RUBRIC: Literary Detectives: Research and Recover a Neglected Woman Author

	5 pts	12 pts	10 pts	5 pts	0 pts
	Full Marks	Very Good (AB/B)	Good (BC/C)	Needs Improvement (D)	Oof.
Clarity of Purpose	The project's objectives are clearly stated. Motivations for choosing the particular author, as well as the author's significance, are readily apparent. The audience can easily understand the significance of the author or their work.	The project's objectives are clearly stated, for the most part. Motivations for choosing the particular author, as well as the author's significance, are mostly apparent. The audience can understand the significance of the author or their work.	The project's objectives are somewhat clear. Motivations for choosing the particular author, as well as the author's significance, are somewhat apparent. The audience can somewhat understand the significance of the author or their work.	The project's objectives, motives, and relevance are unclear. Author significance is difficult to grasp.	No discernible effort
	15 pts	12 pts	10 pts	5 pts	0 pts
	Full Marks	Very Good (AB/B)	Good (BC/C)	Needs Improvement (D)	Oof.
Significance	Student provides insightful and in-depth background information to demonstrate the significance of the author and the historical context that contributed to the neglect of the author. The chosen author is relevant to our class and to intersectional feminism. The author has been legitimately understudied.	Student provides mostly in-depth background information to demonstrate the significance of the author and the historical context that contributed to the neglect of the author. The chosen author is mostly relevant to our class and to intersectional feminism. The author has been legitimately understudied.	Student provides good background information to demonstrate the significance of the project and the historical context of the problem/issue. May be vague or confusing in parts. The problem/issue is somewhat relevant to our class and to intersectional feminism and pop culture. The author has been legitimately understudied.	Student provides little to no background information to demonstrate the significance of the author and the historical context that led to the author's neglect. The author is not very relevant to our class and to intersectional feminism. The author may not be understudied.	No discernible effort

	30 pts Full Marks	25 pts Very Good (AB/B)	20 pts Good (BC/C)	10 pts Needs Improvement (D)	0 pts Oof.
Analysis & Detail	High level of detail provided to educate the audience. Level of detail allows audience to make judgments about the content and issues therein. Project demonstrates an indepth analysis of a neglected author and indepth analysis of why that author should be recovered for readers and the academic community. Text demonstrates personal engagement and could not have been completed solely by AI.	Solid level of detail provided to educate the audience. Level of detail mostly allows audience to make judgments about the content and issues therein. Project demonstrates a good analysis of a neglected author and in-depth analysis of why that author should be recovered for readers and the academic community. Text demonstrates personal engagement and could not have been completed solely by Al.	Good level of detail provided to educate the audience. Level of detail somewhat allows audience to make judgments about the content and issues therein. Project somewhat demonstrates an analysis of a neglected author and an analysis of why that author should be recovered for readers and the academic community. Text demonstrates personal engagement and could not have been completed solely by AI.	Inadequate level of detail provided to educate the audience. Project does not facilitate the audience making judgments about the content and issues therein. Project demonstrates a vague analysis of a neglected author. Project does little to demonstrate why the author should be recovered for readers and the academic community. Text is generic and lacking in substance—similar to text generated by Al tools.	No discernible effort.
Organization	15 pts Full Marks The project is very well organized. Ideas follow one another in a logical sequence. No areas that confuse the audience or seem to have no purpose in the project.	12 pts Very Good (AB/B) The project is fairly well organized. One or two ideas may seem out of place.	10 pts Good (BC/C) The project is somewhat organized but hard to follow and confusing at times.	5 pts Needs Improvement (D) Ideas seem to be randomly arranged. No effort at organization. Project is confusing and does not have a readily apparent purpose. Project may not be connected to intersectional feminism.	0 pts Oof. No discernible effort.

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	Full Marks	Very Good (AB/B)	Good (BC/C)	Needs Improvement (D)	Oof.
Visual Impact, Spelling/Grammar	Project is well documented and easily navigated. Includes appealing visuals or other elements to maximize audience engagement and understanding. All text is grammatically correct and contains very few spelling or grammar errors.	In one or two places, the information is confusing, generic, or a bit vague. Includes a few visuals or other elements to maximize audience engagement and understanding. Fewer than 4 major spelling/grammar errors.	In several places, the information is confusing, generic, or a bit vague. Includes one or two visuals or other elements to maximize audience engagement and understanding. Fewer than 6 major spelling/grammar errors.	Project is confusing, vague, or generic. Project contains no visuals or other elements to foster audience understanding and engagement. Six or more major spelling /grammar errors.	No discernible effort
	10 pts	8 pts	7 pts	4 pts	0 pts
	Full Marks	Very Good (AB/B)	Good (BC/C)	Needs Improvement (D)	Oof.
Effort	The project amply demonstrates that the student has studied the author and has thought deeply about why the author deserves to be recovered. Effort is suitable for an end-of-semester project. Effort at creating in-depth, meaningful learning opportunity for audience is evident.	The project demonstrates that the student has studied the author and has thought deeply about why the author deserves to be recovered. Effort is suitable for an end-of-semester project. Effort at creating in-depth, meaningful learning opportunity for audience is mostly evident.	The project somewhat demonstrates that the student has studied the author and has thought deeply about why the author deserves to be recovered. Student effort is somewhat suitable for an end-of-semester project. Student's effort at creating in-depth, meaningful learning opportunity for audience is somewhat evident.	The project does not demonstrate that the student has studied the author and has thought deeply about why the author deserves to be recovered. Student effort is minimal. Student's effort at creating in-depth, meaningful learning opportunity for audience is not evident.	No discernible effort.

TOTAL: 100 Points