

Selected Topics in Sociology A – Week #12 Reading Notes

Bishop, M., & Green, M. (2015). Philanthrocapitalism rising. *Society*, 52(6), 541-548.

- What does the term, 'philanthrocapitalism', refer to?
- According to Bishop and Green, what are the arguments for and against the rise of 'philanthrocapitalism'? Are Bishop and Green ultimately supporters or critics of this phenomenon?

McGoey, L. (2012). Philanthrocapitalism and its critics. *Poetics*, 40(2), 185-199.

- On what basis does McGoey advance a critical view of philanthrocapitalism?
- Why does McGoey believe philanthrocapitalism is not a wholly new historical development?
- How does philanthrocapitalism relate to social inequality?