**High Noon Research** 

High Noon: Twenty Global Problems, Twenty Years to Solve Them, by J.F. Rischard, will be used as a benchmark for research tool development and is a potential for individual project creation.

1. **Review** the updated list of global problems below and then **choose** one that you are interested in learning more about:

● Biodiversity and ecosystem losses

● Fisheries depletion

● Deforestation

● Water deficits

● Maritime safety and pollution

● Massive step-up in the fight against poverty

● Peacekeeping, conflict prevention, combating terrorism

● Education for all

● Global infectious diseases

● Digital divide

● Natural disaster prevention and mitigation

● Reinventing taxation for the twenty-first century

● Biotechnology rules

● Global financial architecture

● Illegal drugs

● Trade, investment, and competition rules

● Intellectual property rights

● E-commerce rules

● International labor and migration rules

● Caring for aging populations

● Designing global governing bodies that transcend nation-states

2. Through your topic **learn** through guided instruction about:

 a variety of data sources

 primary, secondary, tertiary references

peer reviewed sources

 evaluating sources using the “CRAAP” method (see annotated bibliography on important

docs tab)

 research storage sources - Diigo, Refworks

 citations & tools - MLA & APA

 the components of annotated bibliography development

 the definition and penalties of plagiarism and how to avoid it

3. **Create** 5 written annotated bibliographies using the format provided for your topic.(see important documents tab)