

Foucault For the Masses [Collaborative Project]

Overview: Students will collaborate to present Foucault's theory to a general audience

Learning Outcomes Met

- Outcome 3: Students will assess literary works and real world applications using Foucault's theories
- Outcome 6: Students will collaborate with peers to further their understanding of Foucault's theories

Assignment Details: As a group, you will work together to design and create a project that presents Foucault's power theory to a general audience. This project may take any form that will be *readily accessible* to a general audience. By readily accessible, I mean that the project must run itself unlike a project that is designed to be *presented* to an audience.

Guidelines: As you begin to discuss ideas for the project, keep the following guidelines nearby. Your collaborative project must:

- Be a cohesive project that explores a concept or concepts discussed in the assigned readings
- Demonstrate a concentrated effort of the group to work together
- Be created in such a way that the audience can view the project without assistance from the group

Participation and Guidance: You may use the collaborative group workspace in Blackboard to work on your project, from brainstorming to the final project. You will receive a grade for your collaborative work (see Collaborative Effort, below), so some aspect of your work each week needs to be visible. I will also be checking this area of Blackboard to see what forms of guidance I can offer as you begin to design the project and consider how you will work forward.

I recommend that you view the text, audio, and video materials available in the resources section as you begin. There are many good examples there of projects that may provide ideas for your own project; however, do not limit yourself to these ideas. Think about the various technologies that are available to you and use the texts as an inspiration as you work forward.