts thanks to its awesome ponytail-wearing finance minister. A major party in this nation is guided by the principles of the "People's Home," and has lost voters to this nation's eponymous Democrats, a far-right party. This nation's ruling Alliance comprises the Moderate Party, Liberal People's Party, Centre Party, and Christian Democrats, who support Prime Minister (*) Fredrik Reinfeldt. Historically dominated by the Social Democratic Party, this nation has failed in its attempts to extradite Julian Assange on sexual assault charges. The success of this country's so-called "model" is often cited by US liberals in favor of universal health care. For 10 points, name this Scandinavian country with capital Stockholm.

ANSWER: Kingdom of **Sweden** [or Konungariket **Sverige**]

WARNING: YEAR AND COUNTRY REQUIRED

- 17. One professor quipped that this election wasn't a landslide, but rather "an asteroid hitting the planet and destroying practically all life on earth." In this election, one party was criticized for adopting all-women shortlists in half of its races, while another party was hampered by the rise of the Referendum Party, which came fourth. Before this election, the winning party abolished its constitution's Clause IV, which called for nationalization of (*) industries. A third party had its best performance since 1929 under the leadership of Paddy Ashdown in this election, whose winning party outlined the "New Life," a platform mocked by its opponents as the "New Danger" in a poster that showed a party leader with demon eyes. The left-wing party in this election won with a majority of 179. For 10 points, name this election in which John Major was annihilated by the so-called New Labour of Tony Blair. ANSWER: United Kingdom general election of 1997 [accept British general election of 1997, prompt for country on 1997 or year for British]
- 18. A character in *H2O*: Footprints in the Sand asserts that this product carries happiness and can bloom a million flowers. The title of a novel about child abuse and joining the JSDF notes that bullets made of this product can't pierce anything. The title Stellvia of the Universe always lugs around a bottle of this product, which names an Australian Novel of Love and (*) Addiction by Luke Davies ironically turned into a 2006 Heath Ledger film about

heroin abuse. A monster threatens to devour the characters of *Gravity Falls* unless they acquire enough of this product's "loser" variety. A film in which the young Ellen Page manipulates a sexual predator is named for this product, as is the largest kingdom on *Adventure Time*. Eating this product makes Kirby invincible. Charlie the Unicorn is lured to a mountain of this product, which names a 50 Cent song extolling a girl to "keep going 'til you hit the spot." For 10 points, name this product whose "Rare" form levels up a Pokémon.

ANSWER: hard <u>candy</u> [or sugar <u>candy</u> or rock <u>candy</u>; accept <u>lollipop</u>s or <u>lollies</u>; accept <u>Candy</u> Shop; prompt on <u>sugar</u> or <u>sweets</u> or <u>treats</u> or <u>treats</u> or <u>confectionary</u> other names for tooth-rotting food of little nutritional value]

19. In 2004, this man was almost banned from one country after calling its narrow presidential election "the biggest joke in the world." One of this man's relatives created a chant later used by Professor X to make the Juggernaut "trip balls." The historical drama 1911 stars and was directed by this man, whose voice acting work includes three different-language versions of a song that goes "Let's get down to business, to defeat the Huns." Finn, Ratso, and Valmont oppose this man, who works as a free agent for Section 13 and befriends the (*) lucha wrestler El Toro Fuerte. While singing, "War, what is it good for?" a character played by this man is asked, "Do you understand the words that are coming out of my mouth?" This man's uncle often tells him, "One more thing!" in a show where he finds the twelve Talismans. This man played Mr. Han, who trains Jaden Smith in karate. For 10 points, name this Chinese martial artist who co-stars with Chris Rock in Rush Hour.

ANSWER: <u>Jackie Chan</u> [prompt on <u>Chan</u> because holy shit how can you not know his full name]

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20. Timothy Power wrote an influential 2009 paper about these kind of laws in Latin America. In a 60 Minutes interview, Mark Latham urged his supporters to intentionally subvert one of these laws. A widely cited paper by Jakee and Sun points out these laws are anti-democratic because they make it much easier to violate the Pareto principle. In 2013, the Indian Supreme Court struck down one of these laws called 49-O. Belgium was the first nation to implement one of these laws, which include one abolished by Venezuela in 1993. Sebastian Piñera repealed one of these laws, aiding Evelyn Matthei in Chile. These laws attempt to overcome (*) Downs Paradox. Australia is the best-known country with these laws, which conventional wisdom says helps the Labour Party. For 10 points, name these laws that force you to participate in the democratic process.

ANSWER: **compulsory voting** laws [or **mandatory voting** or anything indicating that the player knows it's a law that makes people vote]

TIEBREAKER

21. On House of Cards, Janine Skorsky gives a lecture at Cornell on how The New York Times concocted a lie to defeat this man. This man gave the opening introduction to the hilarious Saturday morning special Cartoon All-Stars to the Rescue. This man repeatedly used the phrase "thousand points of light" and became the first to assert that yes, he had the whole "vision thing." The mainstream media lied that this man marveled at a (*) grocery store scanner. In Japan, this man's name briefly became a slang verb thanks to his meeting with Kiichi Miyazawa, during which he vomited. This man ran on one ticket with a man he attacked for "voodoo economics" and later signed the Americans With Disabilities Act. This President broke the campaign promise he made when he said, "Read my lips: no new taxes.." For 10 points, name this President who lost in 1992 to Bill Clinton.

ANSWER: George Herbert Walker Bush [also accept Bush Senior or Bush the Elder or Aged Bush or Big Bush or Papa Bush or anything that indicates it's Bush 41; prompt on Bush]