Lecture 25

Topic: Film noir/German Expressionism

Quiz

1. Answer in brief:
   
i. What are the major features of film noir?
   
ii. Name any two writers/novelists of pulp fiction.
   
iii. Who are the typical noir characters?

2. Fill in the blanks:
   
i. Film noir is a term coined by .................. in 1946 to refer to a particular type of American films.
   
ii. .......................... Anatomy of a Murder is a courtroom drama starring James Stewart.
   
iii. Christopher Nolan’s Insomnia is an example of.................
Answer key
i. French film critics; ii- Otto Preminger’s; iii- neo-noir

Suggested readings


Suggested websites

• [http://www.filmsite.org/filmnoir.html](http://www.filmsite.org/filmnoir.html)