

Art 261
Renaissance to Modern Art

Due: Thursday, December 8
50 points

Essay 4
Choose Your Methodology Essay

Choose a work made in the early modern era (Impressionist, Pre-Raphaelite, Symbolist, Post-Impressionist, Fauvism, Expressionism, Cubism) to analyze using the art historical methodology of your choice. Begin your discussion by properly identifying the work (artist, title, date) and offering its historical context. Provide a description of the work that serves your analysis and draws attention to significant aspects of the work's subject matter, form, composition, and/or media. Finally, analyze the work using one of the art historical methodologies introduced this semester (iconography, formalism, feminism, Marxism, biography, psychoanalysis, or semiotics).