Grading Template for Group Presentations

Any modeling-related topic with a reasonable amount of mathematics and/or computation is allowed. In particular, students will not be graded on the choice of topic.

Each member of the group will be responsible for five minutes of the presentation, and grades will be assigned individually. Keep in mind that your target audience should be your fellow students (not your professor).

Student Name:

Scores will be given in the following categories, on a scale of 1-5 for each:

- 1. **Motivation and Clarity.** Is it clear why your topic is interesting and important? Have you developed a context for it, describing how it relates to other studies? Is the presentation easy to follow. By the end, does the class know what you've concluded? Could students in the class go out and explain it to someone else?
- 2. **Presence.** Do you engage the audience with eye contact, a clear voice, etc? Is your pronunciation clear, and do you avoid distracting mannerisms such as fiddling with a pen or marker?
- 3. **Visualization.** Is your use of the board, overhead projector or other visual aids effective? Do you avoid typographical errors or incorrect statements?