

2018 CAMMSE Research Symposium

Judging Rubric for Student Poster Competition

Scoring Items and maximum points:

First Impression: (*Max 5 points*) **Score:** _____

- How difficult is it to read the poster?
- How are colour schemes used, are they easy on the eye?
- How crowded is the poster?
- Is there a good flow of information (logical, layout of information)?
- Does the poster stimulate interest and discussion?

Layout and readability: (*Max 5 points*) **Score:** _____

- Is the poster visually jumbled?
- How easy is it to follow the sequence in the poster?
- Is font size or style easily readable?
- How much text does the poster contain?
- Are there many grammar or spelling mistakes?
- Does poster show symposium name and date?

Title: (*Max 5 points*) **Score:** _____

- How specific/adequate/long/short is the title?

Identification: (*Max 5 points*) **Score:** _____

- Can the author(s) be easily identified?
- Is contact information available (i.e., Department/ University)

Aims/ Objectives: (*Max 15 points*) **Score:** _____

- Are they clearly stated?

Research Methodology: (*Max 15 points*) **Score:** _____

- How detailed, appropriate, original are the methods and is there enough explanation?

Results: (*Max 20 points*) **Score:** _____

- How well are the results presented?
- How clear and well labelled are graphs, figures, tables?
- Was the research put into broader context/ justification for research?
- Was there sufficient scientific explanation?

Conclusions: (*Max 20 points*) **Score:** _____

- Are conclusions presented?
- If so, do they reflect the aims/objectives, and are they supported by the information and data provided in the poster?
- Is there a memorable “take-home” message?

Student presentation:

- How much do the student’s explanations demonstrate
- knowledge/ ownership/ enthusiasm for his/her work?

Total Score: _____ *out of 100.*