

ENV 2073
Global Warming: Science and Politics of a Contemporary Issue

Writing Assignment #1
Stage 4 – Rough draft
Due Thursday, February 14, 2019

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The fourth part of the first paper assignment is a *complete rough draft* of your paper, including a properly-formatted *reference list* with full bibliographic information. Here are the parameters:

- It is due on Thursday, February 14, at the beginning of class.
- The rough draft will count for 10% of your project grade.
- Each group should submit *three hard copies*, stapled or bound. Please be sure to staple or otherwise bind your rough drafts – do not turn them in loose.
- Also upload one electronic copy to Canvas under the proper place in the “Assignments” tab. Canvas will check your rough draft for plagiarism. For the rough draft, you will *not* be penalized for plagiarism. However, if you plagiarize on your final paper, you will earn 0/50 on the final paper!! – so you want to know *now* if you have any issues with plagiarism. Therefore, uploading the rough draft to Canvas is for your own benefit only, to help ensure that you don’t earn a zero on the final paper.
- Use APA style, including double spacing. It is fine to use double-sided printing (save paper).
- APA style says that you should include a title page on p 1, include an abstract on p 2, and begin your text on p 3. For this paper, you can omit the abstract. Include the title page as p 1, then begin your text on p 2.
- Follow APA format on the title page.
- You must include at least 10 references. Web sites don’t count towards your 10. You must give complete bibliographic citation for your references, using proper format for the citations. The references can be the same ones you submitted previously, or you can make changes from your previous list.
- For this stage, you will be graded on effort and presentation, not on content. If I determine that you have made a “good-faith effort” to submit a complete draft (including complete references), and to format it properly, then you will receive full credit (or close to it). If pieces are missing, or if your draft was obviously thrown together at the last minute, or if it appears that you have mostly ignored APA style, then you will not receive full credit.
- If you put in some significant effort on the rough draft, then it will maximize the benefit that you get out of the peer review (part five), and will ultimately improve your final product. Therefore I encourage you to do a good job on the rough draft, not just throw something together at the last minute.

- Your final papers will be evaluated on the 10 criteria listed in the ENV 2073 *writing rubric*. The rubric is posted on Canvas, explaining each of the 10 criteria and guiding you on how to make your paper as strong as you can. Have these criteria in mind while you prepare your rough draft.

If you have questions about the requirements...ask!