

Writing Rubric for Research Paper-50 points

TCORE 112

| Criteria | Excellent (9-10pts) | Good (8pts) | Satisfactory (7pts) | Marginal (5-6pts) | Unsatisfactory (1-4pts) |
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| Historical Introduction | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *gives clear & appropriate details of historic figure *historical context presented clearly & at an appropriate level *context provides appropriate motivation for historic question & tools used | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *gives appropriate details of historic figure *historical context is presented at an appropriate level *context provides some explanation for the historic question & tools used | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *gives some details of historic figure *some historical context is provided & understandable *context is correct but only partially motivates historic question & choice of tools | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *gives few details of the historic figure *some historical context is provided *context is correct but does not help motivate the historic question nor the choice of tool | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *gives no details or explanation of historic figure *historical context is either wrong or confusing *context provided does not help motivate the historic question |
| Math Question & Tools Used | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *historic question clearly presented *tools/philosophies used are clearly explained | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *historic question understandable *tools/philosophies used are stated | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *historic question presented *tools/philosophies used are partially explained | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *historic question presentation is not clear *tools/philosophies used are introduced | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *historic question not explained or confusing *tools/philosophies not introduced or wrong |
| Writing Organization & Style | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *clearly organized throughout *smooth transitions guide reader from topic to topic *Paragraph & sentence structures are used well | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *organized most of the way through *there is usually some transitions & guidance for the reader *a few sentences are awkward | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *content is present but not well organized *the reader is sometimes guided with transitions *some paragraphs & sentences are awkward | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *content is present *the reader is not generally guided with any transitions *most paragraphs & sentences are awkward | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *content is presented in a confusing manner *the reader is never guided or is misguided *paragraphs & sentences are badly constructed |
| Materials Due before Final Draft | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *respected references turned in IEEE format *brought draft & peer edited | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *provided respectable references *brought drafts to class on time | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *provided references in IEEE format or participated in peer editing day | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *provided a reference and provided a draft | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *neither provided references or a draft |
| Completeness, Citations & Form | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *no grammatical errors *complete bibliography included with correct IEEE format *references appropriately made throughout the paper *included picture is appropriate and easy to understand & read | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *few grammatical errors *bibliography included with correct IEEE format *references made throughout the paper *included picture is appropriate & understandable | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *some grammatical errors *bibliography included *sparse references made throughout the paper *included picture can be read & understood | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *many grammatical errors *bibliography does not have enough sources *references made in paper do not have proper IEEE format *included picture is not relevant or cannot be read & understood | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *grammatical errors disrupt the reader *bibliography is not included *no references made in the paper *no picture is included |