

US Media and Propaganda

A 6 week workshop

This new six-week GRIID class will examine media and Propaganda in the US over the past 100 years. We will look at the origins and functions of the of the:

- Public relations industry,
- The role or cooperate media,
- A case study of government propaganda and
- News coverage of the US occupation of Iraq
- The role that Hollywood and the other popular media plays in government.

We will also discuss ways to critically read/watch news and even have participants do a mini investigation of the local and national media.

There are no books for this class. But well will be using some essays, articles, documentaries and news media for the class text.

Classes will be Monday nights from 7-pm at 1334 Wealthy SE in the same building as the Bloom Collective. Class cost is \$20 and beings Monday, January 28.

This class is not being offered at the present time; check back in the future for when this class is available.

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