

# Mid Term Essays

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**Due** Nov 16 by 11:59pm      **Points** 100      **Submitting** a text entry box or a file upload

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INTS 101 Fall 2020

150-250 Words Each

Just as in your quizzes, grades are based on accuracy, completeness of response, integration of readings and lecture, providing specific examples, considering alternative explanations, strong writing, and thorough argumentation. Formal, robust citations following (Author Date) format is required. Each answer will be worth 10 points, following the same grading as quizzes.

**Due on Blackboard at 11:59pm November 16.**

Plagiarism will not be tolerated, but you are encouraged to use time in discussion sections to workshop responses and strategies with your colleagues.

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1. Is the international system inherently conflictual? How can non-state actors use their power to constrain states?
  2. What is sovereignty in the international system? How does the emergence of non-state actors like ngos, cities, business markets, and regional organizations challenge traditional ideas about sovereignty?

3. What is the difference between International Organizations and Non-Governmental International Organizations? Give specific examples.
  
4. What are the challenges of global governance in the 21st Century? Do international organizations have what it takes to confront these challenges?
  
5. What non-state actors are most interesting to you personally? Identify one or two types of groups that are interesting to you and form a robust argument for how they influence international politics.