## 24-270/38-270/40-270/54-270. Speaking Truth to Power: Voice and Activism

**Learning Outcomes** 

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Learning Outcomes This is a sentence completion exercise.	Characteristics of a University of Windsor Graduate
At the end of the course, the successful student will know and be able to:	A U of Windsor graduate will have the ability to demonstrate:
<ul> <li>A.</li> <li>Explain the goals and methods of youth-led activism, and analyze how these movements challenge institutionalized power and privilege and the popular discourse of youth alienation.</li> <li>Explain how youth-led social justice movements confront the legacy of sexism and racism in their organizing and leadership strategies.</li> <li>Explain how new information and communication technologies shape and enable youth-led social resistance; identify examples that illustrate this relationship.</li> </ul>	A. the acquisition, application and integration of knowledge
<ul> <li>Analyze campaigns' values, goals, strategies, and intended audience from campaign websites and other (social) media produced by or about a campaign.</li> </ul>	B. research skills, including the ability to define problems and access, retrieve and evaluate information (information literacy)
<ul> <li>C.</li> <li>Identify and evaluate the social justice claims of particular campaigns, including how the campaign addresses sexism and racism in its own ranks.</li> <li>Analyze how campaigns use imagery, humour, irony, and performance to formulate effective messages.</li> </ul>	C. critical thinking and problem-solving skills
<ul> <li>Identify, rephrase, and summarize concepts and ideas regarding youth-led struggles for social change, such as discourse formation and disruption, the personal is political, and culture jamming.</li> <li>Write logically argued, well organized, and grammatically correct papers.</li> </ul>	D. literacy and numeracy skills
E.  • Apply self-awareness and reflexivity when discussing and writing.	E. responsible behaviour to self, others and society
<ul> <li>F.</li> <li>Engage with and respond respectfully to the ideas of others, including those with different points of view.</li> </ul>	F. interpersonal and communications skills
G.  • Offer thoughtful and constructive criticism to group mates.	G. teamwork, and personal and group leadership skills
H.  • Create persuasive social justice messages.	H. creativity and aesthetic appreciation
<ul> <li>Relate concepts and ideas regarding youth-led struggles for social change – discourse formation and disruption, the personal is political, and culture jamming to life outside the classroom.</li> </ul>	I. the ability and desire for continuous learning