

Paper Project 3: The Crisis of 2007 – 20??

Due Date: Wednesday, May 4th

The final paper for this class is a simple one – choose some feature of the global financial crisis that began in 2007 and discuss it. You will once again work with someone else (if possible this person should be different from the other two you have worked with). The paper should be roughly five pages in length and all exposition (no graphs or tables). There are a few other stipulations:

- *The very first sentence must be a question.* No exceptions. Examples: Did the Euro contribute to Greece's debt problems? What was Merrill Lynch's role in the financial crisis in America? How did the housing boom and bust contribute to the crisis? Did monetary policy do a good job in stemming the damage?
- The rest of the paper should be devoted to answering this question. You only have five pages, so keep it focused and tight.
- Have at least three sources to cite.
- Once again, you will be graded as a group, and your grade will again be based on three components – the *content* (how well-researched is the project), the *idea* (how well do you answer some of the questions above), and the *execution* (is it a well-written coherent paper).

That's it. Looking forward to reading these and learning something.