

Final Project Progress Presentation (50 points)

General Process

1. **Sign Up:** Each team must sign up for a presentation order. The signup form is available [here](#). You are encouraged to come up with a creative or funny team name :). Just make sure it's respectful and free from any offensive or discriminatory language.
2. **Present:** Each team will present their proposed project and progress.
3. **Q&A:** The instructor and other students may ask questions after the presentation.
4. **Slides Submission:** Each team must upload their slides to Canvas to help peers complete their reviews.

Rubrics

Criteria	Points	Description	
Presentation Time	5	The presentation should be 8–10 minutes, excluding the Q&A session.	
Clarity & Organization	5	The presentation is well-organized and clear. Questions are handled effectively.	
Participation	5	The student who presents or answers questions earns points. In other words, each team member is encouraged to participate.	
Project Background	2.5	Introduce the research problem and demonstrate its importance, supported by evidence (e.g., news reports, statistics, or literature).	You should have already answered these questions in your proposal, but iterating on them can always help you improve.
Novelty	2.5	Explain why your proposed project is novel compared to existing work or developments.	
Contributions & Objectives	2.5	Describe your project’s contributions, deliverables, and objectives.	
Current Progress	10	Detail what you have accomplished so far. Both “good” and “bad” results can be insightful.	
Short-Term Plan	10	Outline your specific plans for the remainder of the semester, demonstrating feasibility and timeline.	

Future Extensions	5	Discuss how your project could be extended beyond the semester—consider current limitations and ambitious next steps if the project continues.
Slides Submission	2.5	Upload your presentation slides to Canvas by Nov 19.