

Assignment 6

Assignment 6: Final Course Work Journal

Due after Unit 6 – Weighting 20%

1. Write a statement of 1000 words that describes how this course has altered your personal approach to, or understanding of, the role of architecture in society. Be thoughtful and analytical. Say more than simply, *history affects architecture*.

The following questions may help you focus on what you want to say:

- What knowledge have you developed from this course?
- What did you learn through this process?
- What are the critical issues?
- What are the essential lessons that you learned from the case studies?
- What are the most important principles and ideas that have shaped buildings and cities?
- How can this knowledge be applied in your architectural designs?
- What are your *new* personal interests developed from the ideas in this course?
- Which three monuments would you most like to visit and why?
- What is your personal approach to the role of architecture in society?

2. Pull together the content of your Course Work Journal.

Refer to “[Creating your personal archive](#)” for more detailed information on creating your Journal, and refer to [Assignment 2](#) for ideas about content.

When assessing your final Course Work Journal, your Academic Expert will look for coherence and focus throughout. Here are some **elements that your Academic Expert will look for**:

- Does the Journal demonstrate your engagement with course content throughout? (Answering study questions demonstrates this, for example.)
- Does the Journal develop a theme that either relates to something in your personal statement from Assignment 1 or develops the topics presented in Assignment 1?
- Do the various sections of the Journal combine to form a connected whole?

- Is the overall presentation aesthetically pleasing, well organized, and free of grammatical and spelling errors?
- Does the Journal demonstrate a consistent pattern of engagement with the course materials and a gradual improvement in research and writing capacities?
- Does the Journal include answers to the study questions for each unit? [If you have submitted them throughout the course, you do not need to submit them again here.]
- Does the Journal show evidence of independent inquiries, creative thinking, and wider general reading? This is where you can demonstrate progressive and cumulative mastery of the course themes, materials, and essential research, study, and writing skills.
- Is the recommended content present?
 - diary of activities
 - progressive work on the study questions and activities
 - notebooks built toward final work on the submitted assignments
 - outlines and rough copies for the assignments

Submit Assignment 6 using the assignment drop box. Note that your five (5) study questions for Unit 6 must also be submitted with this assignment. Different study questions require different types of answers; these are the guidelines for responding to study questions according to what each question asks for:

- submit a 200-word (minimum) written answer; *or*
- submit a sketch *and* a 100-word (minimum) written answer; *or*
- submit *your own* sketch with labels (no minimum word count).



NOTE: If your file size is too large to submit as a **single** attachment in the drop box, compress or compile it into a .pdf or .zip file of your assignment items. There are many free, online tools that allow you to create PDF files out of other formats, to merge multiple PDF files into one document, and to “zip” multiple files into a single attachment. If you are still unable to submit your files using the drop box, contact your Academic Expert to make alternative arrangements. To contact your Academic Expert, click the “Make a request” button on the course home page.


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