Human evolution, as opposed to that of *Homo sapiens*

**Darwinian (uncivilized) Homo sapiens**
1. Reproduces maximally
2. Seeks advantage for self and offspring
3. Sees others as competitors, nuisances, or resources to be exploited
4. Cooperates with others only to the extent sufficient for #2 above.
5. Attends to future only to the extent sufficient for #2 above

**Human (civilized) Homo sapiens**
- Reproduces at most at a rate that sustains a sustainable population
- Seeks advantage for all, including non-offspring
- Sees others as possible collaborators, or at least as beings who deserve as much respect as oneself ("Do unto others as on you would want them to do to you")
- Much cooperation with others
- Much attention to future

The essence of human civilization is cooperation toward a better future.

*It is up to each one of us to be a truly human being.*