Judging Rubric: Research Paper Competition

Title of Paper: ____________________________________________________________

Name of Participant: ______________________________________________________

Paper is historically accurate

______/ 15 points

Paper shows analysis and interpretation

______/ 15 points

Paper places topic in historical context

______/ 15 points

Paper is original

______/ 15 points

Research is balanced
(minimum of four sources)

______/ 10 points

Paper is an investigation of a person, event, or movement; with support for or against a position

______/ 10 points

Text is clear, spelling, and grammar are correct
(Times New Roman 12 font and double-spaced)

______/ 10 points

Paper is organized

______/ 5 points

Paper is neatly prepared
(minimum of 1500 words)

______/ 5 points

Total Score

______/ 100 points

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Judge’s Name: ________________________________