CLUE Arch 351 Assignment 1

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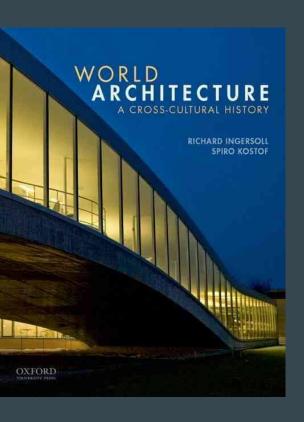
Assignment 1

Due Friday, January 12 : 9:00am on Canvas

Assignment 1	10%	(20 points)
Assignment 2	15%	(30 points)
Assignment 3	15%	(30 points)
Midterm	20%	
Final	30%	
Poll Everywhere	10%	

100%

Assignment 1: Select A Work



Assignment 1: Seeing Architecture

Assignment 2: Reading and Writing History

Assignment 3: Knowing Architecture

Select a work of architecture that:

- 1) was created between 1400 and 1750,
- 2) is discussed in textbook, Chapters 10-13
- 3) was actually built <u>and</u> still stands.
- 4) is a single structure or building (not a complex)

Assignment 1: Description & Bibliography

For the first assignment, write a 1-page description of the building and provide an annotated bibliography of 2-3 potential research resources (for later assignments).

Your 1-page description should provide a brief introduction to the building for your audience, allowing the reader to imagine and envision the work. Essentially you are writing an evocative description that draws in your reader in an experiential fashion and in your own words. This should be purely descriptive rather than analytical. It need not entail exhaustive research or critique of the site but should be developed from your own close observation of the visual material you have identified for the site.

It should include the name of the building, location, designer (if known), client, and general context. If you borrow descriptions from other authors, such as a quote, remember to cite your source.

Assignment 1: Grading

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Criteria		Ratings		
logical presentation of the building, including representative images	5.0 pts Full Marks	0.0 pts No Marks	5.0 pts	
completeness of description	5.0 pts Full Marks	0.0 pts No Marks	5.0 pts	
clarity of writing, including correct terminology	5.0 pts Full Marks	0.0 pts No Marks	5.0 pts	
bibliography: quality and range of sources, inclusion of brief annotations, bibliographic form	5.0 pts Full Marks	0.0 pts No Marks	5.0 pts	
		Total Po	ints: 20.0	

15 points: Description + Images

5 points: Annotated Bibliography

20 points

Assignment 1: Grading

15 points: Description + Images

5 points: Logic and clarity of presentation

Can the reader follow what is being written? Does it follow a logical presentation? Are the images representative of the work? Do they help "illustrate" your main points?

5 points: Completeness of description

Have you focused on the most important things? Are you selective with what is described?

• 5 points: Clarity of writing

Use of appropriate architectural terminology (e.g., "fluted column" not "ridged column") Writing is free from major grammatical errors

*Visit CLUE Writing Center or Odegaard W&R Center for additional help with writing

GSAs can review outlines and assist with specific questions regarding content during office hours or by appointment.

Assignment 1: Grading

5 points: Annotated Bibliography

- Quality of written and electronic sources (are they authoritative?)
- Follows style guide
- Annotation describes source and how it relates to later assignments
- Meets minimum number of sources, <u>excluding Ingersoll</u>

(Ingersoll will receive credit in Assignment 1, but <u>not</u> in later assignments)

Think about the work as an architect would:

Function/typology (house, church, etc.)

Site

Plan

Elevation (exterior)

Section (interior)

Minor details, only as necessary

Also consider

(use as appropriate):

Materials

Colors

Light

Overall form

Style

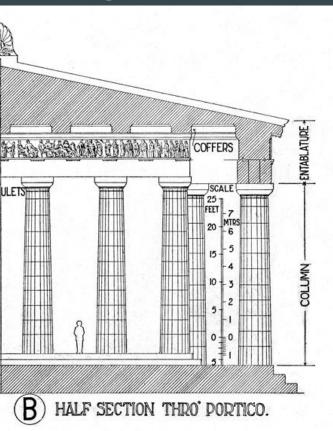
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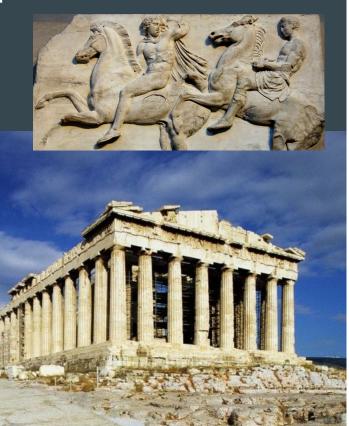
Context (urban/rural)

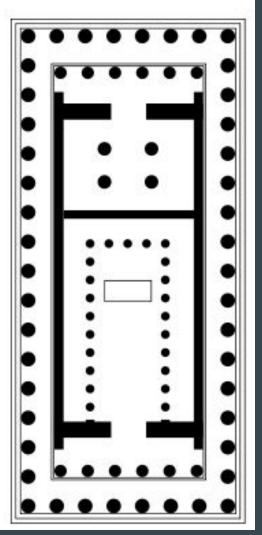
Climate

Movement

Structure & Ornament







Identify: Parthenon, Athens, Greece (432 BCE)

Function/typology: temple; dedicated to goddess Athena

Site: located on hill \rightarrow prominent location in Athens

Plan: rectangular

double row of columns at each end

interior cella

Elevation (exterior): Doric order, symmetrical, white marble, ruins

shallow steps, entablature and frieze (significance?)

Section (interior): coffered ceiling, interior frieze, statue of Athena

Details, as necessary: use of entasis, proportioning systems

once in polychrome

two column orders



Clearly introduce the work in opening paragraph (architect, date, location, setting, impression, etc.)

Describe its overall function, form, etc. before moving into specific details

site \rightarrow exterior/plan \rightarrow interior \rightarrow minor details (just a suggestion... there are other ways too!)

Close with your conclusions about the work and note any questions raised by your observations

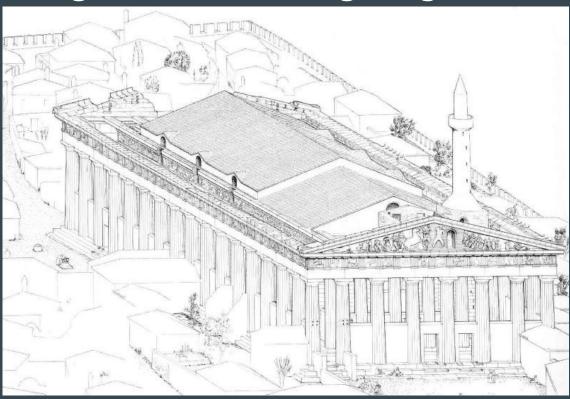


Tips for Writing:

- 1 page written description
- Avoid lengthy headers; devote space to content
- Images and bibliography on additional pages
- Select a single structure (not an entire complex)
- Avoid first person
- Proofread
- Read aloud!

Why do we require images with the paper?

What is a "good" image?



Is this a "good image" for the assignment?

Why or why not?

Is this a "good image" for Assignment 2?

Why or why not?

Figure 1: Rendering of Parthenon shows what it may have looked like as a mosque during Ottoman rule. (Hexapolis)

ARTstor is an image database of art and architecture (Access through UW Libraries Catalog)

2 - 4 images

Tip: Try to include both an overall image and plant to easily convey a lot of information.

Provide a figure number with every image
Use the image and reference with a figure number to help illustrate your text
Images go at the end of the paper
All images should have a caption and source
No need to draw your own; photos and published images work best here.

Tip: Use the images to help build your description.

The plan is rectangular. There are eight columns at either end and seventeen on the sides. There is a double row of columns at either end. The colonnade surrounds an inner masonry structure, the *cella*, which is divided into two compartments.

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Reference image by figure number in text.

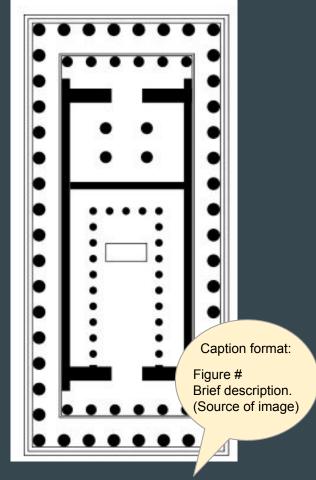


Figure 1. Plan of the Parthenon. (Source)

Assignment 1: Bibliography

 \bigstar Tip: Consider completing this part of the assignment first.

Your annotated bibliography should include 2-3 potential sources that might be useful for your research. For each resource include a sentence stating why or how it might be helpful. You do not need to read entire articles or books at this initial stage or summarize these sources. You will continue to expand and revise this annotated bibliography in the next two assignments.

Citation + What it is + Why it is relevant

Assignment 1: Bibliography: Selecting Sources

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Consider:
Author's Background
Peer Review
Academic Publisher
Educational Websites (.edu or .org)

Assignment 1: Bibliography: Searching for Sources

Biographies: Oxford Art Online ("eBook" version)

Books: **UW Libraries Catalog**

Journals (Databases): <u>JSTOR</u>, <u>Avery Index to Architectural Periodicals</u>

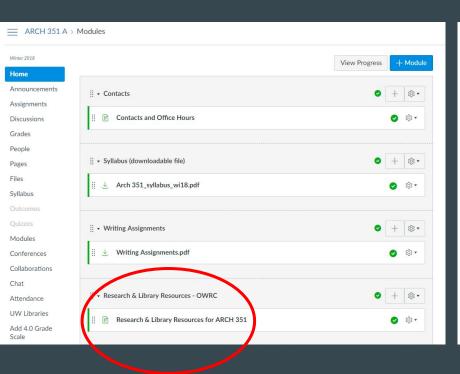
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Images: <u>ARTstor</u>, <u>Archnet</u> (MIT/Aga Khan)

Additional suggestions included on "Research & Library Sources" page in Canvas.

Tip: Follow links (subject terms, author names) and bibliographies in articles and books for related materials. "Compiled" or "digest" sources such as textbooks and encyclopedia articles will not receive full credit after Assignment 1.

Assignment 1: Bibliography: Searching for Sources



Research & Library Resources for ARCH 351

Odegaard Library-recommended research sources and help for your ARCH 351 research and writing assignments.

Search these online encyclopedia collections for background articles on your monument -- these "Wikipedia-like" articles are written by scholars.

- . ☑ Oxford Reference Online ☑ includes the Grove Art Online, a recommended starting point
- . Gale Virtual Reference Library &

Scholarly research sources in Anthropology and History

- . JSTOR & find online, scholarly articles on a wide variety of subjects
- · Historical Abstracts e find articles written on modern world history (Africa, Asia, Australia, Europe & Latin America from 1450 on)

These research guides recommend additional research resources:

- History
- Architecture
- Art
- Commodity & trade research

We are happy to help with your research and writing!

Meet with a librarian or writing tutor in the Odegaard Writing & Research Center &, hours: Monday - Thursday 9am to 9pm, Friday 9am to 4:30pm, Sunday 12pm to 9pm in Odegaard Library.

Need quick questions answered about doing research or using the UW Libraries?

Check out our quick learning videos on the library YouTube channel &

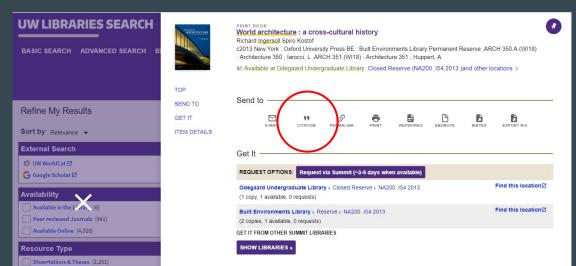


Tip: Live links in Canvas for easy access.

Assignment 1: Bibliography: Citation

Use a consistent style (MLA or Chicago)
Always check for accuracy

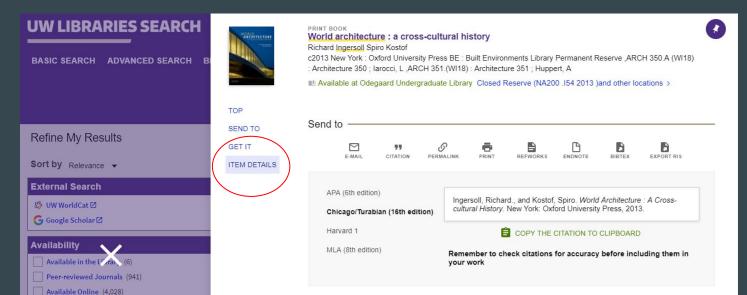
 \bigstar Tip: Citation generators may not always pick up the publisher and date correctly.



Assignment 1: Bibliography: Annotation

What it is + Why it is relevant

 \bigstar Tip: "Item Details" in UW catalog may contain a long summary about the source.



Assignment 1: Bibliography: Annotation

What it is + Why it is relevant

Textbooks are OK for Assignment 1, but you <u>must</u> find a different type of source for Assignments 2 & 3 that does not rely on "compiled" or "digest" information.

Consider Ingersoll's endnotes for additional sources.

What it is:

University textbook by architectural historian Richard Ingersoll covers the history of architecture, with particular attention to global history and social context.

Why it is relevant:

Chapter 4.3 provides historical background on the Greek city-state and the acropolis.

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Good luck!

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