INFORMATION LITERACY WORKSHOP

20 March 2012

For this assignment, you will research the [Xhosa, Herero, Dinka, Ewe, Zande, Maasai, Tutsi, Hutu, Nuer, Berber, Zulu, Ashanti, Fante, Hausa, Mende, Tiv, Yoruba] people of Africa. Using popular and scholarly sources you will find information on their language, culture, history and current affairs. You will then synthesize this information into a 3-minute informational presentation (using the strategies and “best practices” that you’ve learned in Dr Youngblood’s course) that you will give next Tuesday in FY 190.

After this workshop, you will be able to

* explain the differences between scholarly and popular sources;
* navigate several of the online databases available through the Crumb Library website;
* find and retrieve online anthropological sources;
* prepare and deliver a 3-minute oral presentation.

1. Using the library databases, find a popular source that discusses the history of the group. List your source and summarize that information here.
2. Using the library databases, find a scholarly source that discusses the culture or language of the group. List your source and summarize that information here.
3. Using the “free” web, find reliable information that discusses the current issues facing the group. List your source and summarize that information here.