Engaging Student Learning with #Hashtags



Questions concerning both the emancipatory and oppressive aspects of new media are often ignored as students find themselves increasingly bored in classrooms in which older modes of communication operate, or they find themselves using new technologies with no understanding of how they might be understood as more than retrieval machines that are deeply connected to socio-cultural politics.

Henry Giroux





Changing Landscape of Knowledge Production



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Christopher Reilly @Reilly1202 - 28 Oct 2015

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Ariana Grande Claps Back at Radio Host's Sexist C... Ariana Grande recently appeared on California's Power 106 FM radio show to promote her huge new single "Focus." In the interview, DJs Justin Credible and Eri...

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 We got to share what we learned with our friends and even our families – my dad started following me on twitter and we started talking about gender issues and I got to speak my mind like never before. I loved this class.

 Our twitter feed helped me feel responsible for talking about gender problems in society with a more informed voice. My friends started asking me for advice and it made me try to learn more of the class material in a deeper way.

• I learned more about gender by following the class tweets than I did from the readings. After a month, I noticed gender problems everywhere and added things to the message board every day. I liked reading what the other students added too. It's like we started a movement on campus.

Public Sociology

The underlying presumption is that the teacher and taught have an organic relation: that the educator too must be educated.

Michael Burawoy



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Why is this relevant to our class? Why is the relevant to you? Why is this relevant to your professor? Why is this relevant to society?



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Weekly presentations:

- 1. Poverty increasingly harming older Americans
- 2. Marriage is no longer the great equalizer
- 3. Campus assault punishments depends on class status of both victims and perpetrators
- 4. Student debt increases the likelihood of divorce
- 5. Intersectional look at the gender pay gap
- 6. The connection between labor unions and outsourcing: the growth of the angry white voter

What I have learned am learning

- 1. Students learn when they generate knowledge
- 2. Publicly engaged students take ownership of the material
- 3. Take the material out of the classroom
- 4. Works best in upper level courses intro classes are slow to engage