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|  |  | **PUBLIC SPEAKING IN ENGLISH** |
|  |  | **GROUP ASSIGNMENT** |
| **Intake** | **:** |  |
| **Lecturer** | **:** |  |
| Issued week |  |  |
| **Deadline** | **:** |  |

This is a group assignment weighted at **50%** as required in the **Public Speaking in English module.**

To avoid plagiarism, use the APA Referencing Method for in-text and end-text references.

**Assignment Task**

**Group Symposium (30%)**

Students work together in groups (**not more than 5/6 members**) to research, write and deliver a twenty-minute symposium about a situation, an issue or a scenario that occurs within public. Students are assigned to groups and given guidance in choosing a topic. The goal of the symposium is to discuss an issue from multiple perspectives, so the audience arrives at a better understanding of the issue. Once the information is presented, students lead the audience in a discussion of the issue from multiple perspectives and then conclude the presentation by summarizing both the information presented and the audience’s questions and comments. Students need to discuss the issue by conducting a symposium and each member is assigned one position or role. For example, you could have a university forum with the topic on improving campus security with the following people speaking: A chairperson, a student, a campus police officer, a professor, the warden of the campus hostel.

Note:

* The group symposium will take place in Weeks 11-12 during your tutorial session.
* Each group symposium should last for about 30 minutes (20 minutes of discussion, 10 minutes of Q &A session)

**Group Report (20%)**

Students will have to present a report on their analysis. The report should contain the following components:

1. Introduction – Purpose
2. Content –Findings
3. Recommendation (if applicable)
4. Conclusion
5. References & appendix (s) + Log sheets