**Rubric for Reflection Papers**

Total Points = 10

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|  | **Novice** | **Developing** | **Competent** | **Exceeds Expectations** |
| Relevance | 0 points  Description of topic did not seem related to the seminar session selected. Difficult to differentiate which seminar was being discussed. | .5 points  Description of topic seemed to touch on some of the components discussed but did not show full comprehension of the material covered | 1 point  Description of topic showed accurate interpretation and understanding of the ***general concepts*** covered in the seminar | 2 points  Description of topic showed accurate interpretation and understanding of the ***material*** covered in the seminar |
| Reflection Questions  (listed in the syllabus) | 0 points  Reflection questions were not addressed in the paper | .5 points  One or two questions were address at least minimally | 1 point  All questions were address at a basic level | 2 points  All questions were address at a basic level with impressive elaboration in multiple areas |
| Expression | 0 points  Does not express opinions or ideas clearly, no connection to the topic | .5 points  Unclear connection to the topic evidence in minimal expression of opinions or ideas | 1 point  Opinions and ideas are stated clearly with occasional lack of connection to topic | 2 points  Expresses opinions and ideas in a clear and concise manner with obvious connection to the topic |
| Quality of Writing | 0 points  Piece has no style or voice  Gives no new information and very poorly organized | .5 points  Piece has little style or voice  Gives some new information but poorly organized | 1 point  Piece was written in an interesting style and voice  Informative and organized | 2 points  Piece was well written in an highly professional style and voice  Very informative and well organized |
| Grammar Usage and Mechanics | 0 points  Poor spelling and grammar; seems hasty | .25 points  Errors in spelling and grammar evidenced in several places | .5 points  Few grammatical or spelling errors | 1 point  Consistently uses grammar correctly with rare misspellings |
| Promptness and Initiative (within one week of the session date) | 0 points  Paper was not turned in in a timely manner |  | 1 point  Paper was received on time or early |  |