

Marx's Critique of Liberalism

- **Marx is interested in how people work together to produce things.**
- **The future of the industrial revolution plagued him.**
- **If you want to understand people you ask about their productive life.**
- **Marx was concerned with our alienation from the products of our own labor.**
- **According to Marx humans are defined by their capacities.**
- **He wanted to offer a system that allowed people to develop their capacities.**
- **Marx's critiques of liberalism**
 - The Right vs The Good – Political emancipation fails to provide for universal human emancipation
 - Liberal justice is a remedial virtue
 - Concentrates on distribution rather than transferring ownership of the means of production
 - Distribution of self-respect