

# Written Assignments Checklist

	Assignment	Deadline
1	Post a one or two-sentence idea for your ethnographic research topic. Your topic may be presented as a research question or statement.	F 1/30, online by 9 PM*
2	Bring your project idea, ready to share.	Th 1/29, in class
3	Group presentations on assigned ethnography. Your five-minute presentation should include a handout for the class and cover: Topic/Research Question, Description of the "Field," Theoretical Framework, Methods Used.	Th 2/5, in class
4	Post an abstract-length proposal for your ethnographic project. Your proposal should include: description of field site, potential contacts, research question. Comment on at least two other student proposals.	M 2/9, online by 9 PM
5	Description of recruitment process (200 words) and 3-5 sample interview questions	Th 2/12, in class
6	Thick description of participant observation (500-1000 words)	W 2/18, online by 9 PM
7	Interview transcription (500-1000 words)	W 2/26, online by 9 PM
8	Take the Human Participant Protections Education for Research Teams tutorial [ <a href="https://phrp.nihtraining.com/users/login.php">https://phrp.nihtraining.com/users/login.php</a> ] (approx. 2 hours) and <b>bring a copy of your certification to class.</b>	Tu 3/3, in class
9	Draft of your IRB proposal	Th 3/5, in class
10	Revised IRB protocol	Th 3/12, in class
11	Post a minimum of three scholarly sources (formatted in Chicago-Turabian style) that you will reference in your analysis	W 3/25, online by 9 PM
12	Analyzing your fieldnotes, reflect on questions of power and representation, citing specific instances from your research (500 words) + <b>comment on two</b>	W 4/1, online by 9 PM
13	Post a one-minute video with accompanying thick description (250-500 words) that focuses either on a: performance, object, built environment, gesture, or soundscape + <b>comment on two</b>	M 4/6, online by 9 PM
14	Response to one "article" from the <i>Sensate</i> journal (250-500 words)	W 4/8, online by 9 PM
15	Reflect on the social networks present in your fieldwork (500 words) + <b>comment on two</b>	W 4/15, online by 9 PM
16	Post 1000-1500 words of your ethnography-in-progress, and <b>comment on the work of two of your peers</b>	W 4/22, online by 9 PM
17	In-class presentation responses	4/30, 2/5, 2/7, 2/12 -- online
18	Final ethnographic research paper	F 5/15 by NOON

\*n.b., All in class assignments should be printed and brought to class in advance of the class meeting.

\*\*Revised Feb 25, 2015