Critical Thinking Final Study Guide

In preparation for the final exam, it is recommended that you review the following concepts and terms (relevant review exercises from the book are in italics):

- Formal validity and soundness, and inductive strength (ch. 2): 2-6 (#s1-10)
- Identifying the premises and conclusions of deductive and inductive arguments (ch. 2): 2-2, 2-3, 2-7
- Identifying and articulated unstated components of deductive arguments (ch. 2): 2-11
- Assessing the validity of deductive arguments (ch. 2): <u>Worksheet</u>
- Identifying fallacies in formal and informal reasoning, and distinguishing legitimate from fallacious reasoning (chaps. 6 & 7) 6-6, 6-7, 6-8, 7-3, 7-4, 7-5

While preparing for the exam, it is *strongly* recommended that you review the relevant weekly quizzes that have been given up to this point. The book exercises listed above will serve as a useful resource if you feel like you need practice in a particular area. Finally, don't forget to take advantage of my office hours if you feel that you need one-on-one assistance. I'm more than happy to do what I can to help!