JUDGING FORM (10-minute presentation)

International Business Ethics and Sustainability Case Competition Loyola Marymount University

SESSION (Date and Time)	TOPIC	TEAM (School and Division)

Judge Information

If you have a business card, please leave with Senior Judge

Name		
Organization		
Email		

General Instructions – 10-Minute Presentation

This presentation focuses solely on the ethical issues and is given by two or three members of the team. Teams imagine that this presentation is the result of being called back after their full presentation in order to give a shorter presentation strictly about the ethical issues of their topic. There is no power point presentation, handouts or Q&A. Teams are expected to have incorporated feedback received from the full presentation into this 10-minute presentation.

Ethical Dimension

Please base your score on how well the team answered the following questions:

- From an ethical and values-based perspective, why is the problem an ethical issue?
- What is the amount and type of tangible good and harm involved in the problem and in the solution?
- Are the actions themselves in this case (in the problem and solution) ethically defensible?
- What positive ethical value does the solution advance?
- Is the solution ethically acceptable?

Scoring – How well did the team present the ethical issues in a straightforward way, relating them directly to central issues associated with running the organization? (The discussion of the ethical issues should have helped the team "sell" the team's solution to the executives.) Check boxes below.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Outstanding	Good	Acceptable	Marginal	Weak
Complicated ethical	Ethical issues	Explanation needed	You only partially	Explanation
issues made easy	explained	development, but	understood the ethical	seriously
to understand.	simply.	you got the general	issue (explanation not	incomplete.
Relevance to	Connection to	idea of the ethical	clear or too technical)	You barely
business concerns	business	issues and	and/or the connection	understood the
was clear and	concerns was	connection to the	to the business	ethical issues.
insightful.	clear.	business concern.	concern.	

Did the team use technical philosophical language, cite philosophers as authorities or appeal to any religious tradition? (Not appropriate in typical business setting.)

Yes No

Persuasiveness

Please base your score on the following:

- Was the ethical problem clearly explained?
- Was the argument clear and well thought out?
- Is the solution responsible and compelling?

Scoring – Were you convinced by the team's argument and suggested solution? Check boxes below.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Outstanding	Good	Acceptable	Marginal	Weak
Convinced and I	Convinced. You	More or less	Almost convinced.	Unconvinced. The
would act on their	have some	convinced. You have	You have major	presentation may
recommendations.	reservations,	some reservations,	reservations that	have some good
You have no	but nothing	but the presentation	leave you	points, but clearly
reservations.	major.	left you more	unconvinced, and	not enough to
		convinced than	found more than	convince you.
		unconvinced.	50% of the	
			presentation	
			unconvincing.	

Presentation Skills

Please base your score on the following:

- Were the speakers comfortable enough with the material that they did not read from a script?
- Could all the speakers be heard?
- Did the speakers manage the time well?
- Was the team polished and professional?

Scoring – Was the presentation convincing?

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Outstanding	Good	Acceptable	Marginal	Weak
Everything one	Everything one	Most of what	Much of what	Some of what
could expect,	could reasonably	one could	should be there,	should be there,
plus more	expect	reasonably	but not enough	but seriously
		expect		incomplete

General comments, if any: