

Second Paper Topic
Philosophy 157
Fall, 2014

Due: Monday, December 8, in class

Write an essay of roughly 3 pages on the following topic. Use the assigned readings as the basis of your work. Be sure to quote the text whenever you attribute a claim to either of the philosophers. You may make references in parentheses. Papers not turned in on the day due will be penalized progressively, with the penalties increasing each two working days overdue. Each penalty is an increment of a letter grade (e.g., A- to B+). Papers should be double-spaced (3 lines per inch) with ample room in the margins for comments.

Both Heidegger and Sartre gave prominence to the role of *Angst* (anxiety, anguish) in disclosing the being of Dasein (for Heidegger) and being-for-itself (for Sartre). Explain the role played by *Angst* in both the the philosophers and briefly compare their views.

For Heidegger, see ¶40 of *Being and Time*. Sartre's views may be found in Chapter 1, Section V, of *Being and Nothingness*.