**Term:** Semeiotic  
**Quote:** The speculative rhetoric that we are speaking of is a branch of the analytical study of the essential conditions to which all signs are subject, - a science named *semeiotics*, though identified by many thinkers with logic.

**Source:** Peirce, C. S. (1904). *Ideas, Stray or Stolen, about scientific writing. No. 1*. MS [R] 774.

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