





Literary Theory

Postcolonialism





What is postcolonialism?



Orientalism (1978) by Edward Said



Other



Eurocentrism / Universalism



Cultural colonialism



EXAMPLES





The Hobo-Dyer Equal Area Projection

This new map belongs to the family of Cylindrical Equal Area projections in which the latitude and longitude lines form a rectangular grid. Other projections in this family include the Lambert, Gall, Behrmann, Edwards, and Peters projections. In the present case the "cylinder" is assumed to wrap round the globe and out through it at 27°N and south. In order to preserve the equal area property the shapes of the landmasses become progressively flattened towards the poles, but shapes between 45° north and south are well preserved.

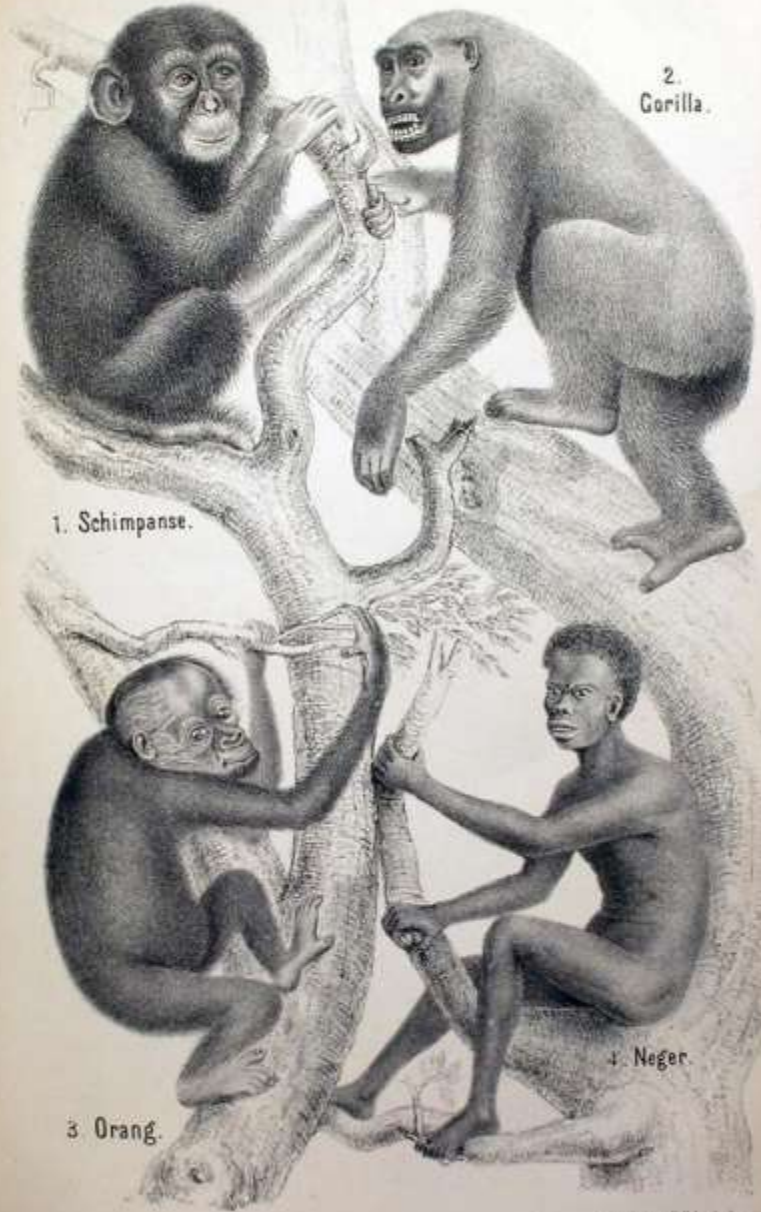
Cities

- $\geq 1,000,000$
- 1,000,000 - 5,000,000
- 500,000 - 1,000,000
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Scale at the Equator
 1000 2000 miles
 1000 2000 kilometers

Capitals





I'VE SURE GOT A
GOOD JOB NOW!

**STOP
WASHING DISHES!**



The G-E Dishwasher does your entire dishwashing job for about a penny a day! All the dishes, pots, and pans are *hygienically* cleaned in water hotter than human hands could endure. They are dried by their own heat. No unsanitary dishcloth, no breakage. You can have the G-E Dishwasher installed as part of the General Electric Sink—or as a separate cabinet.

**STOP
SAVING GARBAGE!**



Dispose of food wastes right at the sink! Parings, scraps, etc., go down the drain into the G-E Disposall, where they are reduced to a pulp and flushed away. No odors—no clogged pipes!

The G-E Disposall comes as part of the G-E Electric Sink—or can be separately installed in your present sink.

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HOUSEWORK now becomes easier for both women with servants and those without help. Two tedious kitchen tasks are gone! The new General Electric Sink "does the dishes" and disposes of garbage mechanically.

Protects China from Breakage

Stack the dishes in the dishwasher trays—turn a switch—and quickly the job is finished! The G-E Dishwasher cleans and dries itself. Your dishes are safe from chipping and handling.

Down the sink into the Disposall go all food wastes—to be *instantly* disposed of!

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English Language



Civilization



Representation of Arabs in movies



Literary Canon



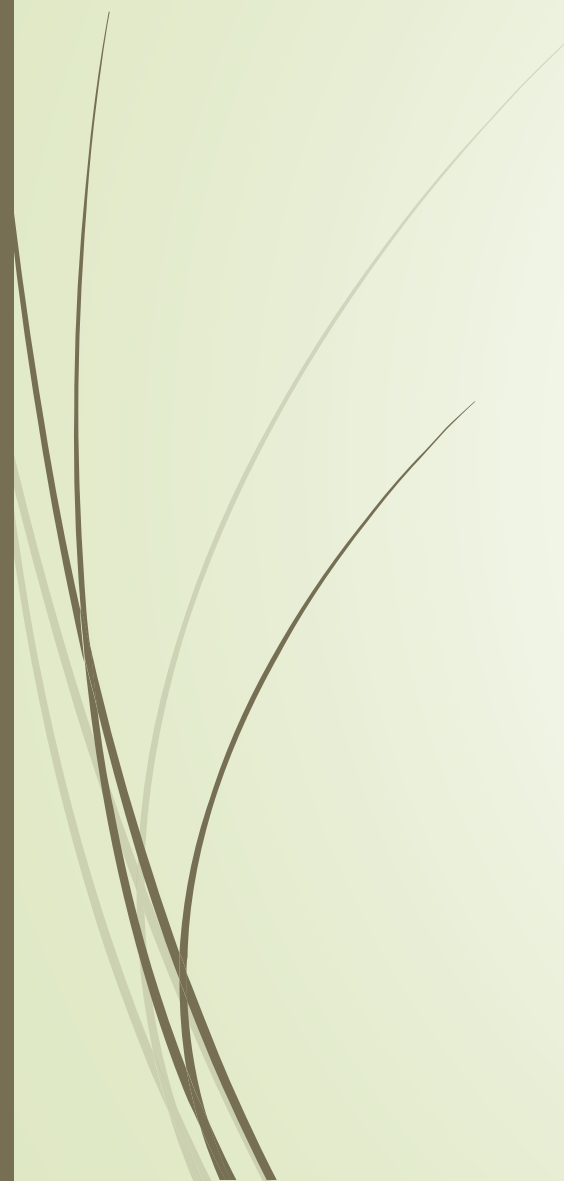
Classical music



Beauty standards



Universal Human Rights



WHITE IS PURITY



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Keep it clean, keep bright. Don't let anything ruin it, #Invisible

before

after



Visibly more beautiful skin from the most unexpected of places – your shower.

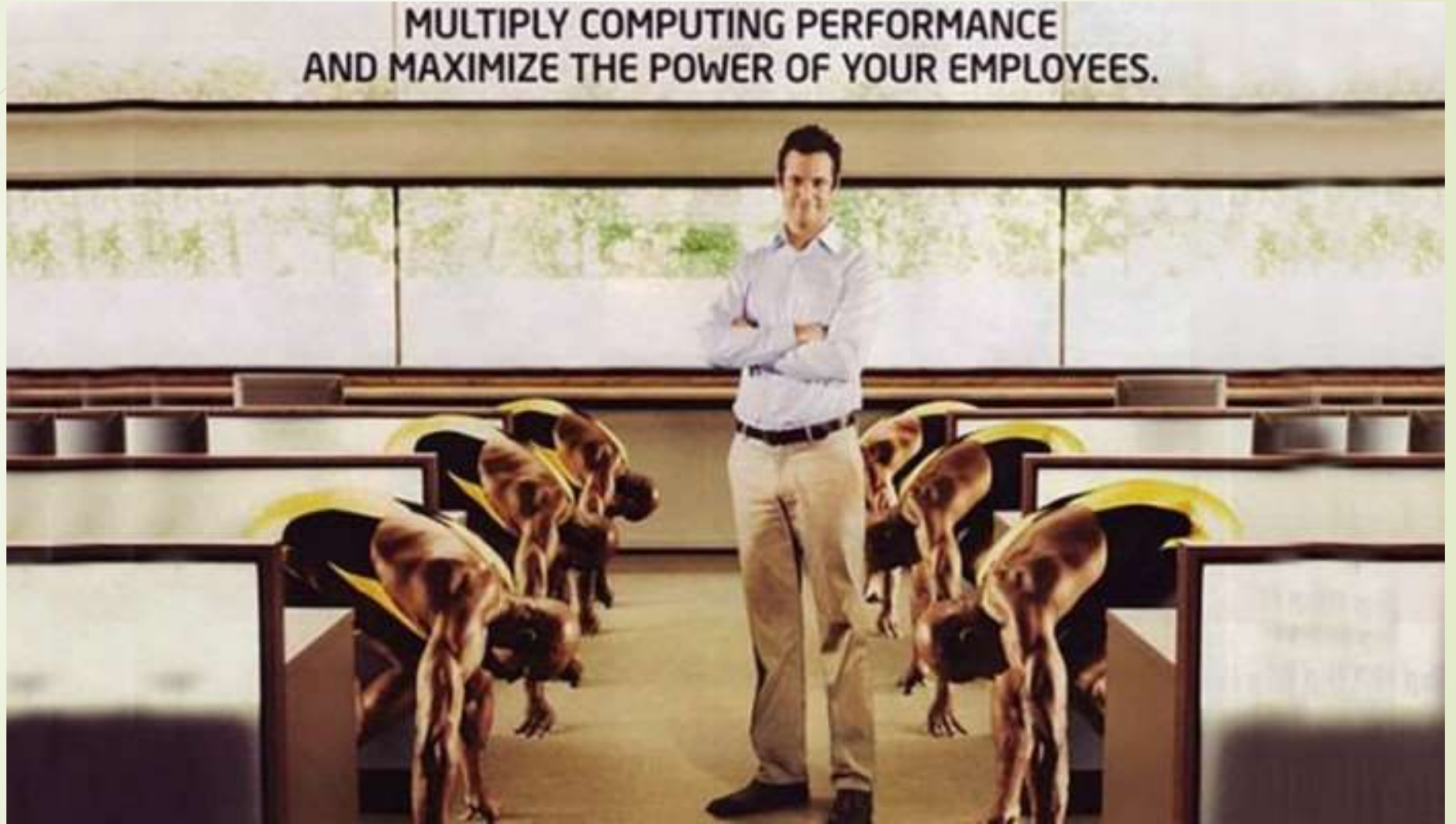
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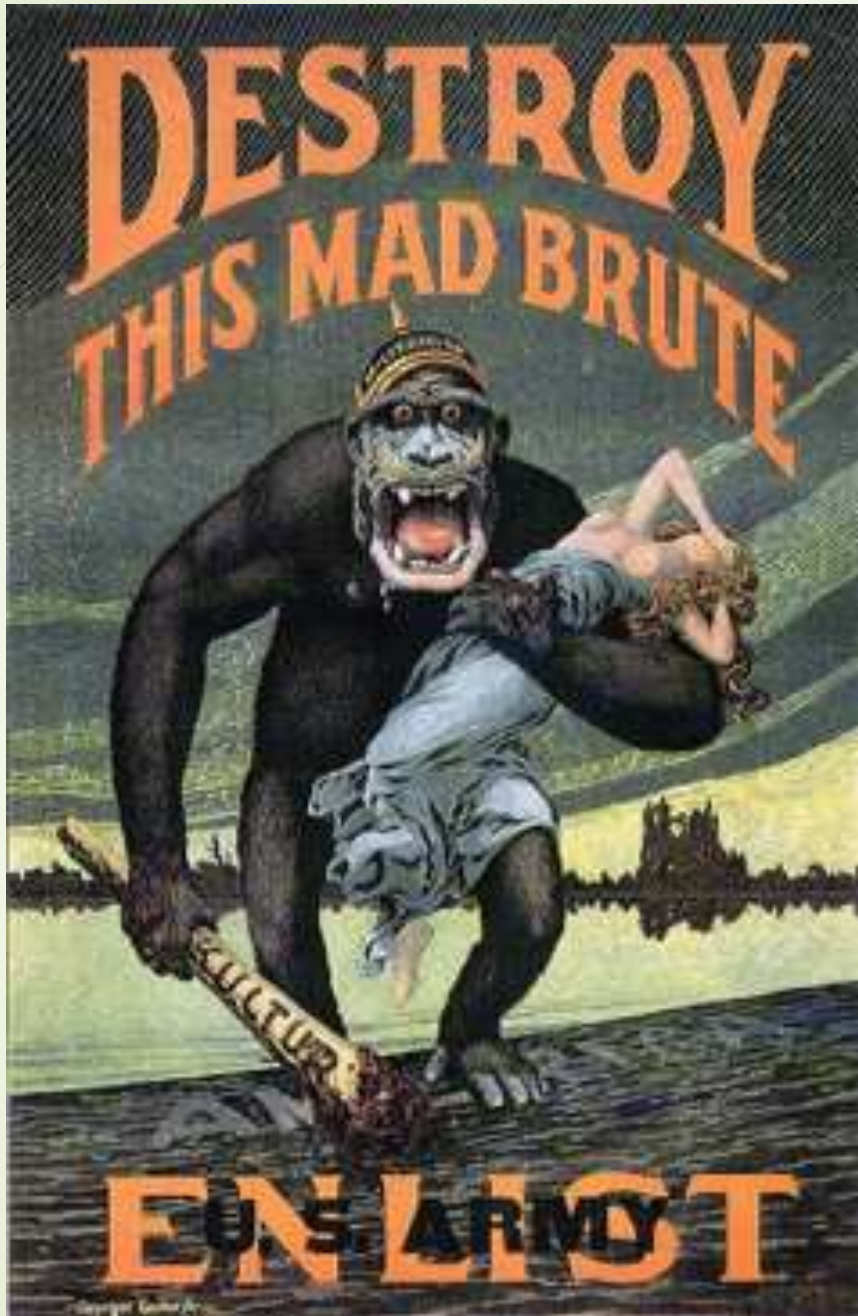
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Average results in 1-3 weeks of daily use, based on clinical testing. In home use testing, consumers noticed visible improvement after 1 week. Photos shown reflect clinical improvement at 3 weeks.

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AND MAXIMIZE THE POWER OF YOUR EMPLOYEES.**







What do postcolonial critics do?

- ▶ They reject universalism
 - ▶ They examine the representation of cultures in literature
 - ▶ They expose the underlying colonialist ideology
 - ▶ They celebrate hybridity
 - ▶ They develop a perspective, whereby states of marginality and perceived “otherness” are seen as sources of energy and potential change
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