

**Geology 365**  
**Structural Geology**  
**Class Presentations**

The point I most hope to convey to my audience is:

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Your talk must answer these questions in character:

Why should your audience care about this article?

What is the methodology and/or data set presented in this article?

What are the main conclusions of this article?

Out of character: In your opinion, are these conclusions valid?

Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Paper: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

4 = excellent

3 = good

2 = poor

1 = wretched

<b>Elements</b>	<b>rating</b>	<b>weight</b>	<b>total</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>organization</b> -talk contains main divisions, clear sub-points, and transitions		x 2 =		
<b>content</b> -appropriate important point -conveys important point to audience -reports methods and main conclusions of article -contains clear explanations -time length -rich in detail		x 3 =		
<b>visual aids</b> -clear, large, simple -appropriate -well-timed and presented -enhancement of message -clearly explained		x 2 =		
<b>physical delivery</b> -eye contact, gestures, poise -vocal rate, pitch, volume -vocabulary		=		
<b>introduction and conclusions</b> -introduction gains attention & contains central idea -introduction previews organization of talk -conclusion contains summary review and effective final thought		x 2 =		
<b>TOTAL</b> (out of 40)				