

Deadline: (last but one seminar) 12th of December 23:49

Volume: 1800 words min (no upper limit)

References: GOST-2008 - <https://docs.cntd.ru/document/1200063713> (or Chicago).

Footnotes!!!

N of sources: minimum 5 academic sources. No limit on non-academic sources ("grey literature"). Critical analysis!

Themes: take the problem, narrow it to an aspect. Draft it, ask for help.

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Essay Assessment

Understanding (1-3 points):

- (a) student critically engages with the literature covered during the course;
- (b) student understands the theory he/she uses;

Writing (1-4 points):

- (a) essay is structured (its elements (question, arguments, conclusions) are logically interconnected);
- (b) the thesis/question of the essay is clearly formulated;
- (c) paragraphs are structured (key sentence; arguments; intermediate conclusion, link to the next P);
- (d) student uses appropriate theoretical language to express his/her ideas in the essay.

Presenting (1-3 points):

- (a) the essay conforms to the presentation requirements (no less than 1800 words (no upper limit), 12-point type size, 1.5 spacing, title, subtitles should be bold);

- (b) the layout is easy-to read (parts of essay are separated from each other, paragraphs are separated from each other, pages are numbered);
- (c) references are done accurately, uniformly and in one citation style (~~style is discussed with your seminar teacher~~) *GOST