



REMOVE THE LOGS THAT FUEL THE WAR -PEACE AND LOVE TAIWAN Voice of Chinese Australians Commentary 8 18Feb2023

Annette Lu Hsiu-lien (Chinese: 呂秀蓮; pinyin: Lǚ Xiùlián; Peh- e-j : L Siù-liân; born 7 June 1944) is a Taiwanese politician. A feminist active in the tangwai movement, she joined the Democratic Progressive Party in 1990, and was elected to the Legislative Yuan in 1992. Subsequently, she served as Taoyuan County Magistrate between 1997 and 2000, and was the Vice President of the Republic of China from 2000 to 2008.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Annette_Lu

Former vice president Annette Lu (呂秀蓮) received a Women for World Peace award yesterday in South Korea for her advocacy of women's rights and her work to promote wider women's involvement across a wide range of social issues in Taiwan.

<https://www.taipeitimes.com/News/taiwan/archives/2012/03/27/2003528825>

Lu is also an advocate of Women's Rights in Taiwan and published a book "The other Taiwan 1945-92 with a chapter on Women's Liberation: The Taiwanese Experience

<https://www.taylorfrancis.com/chapters/edit/10.4324/9781315485171-21/women-liberation-taiwanese-experience-hsiu-lien-annette-lu>

In recent times, Lu advocated Cross Strait Integration – "an EU style union with China is possible without formally joining the country."

<https://www.taipeitimes.com/News/taiwan/archives/2022/05/08/2003777892>

The Taiwanese media was critical of her ideas and said "Lu is right to want to avoid war, but astonishingly naive in her proposed solution because of her apparent misunderstanding of what the CCP wants of Taiwan."

<https://www.taipeitimes.com/News/editorials/archives/2022/05/12/2003778076>

The Christian Science Monitor published an article called "Why Ukraine inspires Taiwan." The statement "Ukraine today, Taiwan tomorrow!" is ambiguous. This article takes the side of the resilience of Ukrainians while Lu chooses to illustrate the destruction of Ukraine and the sufferings of the Ukrainians. <https://www.csmonitor.com/Commentary/the-monitors-view/2022/0427/Why-Ukraine-inspires-Taiwan>.

Recently, I came across an article sent by a reliable source through social media about Anette Lu talking about the possible US-China war over Taiwan. The speech was described as the most honest voice from her heart. In her dissertation, she made the comparisons of what is happening in the US proxy Ukraine War with Russia, and the consequence to Taiwan, if there is a proxy US war on Taiwan with China.



Despite the lack of a reference for Annette Lu's dissertation, it has a high probability of being genuine. If you Google her speeches, ie. the statements made, then Taiwan is already at the brink of war, says former Vice President Lu.

Taiwan must not become a second Ukraine, <https://www.taiwannews.com.tw/en/news/4640384>

Summary of Annette Lu's dissertation.

(1) She started by warning the "Commander-in-Chief" of Taiwan that other people's children will be killed because of you.

(2) Ukraine has a president who agrees with the United States. As a result, the country is brought to war, millions of people are displaced, and then the responsibility is placed on the aggression of Russia.

Yes, what we see on the surface is that Russia invaded Ukraine, but the origin of the war, *who caused Russia to fight this war in the first instance ? Today it is Ukraine. *Tomorrow will be Taiwan*.

(3) Ukraine's economic adviser to the President, Ustenko said a few days ago that Ukraine has asked the Group of Seven (G7) to provide US\$50 billion in financial support and is considering issuing zero-coupon bonds to help make up for war-related losses in the next six months budget deficit.

(4) Half a year later, supposing the Ukrainian war was won, the astronomical demand for rebuilding the ruins is difficult to estimate, There are 40 million people in Ukraine, 10 million people are refugees, 400,000 people are beggars living on the streets, and the four generations of old, middle-aged and young people who are alive now will no longer have a happy life. It will take 20years for Ukraine to rebuild the country. At the pre-war level, 20 years of reconstruction,* 20 years of stagnation, and a further 40 years of stagnation.

(5) Post-war Ukraine: where to work ? where to sleep ? how to rebuild ? how to survive ? * who will help them ? If you want to know the future life in Ukraine, then go to* Syria, Iraq and Afghanistan after the war. The Iraq war ended fin 2011.What is a street in Baghdad like now ? * How many beggars are there in the streets of Afghanistan and Syria now, and who will help them? Iraq still has oil, what does Ukraine have ?

(6) That is to say, the Ukrainians used its 40 million living and dead people to create the _"brilliant image"_ of the Ukrainian President. Zelensky winning warm applause* in the US



Congress, the British Parliament and the Japanese Parliament, *and becoming the anti-Russian hero of the Western camp, *but what price did the 40 million Ukrainian people pay ?

(7) Zelensky is a hero, but he is still a fool. He should accept it as soon as he sees it, instead of relying on the uneasy and good-hearted war support of the West. Maybe he hasn't figured out what medicine is sold in American gourds.

(8). The victory of the Ukrainian war is a victory for the Americans - NOT Ukraine. The Ukrainian country will be riddled with holes and the people's life will be set back for 40 years. Even if there is a victory, it will be too bitter!.

(9) We think of Taiwan, which has the same fate.* There are 23 million people in Taiwan, and 8.7 million people choose Tsai Ing-wen. In Ukraine, the people can run into neighbouring countries who will accept them as refugees. *Where will a Taiwanese run to as refugees except on the high seas ? Taiwan's politicians, media, and the Internet have portrayed Tsai Ing-wen as a "hot Taiwanese lady" with a tough image. The path you take, following the bidding of the United States is the path of war - everything must have a cause and effect, if you are walking the path of war, so you will usher in the consequences of the war in Taiwan."

Annette Lu Hsiu-lien* will be jointly launching a parade with the theme of *"Peace and Love Taiwan"*.

Although Annette Lu is not the favourite of Beijing, but this time, with her latest dissertation, she has emerged to the right side of history advocating peaceful solutions to the Taiwan issue and. Lu has recognised the true nature of a US proxy war on Taiwan and that the US agenda is to protect her hegemony in the region. In the end, Taiwan will suffer the same fate as Ukraine.

In our humble opinion, peaceful unification of Taiwan to the motherland, if not feasible in one step, a two-step process could be considered by Beijing, ie. step 1- join by Federation as suggested by Lu and

Step 2: Peaceful reunification under the One Country two systems; and (3) No time limit should put on the process.

In a Taiwanese Public Opinion Foundation poll conducted in June 2020, 54% of respondents supported de jure independence for Taiwan, 23.4% preferred maintaining the status quo, 12.5% favored unification with China, and 10% did not hold any particular view on the matter.

Since the number of Taiwanese supporting reunification with China is low, it would be pragmatic for China to allow the status quo to remain and as a rising power in the region, the tide will flow in China's favour.



Hence, all China has to do is sit and wait for Taiwan to come around willingly. This way, it removes the logs that fuel the fire of war and (1) prevent US goading China in using military means to recover Taiwan; (2) Taiwan need not buy expensive armaments from the US since there is no threat from China; (3) no more provocative flexing of US sea and air power in the SCS; (4) telegraph to ASEAN that China is a peaceful nation and a benevolent rising power and (5) apply the lessons learned by the Ukraine War ie. when baited do not bite!

All the above, would give no pleasure to the US deep south warmongers when their reasons for war no longer exist, and peace and prosperity would flow in the Asia Pacific region.

Chinese Australians does not wish to go war with the US over the issue of Taiwan. It is a nightmare issue. Chinese immigrants have experienced death of their relatives and loved ones in the civil war and do not wish to see it restarted because of purely American interests which does not equate to the interests of Chinese Australians or Australia's.

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