

Grading Rubric for Phil 490 Presentations

Formal Requirements

A (excellent)	B (good)	C (average)	D (poor)	F
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The presentation covered the assigned topic and readings.				
The presentation was of sufficient length.				
The presenter was well-prepared.				

Presentation Skills

The presenter spoke clearly.				
Handout/visual aids were used effectively.				
The presentation stayed on topic .				
The presentation was well-paced.				
The presenter invited questions and kept discussion focused on the topic.				
The presenter was respectful of audience and tolerated disagreements.				

Philosophical Content

The presentation displayed engagement with the material on the topic.				
The content of the presentation reflected accurate knowledge of the material.				
The presentation was not one-sided or biased.				
Points were supported by philosophical arguments and reasons.				
The presenter had critical/independent views on the topic.				
Related material from research and other classes were used appropriately.				
The presenter answered questions correctly and non-evasively.				
The presentation generated philosophical discussion.				