

How Can a Modified Bechdel Test be Passed in Impressionist Art?

Significance:

My research will aim to test impressionist artists on their portrayal of women in art which will hopefully motivate more artists to create realistic portrayals of women that isn't secular to the male gaze

Strategy:

I plan to look at art pieces from the impressionist era under various lenses/categories which will create a layered analysis on whether or not the piece creates a realistic portrayal of women



Categories :

Artist's background, whether the subjects are nude or not, the presence or absence of men, the background, the use of colors, shadows, and, of course, the actions portrayed