**Grading rubric for final project presentations**

Spatial Ecology

WILD 7970

40/40 points

Excellent presentation, Rylee. I’m not sure how this class project fits into your actual thesis, but keep me posted if you need any assistance with improving these models and making them useful.

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| **30 points** | **Content and organization** | |
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| 5/5 |  | Introduction outlining the purpose and goals of the presentation |
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| 5/5 |  | Clear explanation of the research question’s scientific background |
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| 6/6 |  | Adequate description of methods, particularly of tools/principles learned in class |
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| 6/6 |  | Presentation of results that demonstrate your comprehension of tools/principles from class |
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| 5/5 |  | Analysis and interpretation of your findings in the context of your question and relevant literature |
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| 3/3 |  | Effective conclusion of take-home message |
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| **10 points** | **Clarity and delivery** | |
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| 3/3 |  | Use of graphics and figures that enhance understanding |
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| 2/2 |  | Minimal text |
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| 1/1 |  | Appropriate pace of delivery (roughly hits the 12-minute mark) |
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| 2/2 |  | Engages with audience to maintain interest (i.e., not reading off the slides or paper) |
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| 2/2 |  | Answers questions effectively |