**Research Paper Assignment Instructions**

**Due: April 7, 2015**

Craft an essay that provides analytical insight to any theme, idea, artist or artwork from any of our classes.

Topics: What are you interested in researching? What areas of study intrigue you? Find some area of art that interests you enough that you will enjoy your research experience.

* Themes and ideas from any class
* Biography of an artist, single work of art or set of artworks
* Do not simply generate a summary of an art movement or time period
* Be analytical, observant and insightful
* Apply a theoretical perspective: feminism, political use of art, social justice, etc.
* Be ready next week to give the instructor a brief statement about your topic on Feb. 11

**Due: April 7, 2015 uploaded to Turnitin by midnight of that date. (No late work will be accepted without a UNT excused absence.)**

**The Mechanics**

Your paper should be organized in the following order. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask.

* Cover page
* 4-6 pages of text
* Illustrations in a separate section at the end, with identifying information
  + Refer to these images by writing in parentheses: (see Figure 3)
* Chicago style citations--use these **often**, for quotes and any specific information
* Use end notes
* 12 point font, double spaced, 1 inch margins, Times New Roman font