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## Research Project - Workday #2

*Today is the last in-class workday on your project. You still have nearly a month to work on it, but do not expect any more extended periods of in-class work time.*

### Presentation Date

Write down the day that you are scheduled to give your presentation here: \_\_\_\_\_

### Project Checklist

- ☐ Have I turned my Annotated Bibliography and made corrections to get my 20/20? Remember, your grade is frozen after Friday.
- ☐ Do I know my topic well enough that I can explain it in my own words?
- ☐ Do I know my topic well enough that I can answer questions about it?
- ☐ Does my project thoroughly cover the physics of my topic (not just the history or the biography)?
- ☐ Is my presentation 5-7 minutes?
- ☐ Do I have both a *visual aid* and a *presentation aid*?
- ☐ Are all my sources cited in my presentation aid? Even any new sources I've used? Remember, all sources need to be cited (although not annotated.)

### Visual Aid

- You are to have one visual aid *which substantially contributes to understanding your topic*. (For example, a picture of Albert Einstein does not substantially contribute to our understanding of Einstein. A diagram of how the photoelectric effect—something he is famous for describing—works does substantially contribute.) A visual aid is distinct from your *presentation aid*.
- Examples of visuals include: a 3D model/diaramma, a graph, a flow chart, an experiment, a diagram, a model, a comic book, a pop-up book, or a skit.
- Your visual should be something you've made, not just a Google Image. It can be based off of something you've found, but you should do something to make it your own.
- If you use or are inspired by any visuals you have found from another source, *you need to make sure that source gets cited*.
- You need to be able to explain your visual.

### Helpful Links

All materials that you have been given are available on Schoology in the “**Research Project Information**” folder. Quick Links to some of the highlights are provided below for convenience:

- Research Pathfinder: <https://go.rohrbachscience.com/pathfinder>
- List of Topic Assignments: <https://go.rohrbachscience.com/project-topics>
- Turn in Annotated Bibliography: <https://go.rohrbachscience.com/annotated-bib>
- Project Assignment & Rubric: <https://go.rohrbachscience.com/project-assignment>