

PLSC 308: Introduction to Political Research

Assignment One

January 20, 2016

This assignment is simple: Read one of the following three articles, and identify *five* methods/research design topics/phrases that you do not understand.

- Segal and Cover (1989) (available at <http://www.jstor.org/stable/1962405>)
- Reiter (1999) (available at <http://www.jstor.org/stable/174672>)
- Stimson (2012) (available [here](#))

Your assignment should simply take the form of a numbered list. It should be submitted to me electronically (at zorn@psu.edu), in *Adobe PDF format*. This assignment is due no later than 6:00 p.m. ET on Thursday, January 28, 2016, and is worth 50 points.