Human Rights (HR) Midterm Review

Fall 2017

For the exam you will be asked to do the following for each of these concepts:

1. Define the concept.
2. Explain how the concept relates to Human Rights.
3. Provide an example, extension, or illustration of the concept.

Religious and philosophical origins of HR

Universalism versus cultural relativism

Human Rights

Sovereignty

Norms

Natural Law

UDHR

Eleanor Roosevelt

MLK Jr’s Letter to Clergy

Letter from Clergy to MLK Jr

nonviolent action (1-4)

Mandela’s I am Prepared to Die

When is violence justified?

88 Precepts, David Lane

Symbols of the confederacy

Pruitt-Igoe

Imagined communities

Nationalism

Torture

Taxi to the Darkside