Junior Independent Thesis: Presentation Rubric

Name of Student Presenting/ Title or topic of Presentation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name of Evaluator: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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|  | **Outstanding (A)** | **Good (B)** | **Satisfactory (C )** | **Needs Improvement (D or F)** |
| **Content** | Content knowledge was **impressive**. I learned! No stone was left unturned! | Content knowledge was **solid**. | Content knowledge was **adequate**. I still have questions about the content. | Content knowledge was **lacking**. I would need to do significant research to feel comfortable discussing this information myself. |
| **Vocal:**  Vocal Volume  Vocal Intonation / Pitch  Emphasis of Key Words / Phrases  Tempo  Avoids Vocal Filler (ums, ahs, grunts, etc)  Vocal Flow (No unnatural pauses, etc) | **Excellent** presenter! Needs no improvement on anything on list. | **Good** presenter; has potential to be excellent with a little more practice. | **Average** presenter; Needs improvement on 1 – 2 items on list | Needs significant work on three or more items on list. |
| **Physical:**  Facial Expression  Eye Contact  Eye Expression  Hand gestures  Hand placement  Arm movement  Body position (direction)  Body inclination (inward / outward / up / down)  Leg movement  Stance | **Excellent** presenter! Needs no improvement on anything on list. | **Good** presenter; has potential to be excellent with a little more practice. | **Average** presenter; Needs improvement on 1 – 2 items on list | Needs significant work on three or more items on list. |
| **Visual Presentation (PowerPoint or Prezi)**  *see reverse side from more information* | Presenter followed all guidelines and used template properly. PPT is informative and used correctly. PPT had no spelling or grammar errors. | Presenter followed all guidelines and used template properly. PPT could be a little more organized or easy to follow. PPT had no spelling or grammar errors. | Presenter followed most guidelines provided. PPT had 1 to 2 errors. | Presenter followed some guidelines. PPT did not greatly enhance the presentation. |
| **Time** | 5 - 7 mins | 5 - 7 mins | Over (7+) of under (-5) | Significantly over (7+) of under (-5) |
| **Overall Performance/Comments** |  | | | |
| **Grade:** |  | | | |