

Writing & Presentation

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Writing Assignment Details

All assignments must be turned in as a live web page; your account on Homer is the logical place (but not the only place) to house these.

Assignments will be finalized after week one; I am planning to incorporate the types of content that class members are personally interested in developing, if that content is missing from this list. Tentatively:

1. **Due : 22 April @ 6pm**

A "how-to" article.

1. The article should be deployed via HTML (you can publish it on your blog, although this is not the preferred method because it does not demonstrate understanding of HTML/technology).
2. Text and at least one image is required. This may be at a multi-page document.
3. Post the following to eSubmit in a document:
 - Title
 - Audience - identify your assumptions about your audience; remember "everyone" doesn't exist!
 - Purpose - your purpose in writing this article
 - Task List - divide your instructions into learning tasks
 - URL

Preferred Examples:

- [Ceiling fan selection and installation](#)
- [Converting ReplayTV Files for DVD - Mac OSX](#)
- [Creating background maps for Garmin GPS](#)
- [How to do things](#) - directory
- [How to paint water drops](#)

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"Advice" Examples (alternative - does not demonstrate task break-down/understanding):

- o [10 steps to keeping an ongoing journal](#)
- o [How to be an effective manager](#)

2. **Due : 13 May @ 6pm**

A selection from the following list:

- o Analyze and revise a workplace document -- this should be an important document (it matters); it must need to be revised; it must have illustration (or the potential for you to add illustration)
- o Create a promotion for a product or service.
- o Write a short story.
- o Write an essay designed to persuade.
- o Create a storyboard for a story or web site.
- o Other: if your interests are not represented here, make me a proposal.

1. The article should be deployed via HTML (you can publish it on your blog, although this is not the preferred method because it does not demonstrate understanding of HTML/technology).
2. Text, illustration and external supporting links required; must be a multi-page document.
3. Post the following to eSubmit (assignment 3) in a document:
 - Title
 - Audience - identify your assumptions about your audience; remember "everyone" doesn't exist!
 - Purpose - your purpose in writing this article
 - URL

3. **Due: 3 June @ 6pm**

A technical paper or research paper.

1. The article should be deployed via HTML (you can publish it on your blog, although this is not the preferred method because it

does not demonstrate understanding of HTML/technology).

2. Text, illustration, references [citations or endnotes] and external supporting links required; should be a multi-page document with a "print" version.
3. Post the following to eSubmit in a document:
 - Title
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