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**Submission:**

With the ever increasing advancement of technology allowing as to communicate more then ever, the importance of diverse media has never been more important. In order to protect your democratic values and institution it is vital that media is free and independent as well as diverse to both accurately inform the public and act as a check on political power. This is not possible if majority of media is controlled by one person as absolute power corrupts absolutely, even in the case of information power.