

The Power of One

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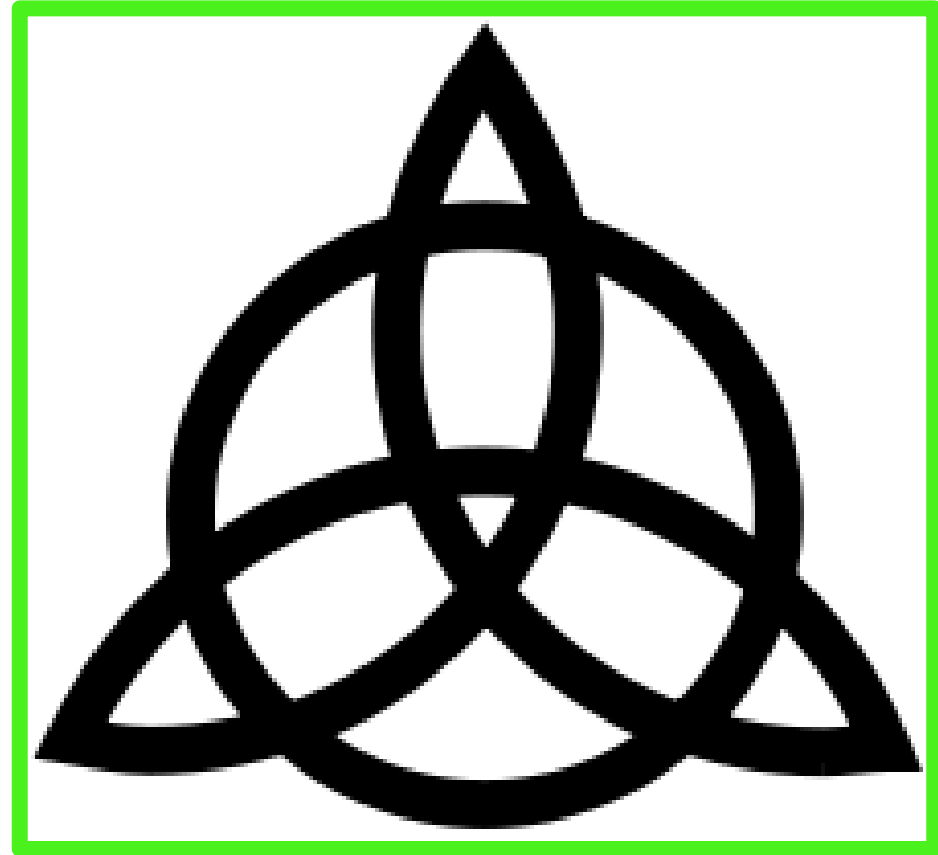
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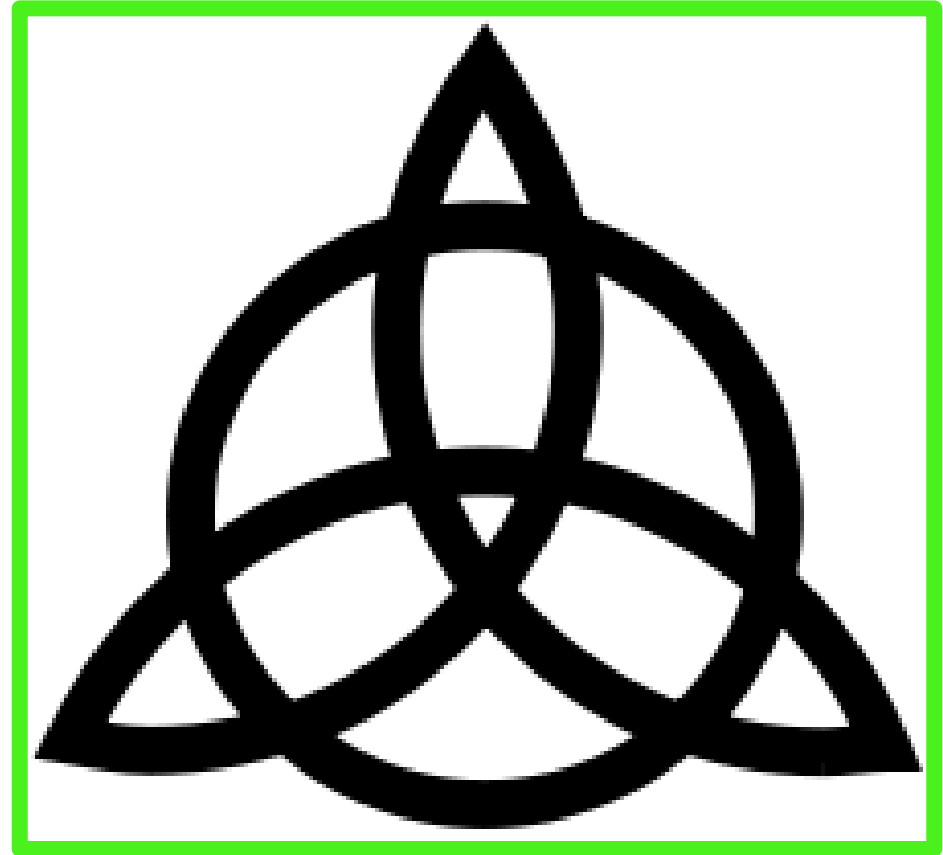
The path is not always a clear choice.



A spaghetti bowl of intersecting, interactive routing diverts attention and may send you in unplanned, unanticipated and undesired directions.

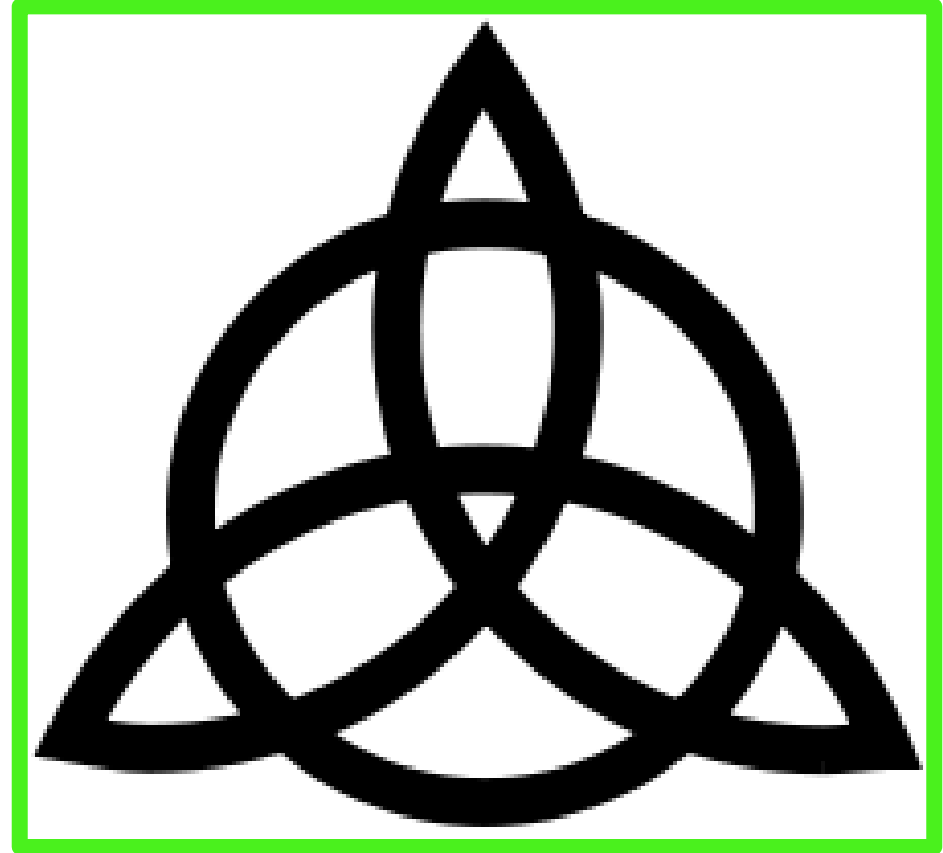
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- A single individual



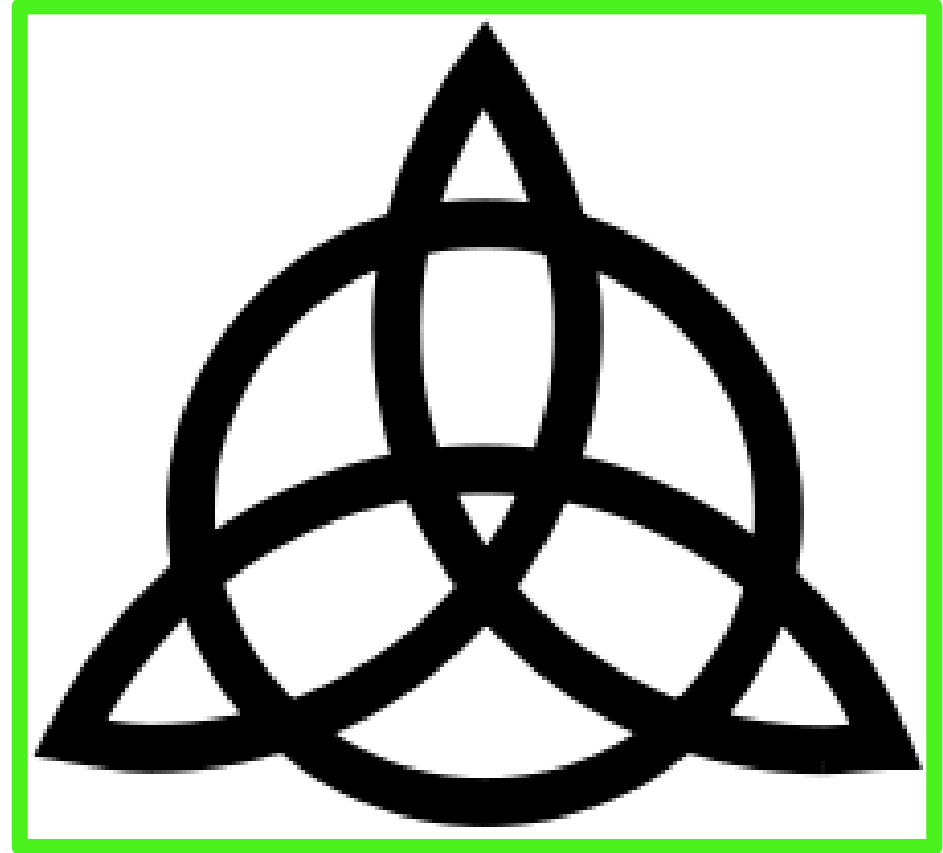
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- A single philosophy

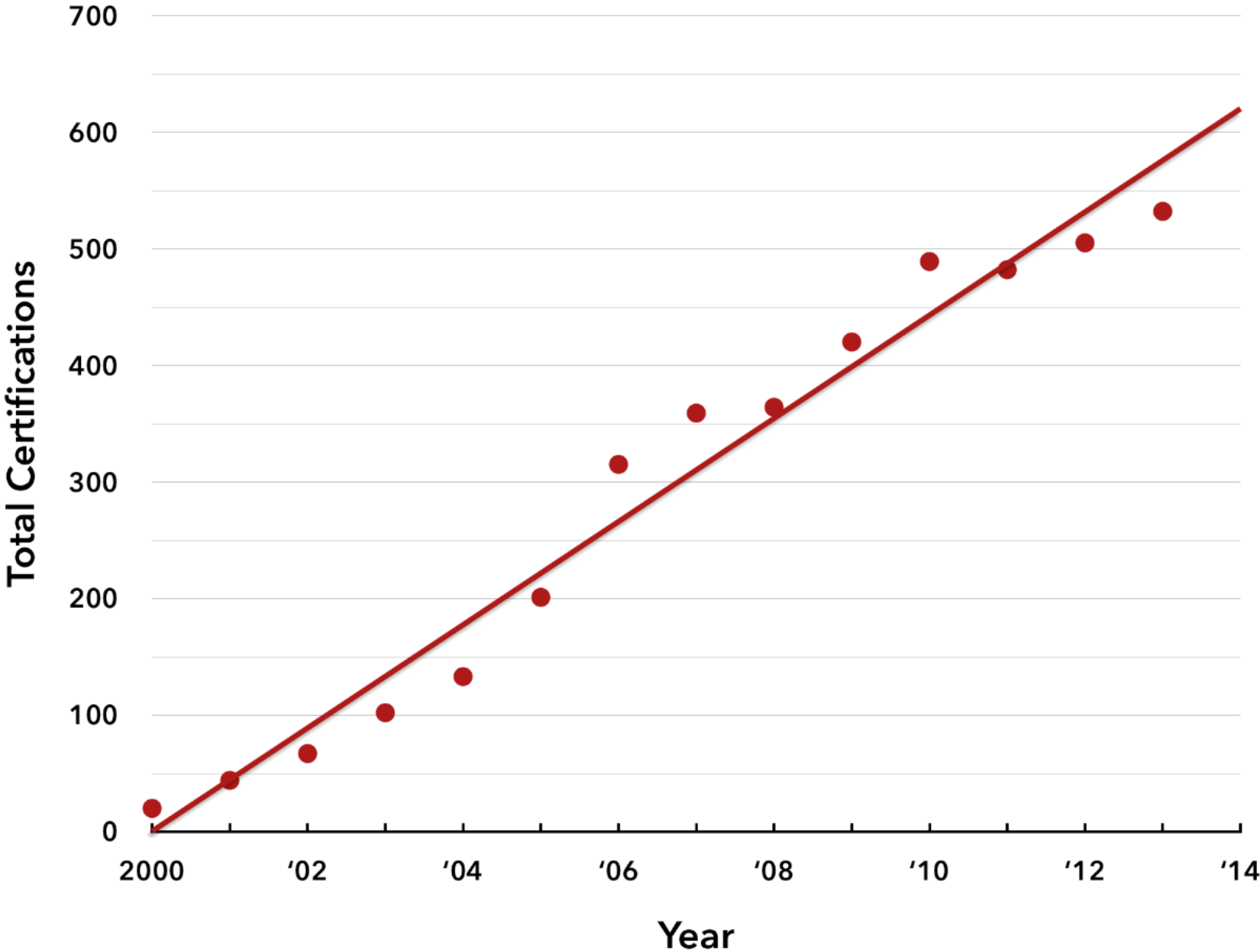


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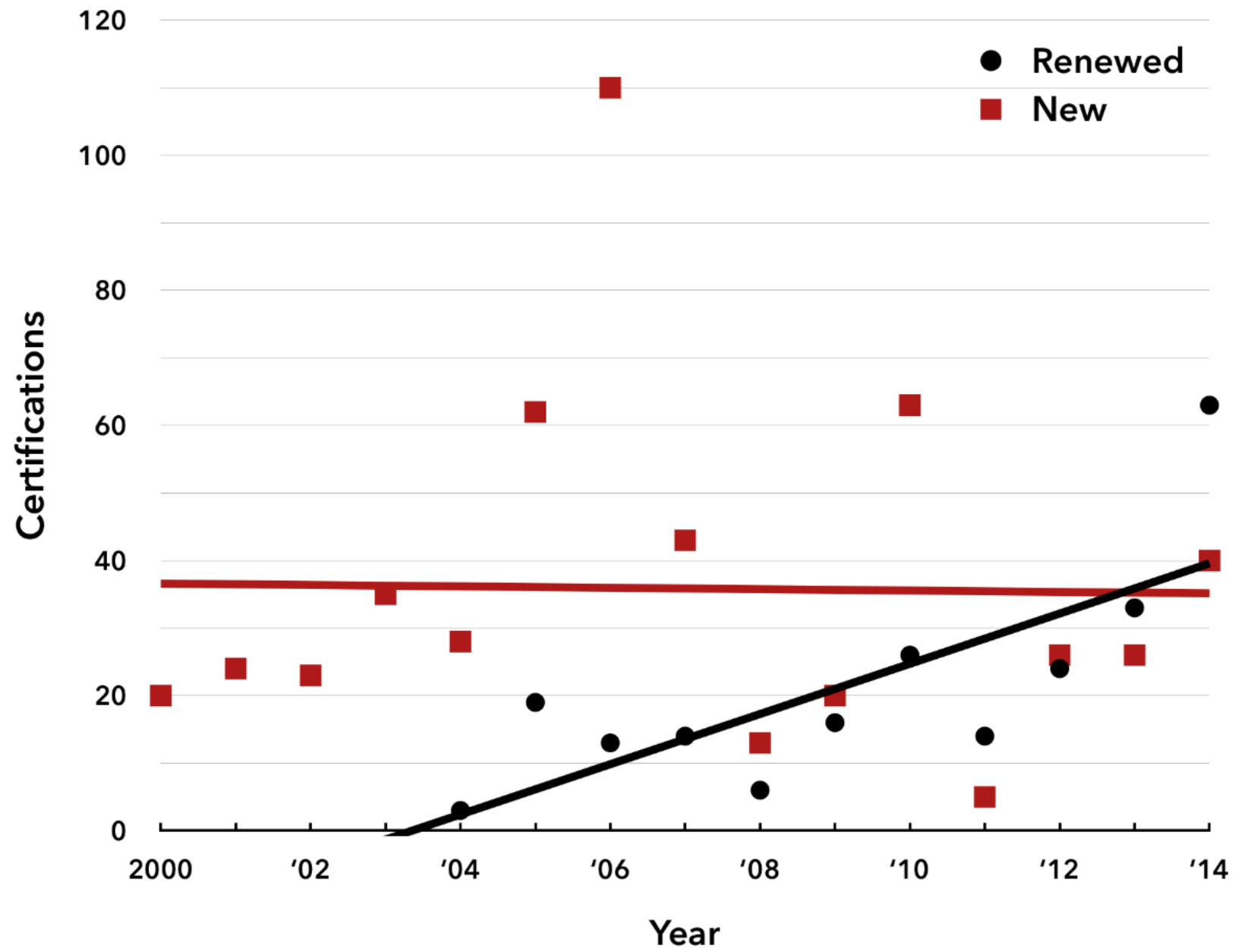
- The unified mind and purpose of an organization



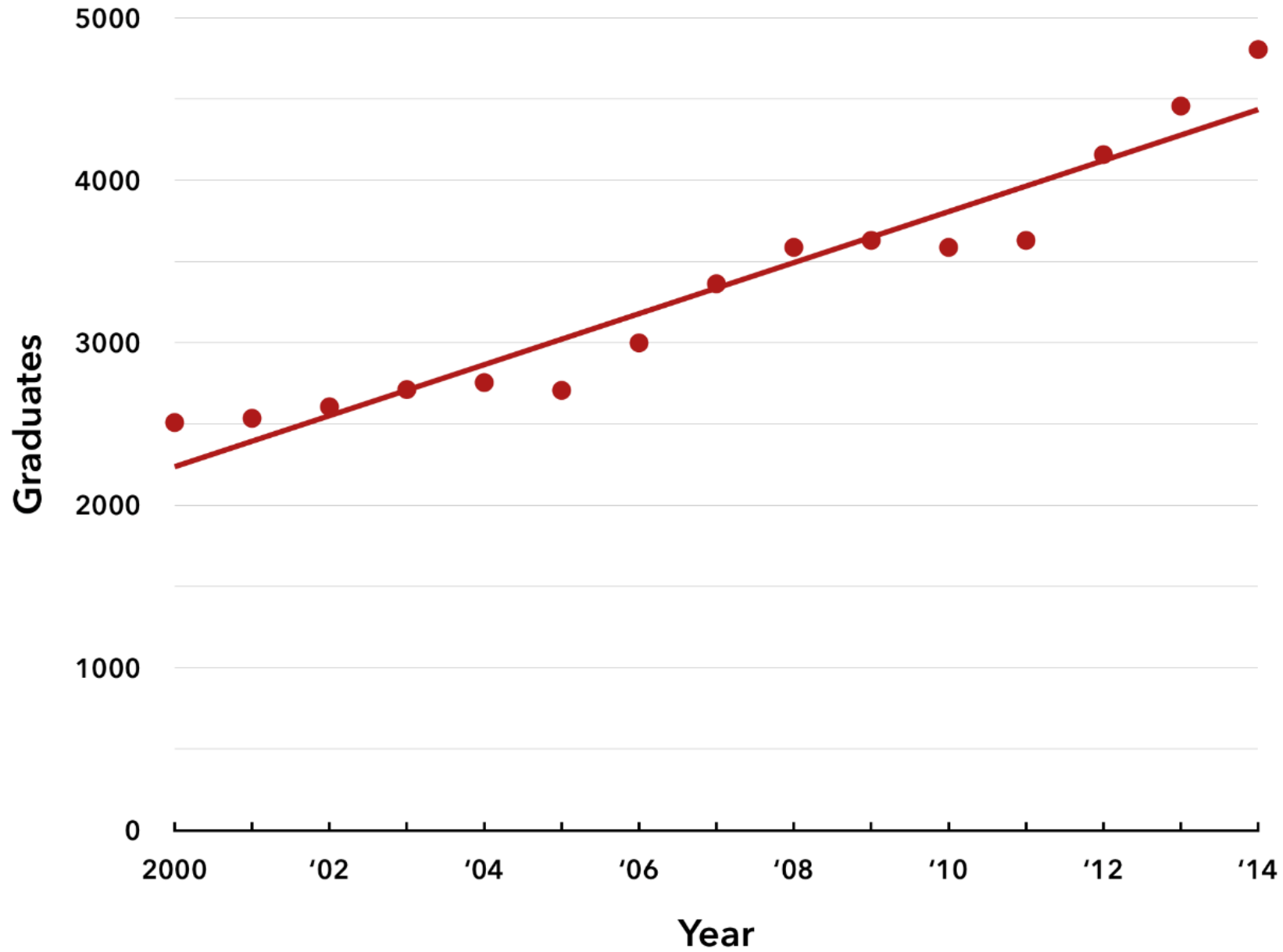
Cumulative AOBNMM Certifications



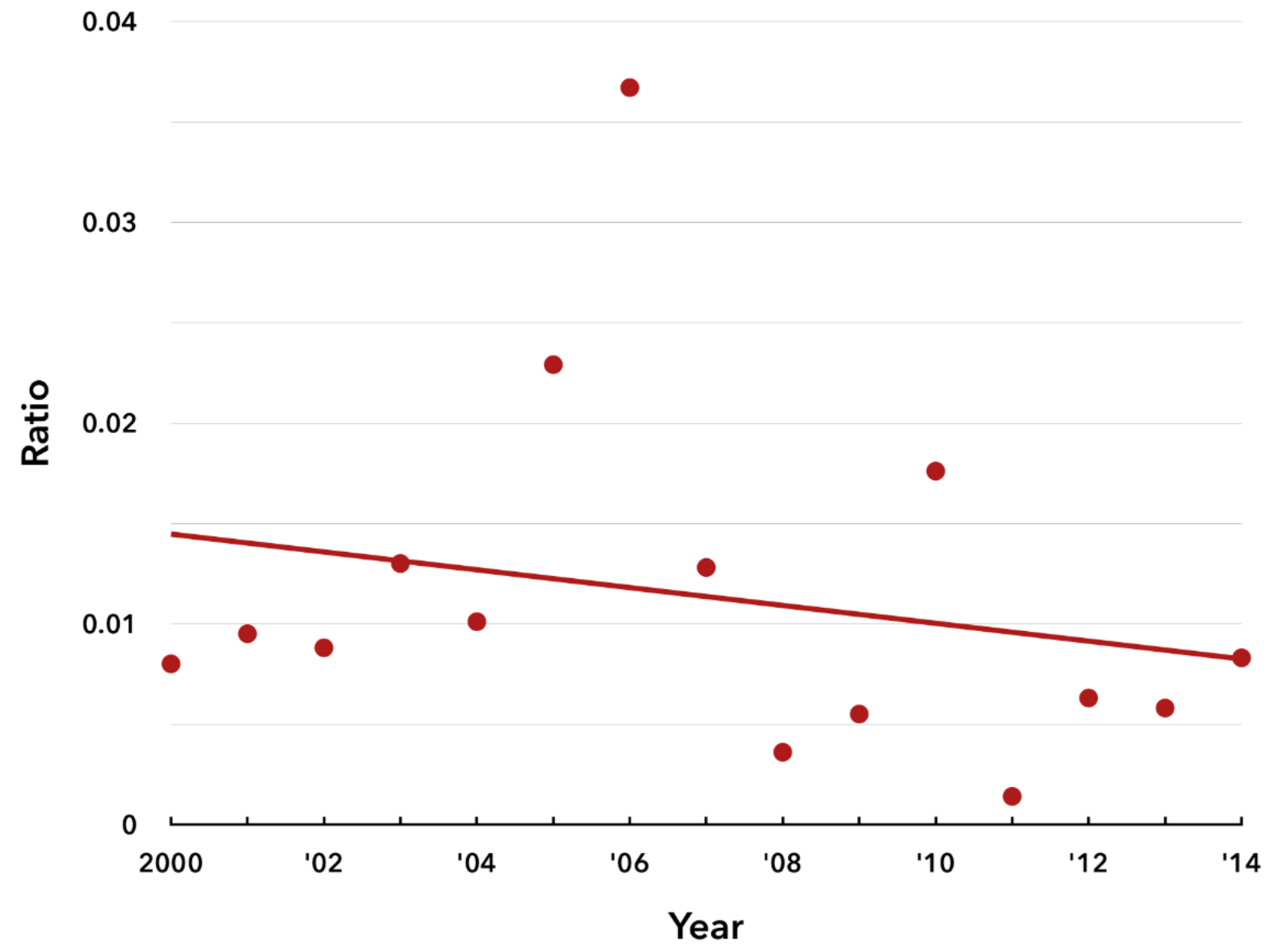
AOBNMM Certifications and Recertifications



Graduates from Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine

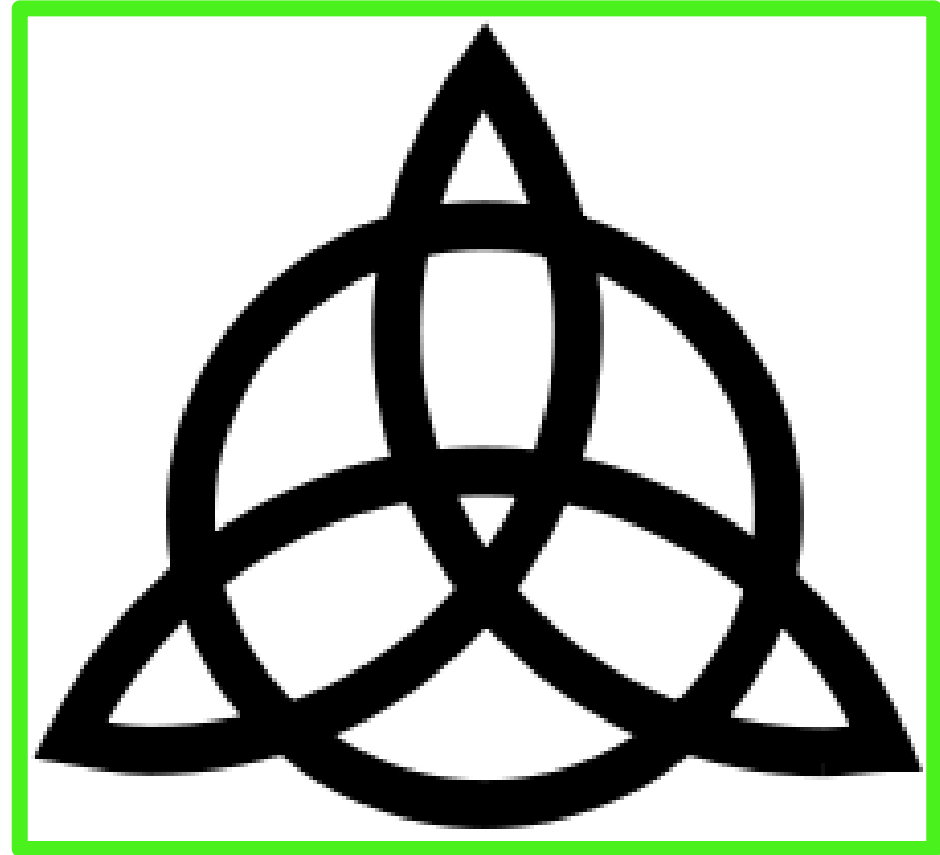


Ratio of New AOBNMM Certifications to Graduates of Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine



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- You, the individual
- The osteopathic medical philosophy
- The unified mind and purpose of our organization
- Speak up. Take positive action.



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- A single philosophy
- The philosophy has evolved from osteopathy to osteopathic medicine, recognizing all proven therapeutic measures.
- This is logical and supportable without neglecting the importance of the original osteopathic discovery: application of anatomic structure to improve physiologic function.
- Review, remember, and teach this philosophy. Be an example of it.



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- The unified mind and purpose of an organization
- Leaders, do your job. Lead and facilitate our own distinctive path.
- Members, support them. They are our representatives. Help them to represent our values by reinforcing the appropriate values to them in your discussions. Medical economics is not the sole topic which should be discussed.



My kingdom for a horse...the power of one

For want of a nail, the shoe was lost;
For want of a shoe, the horse was lost;
For want of a rider, the battle was lost;
For the failure of battle, the kingdom was lost--
And all for the want of a horseshoe nail.

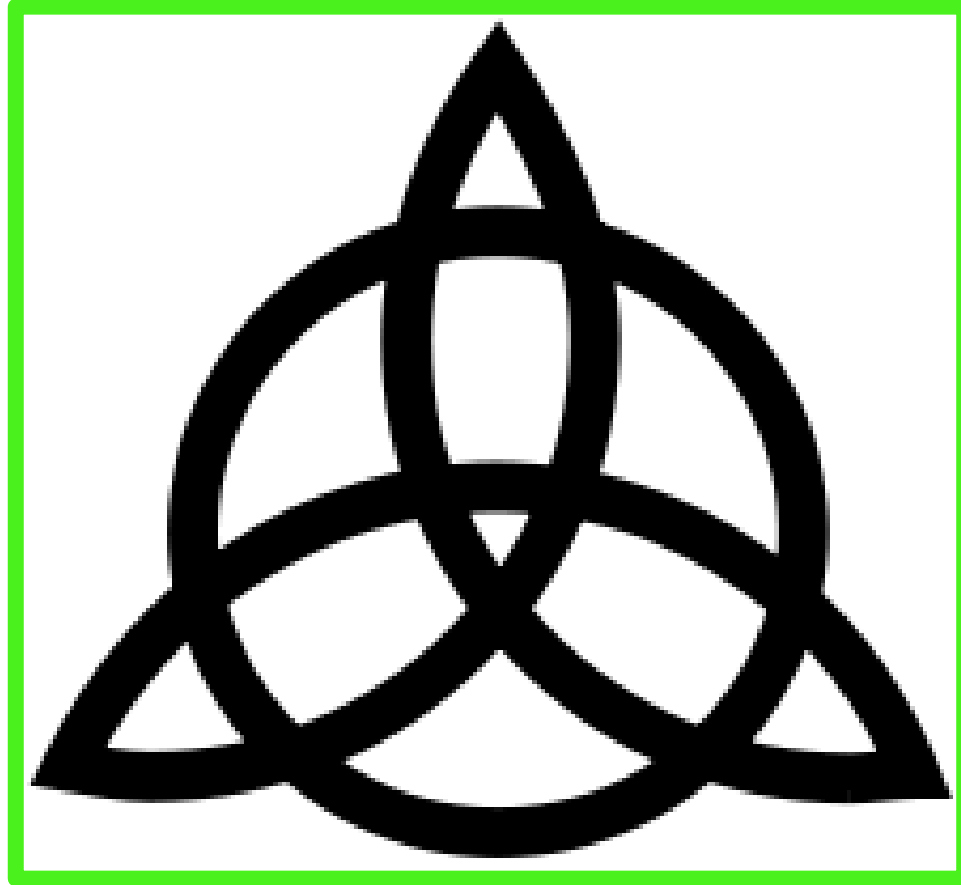


Advice from the Boss and the Founder

- “Tell me, in a world without pity--
Do you think what I'm askin's too much?
I just want something to hold on to—
And a little of that human touch,
Just a little of that human touch,”
- “God have mercy on a man who doubts
what he's sure of.”
 - Bruce Springsteen
- “If you don't preach it, teach it and
practice it, it won't survive.”
 - Andrew Taylor Still, MD, DO



One is a powerful number.



Show me your power to keep this profession alive!