

# IST Grading Rubric

**PAPER IS PAST THE DEADLINE= DO NOT ACCEPT. ALWAYS CHECK SAFEASSIGN FOR PLAGIARISM.**

Paper format: 12 point Times Roman, 1 inch margins, double spaced. Take 2 points off if noncompliant.

**Summary paragraph = 2 points      Question paragraph 1= 5 points      Question paragraph 2= 5 points**

## **Summary Paragraph (1 paragraph)**

**2 points total**

### Summary: 1 point

- Concise, Concrete and Precise
- States the main idea(s) of the program 1
- May state the main idea, but is not concrete or concise .5
- Contains only information from the program description on the IST calendar
- Contains no information about the program at all 0

### Spelling/Grammar/Length: 1 point

- Has 2 or fewer spelling and/or grammatical mistakes
- 3 to 5 sentences in length 1
- More than 2 spelling and/or grammatical mistakes 0

## **Question Paragraphs (2 paragraphs)**

**5 points possible for each paragraph-10 points total**

### Answers the Question: 3 points total

- Concise, Concrete and Precise
- Uses examples from the program that relate to the question.
- Example(s) accurately reflects program and question
- Details from program are accurate.
- Shows reflective thinking 3
- Uses examples but explanation is unclear, or does not completely relate to question
- Details from the program are accurate 2
- Answer does not relate to the question
- Explanation or example missing
- Paragraph does not reflect the program 1
- Paragraph is missing
- Answer does not address any of the syllabus questions 0

### Spelling/Grammar/Length: 2 points total

- Has 2 or fewer spelling and/or grammatical mistakes
- At least 6 sentences in length 2
- Has more than two, but less than 5 spelling and/or grammatical mistakes
- Has less than 6 sentences 1
- More than 5 spelling and/or grammatical mistakes 0

Paper Questions:

Group A Questions:

- How does this event relate to any academic course you have taken or are currently taking?
- How does this program relate to any local, national, or otherwise current event?
- How does this program relate to global or international issues?

Group B Questions:

- How did this event relate to any personal experiences you've previously had?
- Did you gain any new information from this program? If so, what? If not, why not?