

Delta State University
SSC 470/570: Methods of Social Research
Fall Semester 2005

Annotated Bibliography

Assignment: Prepare an annotated bibliography of 5 sources on your research topic.

Grade: 5 points

Process: Visit the library to find journal articles and other material on your topic. Select five articles that pertain to your *topic*, and that help you develop your research design. You will probably have to look through many articles to select five that are appropriate to your topic. The articles that you select should help you focus in on a good research question for your proposed study.

Submit: An annotated bibliography of these five articles. Your bibliography should include a *complete* and *correct* citation for each article, using APA format, followed by a brief synopsis of the article. Each synopsis should include a description of the research question, the methods, and the results; notes on how this article contributes to your proposed study; and your own evaluation of the article.

DO NOT copy the abstract for the article; you should read and summarize the article in your own words.

Each *group* should submit *one* paper.

Due: October 4, 2005