
Project 3: Five-minute Talk

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Talks will be in class on 18 & 20 February 2019; slides due 10p on 17 February

This project involves preparing and delivering a short (five-minute) presentation on the same topic as the paper that you summarized for Project 2. A presentation of this length will probably involve a small number of slides—perhaps as many as five if the fonts are really large, or perhaps two or three plus a title slide if there is more content on each slide. Presentations will take place in class time on 18 & 20 February.

You will not be able to cover the entire contents of your paper in five minutes! Nevertheless, the five minute time box is absolute: you must constrain yourselves to that time. You will therefore have to choose what to present. Think in terms of figures and examples, rather than definitions and long descriptions. I will give an example presentation next week to give you an idea of what a five-minute talk looks like. You will be graded against the rubric on the next page.

Upload your slides as an attachment to a private message on Piazza, so that I can have them on my tablet. **Please also bring a paper copy of your presentation materials with you to your talk**, for me to make comments on. Print your slides 2-up, and make sure that there are numbers on the slides. (If the text is too small when printed 2-up, it will certainly be too small when projected!) I will give you some immediate feedback at the time you present, with written comments later.

	Five-Minute Talk Rubric	
Time	± 30s 5 points ± 45s 4 points ± 1 min 3 points ± 1.5 min 2 points ± 2 min 1 points 0 points for more than 2 minutes under or over	5
Presentation Materials		5
Delivery		5
Fielding Questions		3
Total		18