

HOMEWORK 12

DUE WEDNESDAY, 15 APRIL

This is a short homework assignment in which we ask you to write a short proposal for your paper. You don't need to write this on paper; you should type it directly into Blackboard. I'll create the submission "box" soon.

If you haven't looked at the paper assignment, go read it. Then, answer:

1. Briefly, what topic do you want to write about? (Tell us what your example of flawed science process is.)
2. Briefly, what was the failing in the process of science?
3. Was this a result of an honest mistake, of negligence among folks who really should have known better ("pseudoscience"), or a deliberate attempt to deceive others?
4. What are a few sources you plan to get information from about your topic?

That's it! The idea here is to ensure that everyone is thinking about their paper in advance, rather than writing it at the last minute. (Not surprisingly, if you don't think about your paper the day before it's due, you probably won't do all that well...)