

Queer Reading Practices

Annotated Bibliography Assignment

Due April 5. Minimum length: 12 double-spaced pages.

The title of your annotated bibliography should include the working title of your research project; i.e., **Annotated Bibliography for “Eating the Real: William S. Burroughs’ *Naked Lunch*.”** Entries in the bibliography appear in alphabetical order, and everything should be double-spaced. At the top of each entry should appear the work discussed, underlined and in MLA citational form; for example,

Burnham, Clint. “*Naked Lunch* and the Neighbor.” *Breathless Days, 1959-1960*. Ed. and Intro. Serge Guilbaut and John O’Brian. Durham, NC: Duke UP, 2017. 177-190. Print.

A critical summary of the article or chapter follows the heading, outlining its major points, as well as its strengths and weaknesses. As individual entries should not expand over a page and a half, and generally make up a single, longish paragraph, there is not space to give extended evidence for your assessment. The end of each entry should spell out the usefulness (including the utter uselessness) of the article/chapter for the research project. *Please remember that the chief function of this assignment is organized preparation for the final research essay. Find sources that appear relevant to your research topic.*