



UB Faculty Research Day Poster Judging Rubric

POSTER NUMBER

JUDGE

POSTER

Check one box in each horizontal row

Objectives: What did you set out to do?	5 Excellent Logical hypothesis or goal Relevant background information	4 Very Good Logical hypothesis or goal Background information but not fully relevant	3 Good Questionable hypothesis or goal Background information but not relevant	2 Fair Questionable hypothesis or goal Little or no background information	1 Poor/Missing Missing or inappropriate hypothesis Little or no background information
Methodology: How did you go about doing it?	5 Excellent Excellent project design All controls or alternatives	4 Very Good Very good project design Most controls or alternatives	3 Good Good project design Some controls or alternatives missing	2 Fair Fair project design Missing most controls or alternatives	1 Poor/Missing Missing Methods section No controls or alternatives
Results	5 Excellent Substantial amount of original data Clear and logical presentation	4 Very Good Substantial amount of high-quality data Clear and logical presentation	3 Good Adequate amount of good data Presentation is not clear	2 Fair Significant lack of data Presentation is not clear	1 Poor/Missing Results not present
Conclusions	5 Excellent Unique conclusions supported by evidence Connected to goals/hypothesis	4 Very Good Conclusions supported by evidence Not fully connected to goals/hypothesis	3 Good Reasonable conclusions Some connection to goals/hypothesis	2 Fair Conclusions present Little or no connection to goals/hypothesis	1 Poor/Missing No conclusions

Overall POSTER Score

PRESENTATION

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Knowledge of project	5 Excellent Demonstrates a strong knowledge of the project	4 Very Good Demonstrates a good knowledge of the project	3 Good Demonstrates some knowledge of the project	2 Fair Demonstrates poor knowledge of the project	1 Poor/Missing Demonstrates no knowledge of the project
Logical presentation	5 Excellent Clear and concise; presentation uses poster well	4 Very Good Mostly clear; uses poster in presentation	3 Good Generally unclear; uses poster a bit	2 Fair Unclear and illogical; does not use poster	1 Poor/Missing Very confusing; does not use poster
Handling of questions	5 Excellent Answers difficult questions clearly	4 Very Good Answers most questions	3 Good Has some difficulty answering questions	2 Fair Has difficulty answering questions	1 Poor/Missing Does not understand questions
Presence	5 Excellent Speaks clearly, with enthusiasm; makes eye contact	4 Very Good Speaks clearly; makes eye contact	3 Good Reads from poster or script some of the time	2 Fair Reads from poster or script most of the time	1 Poor/Missing Reads from poster or script all of the time

Overall PRESENTATION Score
