I was interested in knowing if it is possible to add Adinkra as a part of Unicode so that the Akan peoples of Modern Day Ghana and Ivory Coast can write in it. Adinkra goes back to the 17th century and has been used in Akan society since then. Some examples of it are shown below. Adinkra is now a written script used in Ghana in small societies and I feel that it should be able to be typed on the Internet.

Many would consider the alphabet below the official Adinkra Alphabet, used for Ashanti, Ewe, Dagbani and Ga. As you can see, most of the symbols descend from the previous Adinkra which was very much used in Akan society. In the end, the script should come out looking something like what is attached below. (Scroll below) If you want, I will have not one problem joining Unicode and helping with this project. West African scripts such as N'Ko are newly created scripts, while Adinkra goes all the way back to the 17th century named after Nana Kofi Adinkra. The Modern Day Adinkra will only be a descendent and more simplified version of Adinkra, but at the end of the day it is still Adinkra. Thank you for taking the time to read my message and request and please do get back to me if would like to get this project started.

-Sincerely, Yaw
ADINKRA ALPHABET

(Akan, Ewe, Ga and Dagbani-Simplified)

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Suffering anywhere concerns people everywhere.

Martin Luther King, Jr