



Entrant Name			
Entry			
Branch		Date	March 3, 2001
Judge			



Judges: Circle the points you assign for each category:

1. Impression

Your initial impression of the paper was;

- 5 Excellent
 4 Very Good
 3 Good
 2 Adequate
 1 Inadequate

2. Presentation/Appearance

Was the paper presented in a logical and clear manner, with a good layout of text and pictures to make it easy for the reader to follow throughout?

- 5 Excellent
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3. Oral Presentation of Supporting Materials

4	3	2	1	A. Was the entry presented in a clear and logical manner?
4	3	2	1	B. Was a depth on knowledge displayed during the presentation?
4	3	2	1	C. How well was the entrant able to field questions?

4. Documentation

Did the documentation include;

4	3	2	1	A. Paper discusses and enhances understanding of a period topic (c.600 AD to 1650)
4	3	2	1	B. How well were the sources *used and incorporated* into the text proper?
4	3	2	1	C. Quality of Sources used?
4	3	2	1	D. Did the paper include such things as footnotes and a resource list (bibliography)?
4	3	2	1	E. Did the footnotes and bibliography suitably backup the writer's thesis?



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**5. Authenticity and Writing**

4	3	2	1	A. How historically accurate is the thesis presented in the paper?
4	3	2	1	B. Was the thesis self-evident and all points well supported and relevant to the thesis?
4	3	2	1	C. Is the Language throughout clear with unfamiliar terms explained and translations shown where relevant, etc?
4	3	2	1	D. Did the paper flow smoothly to move the reader from one point to another?
4	3	2	1	E. Were Proofs used throughout and properly cited?

6. Technical Ability

How is the overall finished quality of the paper?

5 Excellent 4 Very Good 3 Good 2 Adequate 1 Inadequate

7. Complexity of Research

4	3	2	1	A. Was the topic hard to research (such as limited sources, having to have information translated, etc.)?
4	3	2	1	B. Was the subject matter difficult to organize within a research paper?
4	3	2	1	C. Were complex and technical descriptions difficult to present in a clear manner?
4	3	2	1	D. Was the subject chosen appropriately addressed within the paper? Was it too broad or too narrow?

8. Bonus

A maximum of 10 Bonus points can be awarded at judge's discretion, however points should only be awarded in instances where the entrant has gone above and beyond what has been covered in the above criteria.

10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	Bonus Points
Reason:										