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Title	Survey on the Korean Social Movement after the 1960s : Organizations

## Instructions

This survey is about the social activist organizations (groups) that were established after the 1960s. This survey questionnaire is about a specifically selected organization and targets activists and others involved in the organization. Therefore, the questionnaire can be answered by various involved persons. Please answer the following questions about the organization you were actively involved with to your best of your knowledge.

The survey is divided into five main categories.

- I . Basic information about the Organization
- II . Goal and Direction of the Organization
- III. Operation of the Organization and its Human Network
- IV. Changes to the Organization
- V . Other Information

When responding to multiple choice questions, unless otherwise instructed, please select only one best choice.

When responding to short-answer questions, please feel free to use the blank space in the margin next to the question.

If you have any additional comments, please feel free to use the blank space in the margins or the back pages of the questionnaire.

There is no right or wrong answer to the survey questions. We ask that you give your honest answer. We would like to remind you once again that all of your responses will be kept strictly confidential.

We thank you for your cooperation.

<For Research of Social Activist Organizations (Groups)>

Recorded by interviewer or Activist Interviewed

This survey questionnaire was prepared by the interviewer to confirm and supplement the basic data collected based on existing resources (trial transcripts, books, sourcebooks, magazines, newspapers, etc.) on a specific social activist organization through interviews of activists.

I. Basic Information about the Organization

Questions 1 - 12 are regarding basic information about the organization (group). For multiple-choice questions, please mark with a ✓ in front of the number of the answer chosen. For short-answer questions, please write your answer in the space provided. If you select "Other" as your answer, please write a detailed description.

1. What is the name of the organization?

1) Official Name: \_\_\_\_\_

2) Abbreviated Name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. When was the organization founded?

( \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_ Month)

3. What was the initial form of the organization?

- 1) Legally registered organization
- 2) Underground organization
- 3) Semi-legal organization

4. Please describe a social issue or incident that motivated the founding of the organization?

\_\_\_\_\_

5. If there was an organization or group that was a forerunner of the current organization, what was the name of that organization?

\_\_\_\_\_

6. How were the founding members of the organization related?
- 1) School alumni and colleagues
  - 2) Acquaintances and colleagues from same region of the country
  - 3) Interacted through social movements
  - 4) Other (\_\_\_\_\_)

7. Who were the founding members of the organization?

	Name	Living/Dead	Title/Position in the organization
1)			
2)			
3)			
4)			
5)			

8. Where is (was) the headquarters of the organization located? If moved, please fill-in in the order of the move. (If there is no headquarters, please fill in your main area of activity.)

	Location	Year
1)		
2)		
3)		
4)		

9. How many members did the organization have and how did it change over the years? Was there any change in the subordinate organizations (example: regional chapters, collateral organizations, mass organization, etc.)?

	Total Membership (Unit: Person)	Full Member (Unit: Person)	Associate Member (Unit: Person)	Branch Organization (Unit: Member)	Source of Information
1) Initial Stage					
2) Intermediate Stage					
3) Final Stage (Present)					

10. What is the status of the organization compared to the time of founding?

- 1) Disbanded
- 2) Transformed
- 3) Still operating (Go to Q12)

11. When was the organization transformed (or disbanded)?

(Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Month: \_\_\_\_\_)

12. How long was the organization in existence?

( \_\_\_\_\_ Years \_\_\_\_\_ Months)

II. Goals and Direction of the Organization

Questions 13 - 18 are about the goals and direction of the organization. Please do not leave short-answer questions blank and give detailed descriptions.

13. Does or did the organization have a mission statement (or policy platform)?

- 1) Yes
- 2) Do (Did) not have a formal Mission Statement but have (had) something similar
- 3) No (Go to Q13-2)

13-1. From the list below, please check the items contained in the Mission Statement (or policy platform) and write a detailed description. (Please choose up to 3 items.)

	Ranking	Description
1) Political democratization		
2) Financial equality and realization of people's right to live		
3) Educational Issues		
4) Environmental Issues		
5) Women's issues		
6) Human Rights and Anti-Discrimination		
7) Labor Issues		
8) Agricultural Issues		
9) Poverty Issues		
10) Unification Issues		
11) Anti-War and Aim for Peace		
12) Overcome Foreign Influence and Secure Independence		
13) Joint activity with other organizations		
14) Other ( _____ )		

13-2. What was the reason for not having a mission statement?

\_\_\_\_\_

14. What are the organization's major areas of activity? (Please choose up to 3 from the list.)

- 1) Politics
- 2) Economy
- 3) Students
- 4) Labor
- 5) Political Opposition
- 6) Education
- 7) Human Rights
- 8) Culture and Arts
- 9) Scholarship
- 10) Unification
- 11) Peace
- 12) Environment
- 13) Women's Rights
- 14) Religion
- 15) Citizenship (Surveillance, Criticism)
- 16) Civic Movement for Livelihood
- 17) Other (\_\_\_\_\_)

15. What was the most important reason or incident for the organization becoming publicly known?

- 1) Self-publicity from the early stages of founding the organization
- 2) Became known to and oppressed by government security and control agencies
- 3) Organization's activities were covered by the media
- 4) Other (\_\_\_\_\_)

16. What was the event or activity that made the organization stand out?

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_

17. What is the direction of the future society that the organization aimed for?

- 1) Reform within current system (free democracy)
- 2) Improving changes within capitalist system (social democracy)
- 3) Fundamental changes overcoming the capitalist system (socialism/communism)
- 4) Pursue fundamentally different systems (\_\_\_\_\_)

18. If the organization (un)officially pursued a theory of social change, please give detailed description.

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### III. Operation of the Organization and its Human Network

Questions 19 – 31 are about the internal operations of the organization and networking among organizations.

19. Does (Did) the organization have bylaws (or regulations)?
- 1) Yes
  - 2) No
20. How does the organization raise operating funds? In case the choices are related, please rank them in the order of importance.
- 1) Membership dues
  - 2) Government grants
  - 3) Individual benefactors
  - 4) Support from foreign organizations and groups
  - 5) For-profit activities
  - 6) Fundraising activities
  - 7) Other (\_\_\_\_\_)
21. How are the tasks of the organization's activities divided?
- 1) Formal division of labor (Formal departments are setup)
  - 2) Informal division of labor (No formal departments are setup but division of labor is setup)
  - 3) Without formal division of labor, matters are handled arbitrarily
  - 4) Other (\_\_\_\_\_)
22. How does the organization decide on its direction and activities?
- 1) Bottom up method of decision making with the participation of the entire organization
  - 2) Top down method of decision making by the leadership of the organization
  - 3) Decision making based on personal relationships (friendship or connections) of members
  - 4) Other (\_\_\_\_\_)
23. What is the most common way the organization recruits new members?
- 1) Public Recruiting
  - 2) Private Recruiting
  - 3) Different means depending on circumstances
24. What process does the organization use to recruit new members? Please rank the applicable choices in the order of importance.
- 1) There was no additional recruitment after an initial membership drive
  - 2) Through a formal recruitment process
  - 3) Informal recruitment through school alumni connections
  - 4) Informal recruitment through regional acquaintances

- 5) Informal recruitment through existing member connections (except school and regional connections)
- 6) Other (\_\_\_\_\_)
25. What is the most common way members leave the organization?
- 1) Through a formal withdrawal procedure
  - 2) Through an informal withdrawal procedure
  - 3) Implicitly accept individual's withdrawal
  - 4) Leaving the organization is virtually impossible
  - 5) Other (\_\_\_\_\_)
26. How does the organization internally share its ideology and direction of activities? (If more than 2, please rank them in the order of importance.)
- 1) Through discussions and debates
  - 2) Through documents and guidebooks
  - 3) Through public and private lectures
  - 4) Through training and seminar
  - 5) Other (\_\_\_\_\_)
27. What were the names of the major activists in the organization?
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28. Does (Did) the organization have separate branch organizations?
- 1) There was a central organization but no branch organizations.
  - 2) There were branch organizations.
- 28-1. What was the main motivation for establishing branch organization?
- 1) Formed by representatives dispatched from the central organization
  - 2) Proposed by similar activists and organization from other regions
  - 3) Other (\_\_\_\_\_)
- 28-2. How are the central and branch organizations connect to each other?
- 1) Through official channels
  - 2) Unofficially through personal relationships
  - 3) Work independently without special connections
  - 4) Other (\_\_\_\_\_)
29. Is (Was) there any conflict within the organization?
- 1) Yes
  - 2) No (Go to Q30)

29-1. Which was the most critical conflict within the organization?

- 1) Conflict regarding ideology and policy line
- 2) Conflict regarding organization's operation
- 3) Conflict regarding relationships among members
- 4) Conflict regarding power (conflict of positions and roles)
- 5) Other ( \_\_\_\_\_ )

30. Do (Did) the organization have any ties or interactions with foreign organizations or groups?

- 1) Yes
- 2) No (Go to Q31)

30-1. Please write the name of the organization and form of ties and interactions.

(Examples of ties and interactions: training, finance, personnel dispatch, political pressure, assistance with asylum or escape)

Name of country	Name of organization or group	Form of ties and interaction
1)		
2)		

30-2. Who was the person in charge of handling interactions with foreign organizations and groups?

- 1) Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) Position/Title: \_\_\_\_\_

31. Do (Did) the organization have any ties or interactions with domestic organizations or groups? (Example of ties and interactions: training, finance, personnel dispatch, political pressure, assistance with asylum or escape)

- 1) Yes
- 2) No

31-1. Which organizations or groups did your organization have ties or interactions with? Please write the name of the organization and briefly describe the ties and interactions with the organization.

	Name of organization or group	Description of ties and interactions
1)		
2)		
3)		
4)		
5)		

31-2. What was the most important qualification considered when selecting the person in charge of communication or interaction with other organizations or groups?

- 1) Relationship with internal role and duties
- 2) Personal relationship with members of other organizations
- 3) Other (\_\_\_\_\_)

#### IV. Creation and Maintenance of Networks after the Transformation or the disbanding of the Organization

Please answer this part only if the organization was disbanded or transformed. If the organization was disbanded, please answer questions #32 - 34. If the organization was transformed, please answer questions 35 - 39. If the organization operates without changes, please answer question 40.

※ In case the organization was disbanded.

32. What was the most important reason for disbanding the organization?

- 1) Government oppression (\_\_\_\_\_)
- 2) Goals accomplished (\_\_\_\_\_)
- 3) Goals changed (\_\_\_\_\_)
- 4) Conflict among members (\_\_\_\_\_)
- 5) Other (\_\_\_\_\_)

33. After the organization disbanded, is there any network being maintained?

- 1) There are regularly scheduled official meetings.
- 2) There are irregularly scheduled official meetings.
- 3) There are informal communications between close acquaintances.
- 4) Only meet at special events
- 5) All relationships are severed.
- 6) Other (\_\_\_\_\_)

34. What is the reason for not forming a new organization or rebuild the organization?

- 1) Couldn't agree on the goals and direction of the organization
- 2) Organization's membership and the network collapsed
- 3) Government's continuing surveillance and oppression
- 4) The organization was integrated into another organization
- 5) Other (\_\_\_\_\_)

※ In case the organization was transformed

35. What was the reason for the transformation of the organization?

- 1) Government oppression
- 2) Goals achieved
- 3) Goals changed
- 4) Conflict among members
- 5) Other (\_\_\_\_\_)

36. What is the name of the newly transformed organization and what is its goal? If more than two, please fill in all.

- 1) Name of the organization (\_\_\_\_\_)
- 2) Goal of the organization (\_\_\_\_\_)

37. What is the form of the new organization?

- 1) Transformed to a political party
- 2) Transformed to a for-profit organization (example: Life Co-operative, educational institute, etc.)
- 3) Transformed to a social club
- 4) Transformed to a radical group
- 5) Simple restructuring of the organization (expansive or contractive reproduction)

38. What percentage of the new organization's membership consists of the members of the former organization?

\_\_\_\_\_ %

39. Are the transformed organization's goals the same as the former organization's?

- 1) Identical
- 2) Identical in part
- 3) Completely different