

## CONFERENCE/PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES ASSIGNMENT

### **The International Conference on Romanticism 2006 at Arizona State University: Engaged Romanticism – Romanticism as *Praxis***

#### **Assignment:**

I lieu of attending class on Wednesday November 8 (#21302) or Thursday November 9 (#04907, 20141), you should attend one session of your choice at the International Conference on Romanticism 2006. You may select a session from the program which is posted at <http://www.asu.edu/clas/english/engagedromanticism/>

The conference runs Thursday November 9 - 12. You may choose to attend a session any time during the span of the convention.<sup>1</sup> All sessions are scheduled at the MU second floor.

#### **Reporting:**

Bring this assignment sheet with you to the conference. Each session will feature 3-4 presenters. Note the title of the session, the title of each presenter's talk, and their name and institutional affiliation.

Write a summary of the salient arguments of each presenter. You should bring a pen and note pad and take notes during the presentations. Please do not type your notes on your laptop unless it has a very quiet keyboard. Some presenters may distribute handouts for their presentations, which will be useful for you to keep for later when you write up your report. Your report for the session should be about 5-600 words, double spaced, and typed in Times New Roman 12 pts or equivalent. When completed, it should be emailed to me as an attachment.

Deadline for submission of this report is November 19. It is highly recommended that you write up your report as soon as possible, while details of the presentation are still fresh in your mind. Please name your file firstinitiallastname\_linenummer\_icr.doc or .rtf.

Example: If your name is Rebecca Sharp, and you are a student in section #20141, your file should be named "rsharp\_20141\_icr.doc"

#### **Professional behavior:**

The ICR Convention in Tempe is an international event for Romanticism scholars from all over the world. Conference attendance is an integral part to the teaching professions on all levels of the educational system, which normally undergraduate students do not have an opportunity to experience. We are fortunate in being able to participate in this event this semester.

All attendees are expected to behave courteously and professionally when attending this event.

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<sup>1</sup> For the purpose of this assignment you are only required to attend **one** session. However, if you so wish please feel free to attend other sessions that may be of interest to you. Please note that only registered (paying) participants may attend receptions and other catered events.