1st Year Student Scoring Rubric

Judge's Name: ____________________________
Presenter's Name: ____________________________

Please rate the poster/presenter from 0 to 4 on each of the following (circle one):

1. Study Rationale:
   a) Significance of this research is clearly stated ____________________________
   b) Gaps in knowledge are identified ____________________________
   c) Well-explained rationale/justification for the study ____________________________
   d) Clearly stated questions or hypotheses being addressed ____________________________
   e) Presenter explains the methodology clearly ____________________________

   Total: ______

2. Clarity:
   a) Clear and accurate rationale for specific methodology ____________________________
   b) The presenter discussed methods clearly ____________________________
   c) The poster displays figures/tables appropriately and clearly ____________________________

   Total: ______

3. Future Goals:
   a) Future plans were clearly stated ____________________________
   b) The presenter is well-informed on future goals ____________________________

   Total: ______

4. Presentation Overall:
   a) Flow of information is logical and clear ____________________________
   b) Presenter summarized study clearly ____________________________
   c) Presenter answered questions well ____________________________
   d) Length of initial summary (by presenter) was appropriate ____________________________
   e) Study is innovative and has potential to contribute to the field ____________________________
   f) Presenter speaks clearly and confidently ____________________________

   Total: ______

5. Poster Overall:
   a) Poster is visually appealing ____________________________
   b) Use of text is appropriate ____________________________
   c) The graphics are well-designed and of high quality ____________________________

   Total: ______

Overall Total: ______

Things this student did very well: ______________________________________

Things this student could improve: ______________________________________

Additional Comments: ______________________________________

☐ The Graduate Biomedical Sciences office may contact me to discuss the judging process

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