

SOCIETY OF ENVIRONMENTAL TOXICOLOGY AND CHEMISTRY

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Abstract Rubric

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Judges, please score each category with a whole digit between 1-10; per the scale guidance provided.		
PRESENTATION ID		
	Score	/30
Structure of abstract (Is abstract well written, clear, and concise and thus engaging and encourages viewing?)		
10	Short introduction (1-2 sentences) followed with research question(s), summary of methods, results, conclusion, and relevance/applicability.	
7	Missing one of short introduction (1-2 sentences) followed with research question(s), summary of methods, results, conclusion, or relevance/applicability.	
4	Missing two of short introduction (1-2 sentences) followed with research question(s), summary of methods, results, conclusion, or relevance/applicability.	
1	Generic introductory background information, no methodology, no results, no conclusion, no relevance/applicability.	
Approach to Study (Are the hypothesis and the methodology clearly stated, rational and logical?)		/10
10	Question / hypothesis stated clearly, methodology clearly summarized and appropriate / innovative way of addressing the topic.	
7	Question / hypothesis stated, methodology summarized and appropriate, but either rational or logical element lacking in clarity.	
4	Question / hypothesis stated, methodology summarized, but either rational or logical element missing.	
1	Question / hypothesis and methodology both absent.	
Study (Is the data collection and analysis workplan appropriate?)		/10
10	Data collection and analyses workplan both described thoroughly and appropriate.	
7	Data collection well described, and analyses somewhat described and appropriate.	

Data collection somewhat described, and analysis not described or not adequate.

Data collection and analyses not described or not appropriate.