

“Russian Perspective”: FINAL PROJECT RUBRICS (100 points – 100 %)

CATEGORIES	Inadequate Points possible	Satisfactory Points possible	Adequate Points possible	Exceeds Expectations Points possible
Creativity and Planning	0 - 4 Lacks creativity. The topic selection planning have not been developed in advance.	5 - 6 Project has some creative elements. Project topic selection went thought some but not all preliminary stages.	7 – 8 Project is original and interesting. Topic selection and most resources for the project have been anticipated and arranged in advance.	9 - 10 Project is original and engaging. All resources for the project have been anticipated to the fullest extent possible and arranged well in advance.
Impact of Actual Cross-Cultural Communication (2)	0 - 12 Reason behind communication partners' selection is unclear. Indifferent or resistant to a position expressed by partners.	13 - 18 Communication partners selection irrelevant to the project goal. Incomplete understanding of communication partner position. Strong preference for his/her own cultural traits and seeking of the same in others.	19 - 24 Communication partners selection contribute to the project goal. Recognizes new perspectives about own cultural rules and biases. Comfortable with the complexities that new perspectives offer. Uses skills, abilities, theories, in a new situation.	25 – 30 Communication partners' selection enhances the project goal. Actual communication enriches awareness. Articulates insights into own cultural rules and biases. Seeking complexity.
Efficient Use of Foreign Media and Other Sources (3)	0 - 12 Reason behind media selection is unclear. Surface surface understanding of the complexity of elements important to members of another culture in relation to its history, values, politics, communication styles, economy, or beliefs and practices	13-18 Incomplete understanding of the media sources position . Partial understanding of the complexity of elements important to members of another culture in relation to its history, values, politics, communication styles, economy, or beliefs and practices.	19 - 24 Media selection contribute to the project goal. Its analyses demonstrate adequate understanding of the complexity of elements important to members of another culture in relation to its history, values, politics, communication styles, economy, or beliefs and practices.	25 - 30 Media selection and examination demonstrate understanding of the complexity of elements important to members of another culture in relation to its history, values, politics, communication styles, economy, or beliefs and practices.
Organization and Mechanics (written paper) (4)	0 - 12 There appears to be no organization of the essay's contents. Sentences and paragraphs are difficult to read and understand due to poor grammar or mechanics	13- 18 Organization of the essay is difficult to follow, due to inadequate transitions and/or rambling format. The essay contains numerous grammatical and mechanical errors.	19 - 24 The essay can be easily followed. Basic transitions are used; a structured format is used. The essay contains minimal grammatical or mechanical errors.	25 - 30 The essay can be easily followed. Effective transitions are used; a professional format is used. The essay is clear and concise and contains no grammatical or mechanical errors.