

Social theory requirements:

Each week: 2 leaders of discussion on the reading

1-3 page paper to be circulated to the class by 2 hours before class:

- either (a): re-write in your own words a puzzling, infuriating, obscure passage from the readings; explain what you think the author intended, and explain why your wording is better
- write up a empirical research idea, the core idea for a proposal; from the newspaper, from interviewing on the MIT campus, Boston area (or phone or email interview). Relate it to the readings/ social-cultural theory

at least 3 of the weekly papers should be the latter

collect key STS quotes/challenges