CONSIDERATIONS ON THE SIGNIFICANCE OF "POST"

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Abstract: As the title suggests in this article I try to clarify certain aspects concerning the term 'postmodern'. For a better understanding the term is confronted with that of 'modernism'. I do not attempt to solve such a complex debate. My only ambition is to draw attention to this often ignored issue and to situate it in order to avoid confusion and ambiguity. I start from 'what' and end up with 'why'.

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