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M6: Upload and Share your Media Analysis Project Presentation

Michael Friedmann submitted Apr 23 at 10:07pm



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from M6: Upload and Share your Media Analysis Project Presentation Apr 23, 2025 10:07PM Media Portrayals of Autism and Special Needs: A Critical **Analysis** Presentation is attached, but also accessible on my SPED Portfolio at the link below. https://www.sped-portfolio.com/about-5-23 ⇒ (https://www.spedportfolio.com/about-5-23) https://ku.voicethread.com/myvoice/thread/30673623 Attached File: Media Portrayals of Autism & Special Needs.mp4 (https://kuconnect.ku.edu/files/1058638/download? verifier=1Na6HFcOkAFQH3vHu3Kw9UC2Dz0BGLOZOYsDyXR2) from M6: Upload and Share your Media Analysis Project Presentation Apr 25, 2025 5:57AM I clicked on your link and a sound file download happened but when I pressed play I heard nothing. from M6: Upload and Share your Media Analysis Project Presentation Apr 25, 2025 5:58AM It may just be me, but your upload says video but it downloads as a sound file. from M6: Upload and Share your Media Analysis Project Presentation Apr 25, 2025 6:14AM Eva, your presentation offers a nuanced and deeply personal critique of how Western media continues to homogenize, stereotype, and marginalize Eastern European identities. One of the strengths of your argument lies in how you deftly connects literary, cinematic, and sociopolitical examples, grounding your analysis in both personal experience and critical theory (notably referencing Edward Said's concept of "the Other"). This approach

demonstrates strong critical engagement and reflexivity, essential

qualities for cultural analysis at the graduate level.

Your emphasis on the constructedness and inaccuracy of the term "Eastern Europe" is particularly compelling. By tracing its origins to Cold War binaries and exposing its continued use as a flattening, politically charged label, you underscores how language shapes percention—an insight aligned with postcolonial and critical media

Your personal connection with your topic and the students you teach is very relevant. Autism in the media. Your presentation shows more male characters used in media to show autism.

What suggestions for lessons or strategies you would use in your classroom? There was only one peer that you commented on their presentation.

Nicole Babalola, Apr 30 at 8:49pm

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