

**CS 329E**  
**Term Paper Grading Guidelines**

**Structure and Presentation:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ (14) Is the paper well organized?
- \_\_\_\_\_ (6) Audience: Is it clear who the audience is and does the paper speak appropriately to that audience?

**Content:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ (9) Appropriate coverage of the topic material
- \_\_\_\_\_ (8) How much did you learn about your topic?
- \_\_\_\_\_ (8) Extent to which the paper shows an understanding of the key issues that we have discussed in class.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (5) Use of specific examples
- \_\_\_\_\_ (8) Sources: How comprehensive is the research behind the paper?

**Writing:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ (10) Grammar, spelling and punctuation
- \_\_\_\_\_ (8) Paragraph structure
- \_\_\_\_\_ (4) Smooth to read
- \_\_\_\_\_ (4) Easy to follow the key ideas

**Overall:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ (8) Makes the point effectively
- \_\_\_\_\_ (8) Interesting to read

\_\_\_\_\_ (100) **Total**