

Objective/Criteria	Performance Indicators			
	Exceptional (1.67 points; A)	Meets Expectations (1.33 points; B)	Needs Improvement (1.67 points; C)	Unsatisfactory (1.00 points; D)
<b>Discussion Strength of Paper's Topic</b>	Carefully thought out and well reasoned  Superior knowledge of topic	Minor logical flaws  Knowledge of topic	Logical flaws  Significant gaps in knowledge of topic	Paper displays little or no logical thought  Major gaps in knowledge of topic
<b>Factual Evidence</b>	Descriptions are accurate  No factual errors	Descriptions are nearly accurate  Minor factual errors	Descriptions are partially accurate  Some factual errors and mistakes	Work is inaccurate  Significant factual errors
<b>Composition:  Use of standard writing practices  Ability to follow instructions</b>	Work is completed  Report is clearly presented  Overall appearance shows care and attention to detail  Instructions followed	Work nearly completed  Report contains minor deviation from clear presentation, care, or attention to detail  Instructions mostly followed	Work is partially completed  Report contains significant gaps, descriptions are largely accurate, displaying some errors and mistakes  Some instructions followed	Work not completed  Report is inaccurate  Significant mistakes are present  Instructions ignored
Standard writing practices: Use of introductory, body, and summary paragraphs; Times New Roman 12 point font; one inch margins around text; indented paragraphs; double spaced paragraphs; single space after sentence ending punctuation; black ink.				
Instructions: Write a formal paper using a minimum of three suitable APA formatted references and in-text citations. Follow instructions in syllabus and Lab 6 Lecture.				