VIC164 IDEAS & THEIR CONSEQUENCES

PART 1: MAKING SCHOLARLY CHOICES

Activity #1: What characteristics distinguish scholarly from non-scholarly publications? If you had an example of each in front of you, how would you discriminate between them? Take 1-2 minutes to list the characteristics you would look for to distinguish scholarly from popular sources.

Activity #2: the VIC164 Course Guide has links to articles in the "In-class assignment" section. In groups of two or three, evaluate each to determine which is scholarly, which is reliable but not scholarly (peer reviewed), and which is popular. Do not try to read the entire article. Instead, scan each article with the criteria for distinguishing scholarly from popular publications in mind. Focus on the first and last pages of each article.

1. Is Article 1 scholarly, reliable, or popular? Why?

2. Is Article 2 scholarly, reliable, or popular? Why?

3. Is Article 3 scholarly, reliable, or popular? Why?

4. Is Article 4 scholarly, reliable, or popular? Why?

PART 1: CITING YOUR SOURCES

Activity #3: Search the U of T library catalogue and the MLA International Bibliography database to find a book, a book chapter, and a scholarly journal article (peer-reviewed) on either *Madame Bovary* or *Don Quixote*. Provide the proper citation for each in MLA Style below.

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Scholarly journal article:

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