

### Highlander Research Blitz Competition Judging Rubric

**PRESENTER:** \_\_\_\_\_

**COLLEGE /DEPARTMENT:** \_\_\_\_\_

**FACULTY MENTOR:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PRESENTATION TITLE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SCORING CALIBRATION:**

1 Does not meet minimal expectations	2 Demonstrates competency but major weaknesses	3 Demonstrates competency but some significant weaknesses	4 Good, but some flaws	5 Very good, only very minor flaws	6 Excellent, almost flawless	7 Outstanding, no flaws
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Please include a total score between 1 and 7 in the two sections below. The competitor will then be provided with an overall score out of 14

COMPREHENSION AND CONTENT	
Presentation provided clear background and significance to the research topic	
Presentation provided clear framework of the research and methods	
Presentation clearly described the research strategy/design and the results/findings of the research	
Presentation clearly described the conclusions, outcomes and impact of the research	
Score out of 7	

ENGAGEMENT AND COMMUNICATION	
The oration was delivered clearly, and the language was appropriate for a non-specialist audience	
The PowerPoint slide was well-organized and enhanced the presentation	
The presenter conveyed enthusiasm for their research and captured and maintained the audience's attention	
Score out of 7	

<b>OVERALL SCORE</b>	
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**COMMENTS**

This very brief comment will be used to provide feedback to participants. Please identify one positive and one area for improvement (the most obvious area). **e.g. xxx was good but you need to work on xxx**

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