PHYS 533 Grading and honor code policy

Excerpts from the course web page (http://www.owlnet.rice.edu/~phys533):

The problem sets are not pledged. I encourage you to discuss the problem sets with each other. You may give each other guidance and advice on problem solving approaches, and you may compare solutions to check your work. However, you may not copy solutions from another student, and the problem sets you submit must be entirely your own work and your own words. If you use a book, journal article, or website, you must cite the relevant material. If you collaborated strongly with other students, cite them as well - this is intellectual honesty.

There will be no exams in the course. Grading will be:

- 50% homework
- 20% midterm paper
- 25% final paper
- 5% participation

The papers will be pledged. A list of possible topics will be released later in the semester, along with details of what I want. These papers must be your own work - you must cite all sources used, and if you quote someone else's material, you must clearly indicate that.

I have read and understand the above statements about the grading and honor code in this course.