

## Reflection paper #5

### The “Banality of Evil” or the “Sadistic State?”

In your reflection paper, write 1-1.5 pages comparing Jean Améry’s and Hannah Arendt’s view of the Nazi Regime and its methods of governance. In your paper discuss how each author defines or recognizes the locus of power, and how that power is exercised. Provide a clear thesis statement in the first paragraph of how you will discuss their positions. Answers that incorporate the views of Scarry or Crelinsten to support your argument get bonus points, but do NOT write more than 2 pages total.