=Queer Theory=

====1. The aff~’s taming of the military is an illusion. The US militaries saving civilization fantasy require placing the queer Other into an association of femininity with subordination, weakness, passivity, and inferiority====

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(Melanie, "Empire, Desire and Violence: A Queer Transnational Feminist Reading of the Prisoner ~’Abuse~’ in Abu Ghraib and the Question of ~’Gender Equality",International Feminist Journal of Politics; Mar 2007, Vol. 9 Issue 1, p38-59, 22p) Hdo

As my analysis of the sexed, racialized torture practices has shown, the ~’

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, classed and racialized bodies of some of the US Empire~’s internal Others.

====2. Heteronormativity is the root cause of hierarchal modes of thought – results in racism, sexism, and sovereign control that eliminates difference====

Pinar 2003

~~[William F., Professor at Louisiana State, Journal of Homosexual Studies~~]jap

It is queer theory that has enabled me to understand that the democratization of American

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corresponds to their imagined and often sexualized existence in the white male mind.

\*\*====3. Therefore our alternative is to reject the heteronormativity present in the affirmative – only Rejecting heteronormativity can elucidate and open up discourse. This unveiling of preconceived norms sets the stage for a new politic of refusal and reformation and creates a disruption of the linear temporality that the affirmative perpetuates====\*\*

\*\*Chambers 2007\*\*

~~[Samuel A. Chambers, Department of Politics and International Relations, ~’An Incalculable Effect~’: Subversions of Heteronormativity, POLITICAL STUDIES: 2007 VOL 55, 656–679~~]jap

However,and as I will demonstrate below, heteronormativity cannot be translated into a

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an act of ~’discrimination~’ or ~’oppression~’ that could merely be condemned).