

WORKS IN PROGRESS SYMPOSIUM EVALUATION FORM

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SCORING RUBRIC	Needs Improvement (0-1 points)	Fair (2-4points)	Good (5-7points)	Exceptional (8 to 10 points)	Score
Significance & Rationale Why is this work important to the discipline? What is the rationale for the project?	None given; presentation does not demonstrate student understanding of other research	Somewhat unclear, though presentation illustrates some understanding of topic and a limited engagement with other research	Clearly presented & well- constructed; presentation illustrates clear understanding of topic and some synthesis of other research	Makes case that work addresses a pressing question or gaping hole in the field; presentation illustrates exceptional synthesis of other research and understanding of topic	
Methods How was the project conducted? <i>Note: This row may not be applicable for students in the Humanities.</i>	Not explained or inappropriate approach	Inadequately explained or inadequate approach	Student explains approach well; methods are appropriate for topic and discipline	Shows evidence of exceptional insight and meticulous work; methods are appropriate for topic and discipline	
Analysis What are the (preliminary or final) results, conclusions, and/or products of this project?	Conclusions are not presented or are inconsistent with rest of project	Unclear presentation; basic conclusions are presented	Clearly presented; conclusions are well supported	Clearly presented; conclusions are insightful and address original rationale and limitations for the project	
Presentation Style Are the speaking style and visual aids effective at communicating the student's work?	Disorganized & hard to follow; speaks too quickly; fails to make research accessible to general audience; visual aids detract from message	Adequate organization; somewhat hard to follow; speaker does not engage audience; visual aids do not contribute to effectiveness	Speaker engages the audience and makes research somewhat accessible to a general audience; organization and visual aids help in understanding of topic	Talk is exciting and easily accessible to a general audience; speaker is easy to understand and doesn't rush through content; organization and visual aids greatly enhance understanding of topic	
Strengths of presentation					Total Score /40
Areas for improvement					