**Readings for 5/24:**

* Marx, L. 1997. “Technology: The Emergence of a Hazardous Concept.” *Social Research,* Vol. 64, No. 3: 965-988.
* Heilbroner, Robert L. 1994. “Do Machines Make History?” In Merrit Roe Smith & Leo Marx (Eds) *Does Technology Drive History?*, pp. 53-65. Cambridge, MA: MIT Press.
* Thomas, A. 2000. “Meanings and Views of Development” In T. Allen and A. Thomas (Eds) *Poverty and Development: Into the 21st century,* pp. 23-48*.* Oxford University Press.

**Answer the following questions in three to four sentences each. Phrase the answers in your words: do not quote directly from the text.**

1. Marx calls technology a hazardous concept. Where does he think the hazard lies?
2. What does Heilbroner mean by saying there is a “necessitous path over which technologically developing societies must travel”? Do you agree or disagree? Substantiate with an example.
3. Contrast a neoliberal view on development with a structuralist view on development. How do they differ and what do they have in common?
4. Compare a structuralist view with an alternative/people-centered view on development. How do they differ?