**Presentation Grading Rubric** 

**CSSE 333—Intro. to Database Systems** 

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Criteria — Goal	5 Exemplary	4 Good	3 Satisfactory	2 Marginal	1 Needs Improvement
Purpose—Gave clear description of the problem and the proposed solution	you know exactly what problem they are solving	you have a pretty good idea of the problem	you sort of under- stand the problem	you are not sure what problem is being solved	what problem?
<b>Demonstration</b> —Gave understandable demonstration (or selection of screen shots) of the prototype or implementation to date	the demo knocked your socks off	the demo was well planned	the demo was easy to follow	some parts of the demo were hard to follow	what was that?
<b>Lessons</b> —Described any problems they had or any lessons that they learned for next time	very good summary of problems and lessons	problems are clear, lessons okay	they learned a few things	they might have learned something	they did not learn anything
Organization — Organized presentation in a manner that enhanced the audience's understanding	great organization that enhanced the presentation	the organization was clear	there was some organization	organization was clearly lacking in some spots	unorganized to the point of distraction
Materials — Used clear visual aides, not too much on a slide/screen, readable from the back of the room; appropriate English syntax and grammar used	outstanding slides	slides were clear	slides were legible	hard to read some slides	could not read or understand the slides
<b>Time</b> —Did not take too little time, so that material was explained inadequately, or too much time, leaving inadequate time for other team members (speakers should be given an equitable portion of the presentation for the material that they must present)	plenty of time for questions, but cov- ered everything thoroughly	enough time for everyone	managed to cover all the material	had to skip some- thing, or wasted time unnecessarily	completely blew the schedule
Presentation Skills—Faced and made eye contact with members of the audience, words and phrases enunciated well, spoke loud enough to be heard (but not too loud), few annoying mannerisms such as pacing back and forth, saying "uh" after every sentence or word, getting in the way of the presentation materials, etc.	so good you did not want them to stop	most speakers made eye contact, had clear voices	could understand everyone	some speakers were hard to under- stand	most speakers were hard to understand
Polish and Attitude—Made clear that the presentation was rehearsed and ready to go; demonstrated a positive attitude and enthusiasm about the presentation, able to handle questions and comments positively	made you want to join their team	presenters were relaxed, answered questions easily	seemed positive	seemed unsure of themselves	seemed genuinely embarrassed to be there