Graduate Seminar Presentation Evaluation

Presenter Name:	Date:
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	Does not meet expectations (1)	Meet expectations (2)	Exceeds expectations (3)	Score
Organization	 Poorly organized Audience cannot understand presentation because there is no sequence of information 	 Properly organized and clearly stated objectives Logical sequence and transitions between sections is clear so that the audience can follow 	 Well-organized and clear with a concise description of the objectives Logical and interesting sequence with smooth transition between topics so that the audience can fully follow 	
Scope	Broader area, necessity of presented work and objectives are either missing or vaguely presented	 Broader area (big picture), necessity of the presented work and objectives are properly presented 	Broader area, necessity of presented work and objects are well-articulated	
Methodology	Methodology is poorly presented and described	The methodology is presented in a simple way, understandable by the audience	Methodology is well-presented and tied well to the objectives	
Results	 Results are poorly presented without any systematic progression 	Results are presented and described clearly in a systematic way, understandable by the audience	Results are presented in a systematic and coherent way that is easy to follow and understand	
Conclusions	Conclusions are vague and not well-related to the objectives	Conclusions are concise and clear, and related to the objectives	Conclusions are concise and clear, and related to the objectives. They also highlight how the presented work contributes to the broader area	
Use of Communication Aids	 Communication aids are poorly utilized or used inappropriately Font size is too small and/or diagrams/sketches are not properly labeled or are too small/unclear Too much information is included 	 Communication aids are effectively utilized in the presentation. The font size is appropriate and diagrams/sketches are properly labelled Appropriate information is included 	 Communication aids enhance the presentation. The font size is appropriate and diagrams/sketches are properly labelled and completely clear Information is presented and organized in a way to maximize audience comprehension 	
Subject Knowledge	 Speaker does not have the grasp of information and cannot satisfactorily answer questions about the subject Explanations of concepts and/or theories are inaccurate or incomplete or unsupported 	 Speaker exhibit knowledge of subject matter and answers with confidence Explanations of concepts and theories are accurate 	 Speaker demonstrates full grasp on the topic by answering all questions with explanations and elaboration Speaker provides accurate and complete explanations of concepts and theories 	
Presentation style	 Reads from slides with no eye contact No engagement with audience Mumbles and body language reveals a reluctance to interact with audience 	 Maintains eye contact most of the time but frequently returns to slides Engaged with audience Voice is clear and body language reflects comfort interacting with audience 	 Maintains eye contact and returns to slides only when needed Engaged with audience throughout the presentation Voice is clear and body language reflects comfort and confidence interacting with audience 	