

Short Paper 2

The question below is to be answered in one page or less. The answer must be your own work. (One page means typed, double spaced. The font can be no smaller than 12 point.) The short essay is due no later than 1pm on Monday, October 22. The short essay is to be submitted via Blackboard - UBLearns. Questions about submitting the assignment should be directed to the course TA, Tim Pruitt.

What is an affordance? What is their role in visually guided action? Describe and explain the results of a study that shows that affordance is different from object recognition.

The question has two parts. The first asks you to explain what an affordance is and to include in this explanation a description of how affordance is related to visually guided action. This part is worth 6 points. The second part asks you to describe the results of a study and how it shows that object recognition and affordance are not the same and that they are functionally different from one another. This second part is worth 5 points.