

Assessment Assignment C2

Background: There is no definition of “art” that everyone will agree upon. For this assignment let us use the following as our definition of what art is:

Art: The quality, production, expression, or realm, according to aesthetic principles, of that which is beautiful, appealing, or (if not beautiful or appealing) of more than ordinary significance.

Reading: Before starting this assignment you should have read “[Artbots Show Talent](#)” by Helen Pearson (Coursepak).

Assignment: In a one page paper (with your name, course, date and assignment number at the top) do the following:

1. Answer the following question (in 3 to 4 complete sentences): Is MEART or the pictures that MEART creates “art”. Why or why not?
2. Find an example of “robotic art” that scares you or that creeps you out (nothing vulgar or violent). Include a picture of it, and a description of (in 3 to 4 complete sentences) of why it is “art”.
3. Find an example of “robotic art” that you like and/or find beautiful (nothing vulgar or violent). Include a picture of it, and a description of (in 3 to 4 complete sentences) of why it is “art”.

