

DAILY ASSIGNMENT

Announcements: Wednesday in a week (Nov. 19) the first draft of your paper on project III will be due.

due: Friday November 14, 9 am

Read:

- Last article in Course Package: "Misconduct Strikes The Heart of Physics"
- Handouts (Nature 420, 728 (2002); Physics Today, Sept. 2002, page 15; webpage about Sokal Hoax)

1. Of what are J. H. Schön and V. Ninov accused?
2. With which intention did A. Sokal write his article?
3. Find an example for academic misconduct (possibly which has been in the press). Your example should exclude the examples in the readings but may be in any science or non-scientific field.
4. What of this reading assignment did you find most interesting and/or most difficult?