

FINAL EXAM

CREATIVE REFLECTION

HABILIDADES (SKILLS)

- Creativity
- Innovation
- Using social media to promote social change and awareness

TAREA (ASSIGNMENT)

Your final exam offers you an opportunity to reflect on what you have learned in this course. Your goal is to create a visual representation of something that impacted you personally—directly related to the course—that you'd like to share with the rest of the world.

Step 1: The Project

To begin, please think carefully about the relationship between your own personal life and the different topics we have discussed throughout the semester. What aspects of the course were most enlightening to you? Was there one topic that you enjoyed more than others? And if so, why? What was it about this topic that stood out?

Once you narrow down your interest to a topic, or series of topics (racism, inequalities, gender biases, immigration, etc.), think carefully about what you'd like to communicate to the rest of the world. For example, if you were blown away by the depth of global inequalities, how might you visually communicate what you learned to others? Or, if you were amazed at the subconscious nature of racism, what might you be able to create that would visualize such injustices to a broader audience?

Your assignment can be:

- A series of photos or drawings
- A painting
- A sculpture
- An informative video (2-3 minutes)
- A screenplay for a short drama
- A series of poems that you write, read, and synchronize with images in a video editor
- A song that you compose and perform
- Etc.

Step 2: Sharing your projects with the world

Once you've created your project, please share it with others on a social media platform such as Facebook or Instagram and ask your community for feedback, comments, or thoughts. Ideally, you'll start a short discussion about the topic you chose to focus your final project on.

Step 3: Reflection on your project

After you share your project with others via social media, please sit down and write a brief reflection of 1-2 pages in which you describe (1) what your visual project represents and (2) how others received it. This should be roughly 1-2 pages in length. Feel free to quote people from your social media platform if you'd like but if you do so, please use a pseudonym in order to protect their identify.

You will turn this assignment in via Canvas but if you need to send me extra files via e-mail, that is fine, simply label the files clearly.

A note on video work:

If you chose to make a video, you may use an editing application like Adobe Premiere, Splice, Moviemaker or Imovie to edit a short film. I would recommend keeping it to 2-3 minutes. If you'd like, you could borrow from your census essay by using audio clips and visuals from the interviews you conducted. If you choose this route, you will want to record your interview as a video so that you can import it into a video editing program. Also, you'll want to be sure to take photos to edit into your final video.

EVALUACIÓN (ASSESSMENT)

- Visuals: 10%
- Synopsis: 30%
- Creativity: 60%