## PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT PROPAGANDA PROJECT

Your project will be graded on how well you work as a group and on how effectively and creatively you convey the overall message that <u>obedience to</u> <u>the values and organization of the society leads to individual virtue and sanity, thereby bringing about stability and happiness for all</u>.

### Self-assessment Checklist

 Is the video between 2 and 3 minutes in length?
 Does the video clearly state the core message of the subdepartment you are working for?
 Is the announcement understandable and digestible to society members both young and old?
 Is the message upbeat, and does it reflect the ideals of the "paradise" described in the assignment overview?
 Did you use strong diction, vivid imagery, and well-selected sound effects to set the tone?
 Did you appeal to audience emotions?
 Did you effectively incorporate at least one propaganda technique?
 Did you include simple, catchy slogans and/or jingles that will stay in people's minds afterwards?
 Did every group member play a role in planning and producing the final product?
 Does the video contain an introduction and a conclusion (see ideas below)  Introduce the name of your society and what your society promotes: "Here in (society name), we believe"  Conclude by calling your audience to action; leave a lasting impression by stating the subdepartment's philosophy  "This message is brought to you by"

# "To be happy is to live healthy" (subdepartment philosophy)

### **Evaluation Rubric**

CRITERIA	POINTS					WG	T	TOT
Content  The video plan addresses all project guidelines and clearly conveys the message that obedience to the values and organization of the society leads to individual virtue and sanity, thereby bringing about stability and happiness for all; the development is consistently appropriate to the task, purpose, and audience.  ☐ The video is between 2-3 minutes in length.  ☐ The video clearly and effectively communicates the subdepartment philosophy.  Consumerism: Increased production & consumption leads to happiness and virtue. Newer is better! More is best!  Health: To be happy is to live healthy!  Entertainment: A normal person just wants to have non-stop 24-7 fun! Sensory stimulation is the key to happiness!  Technology: Technology makes life easier and better for everyone!	10	9	8	7	6	2		
Organization  Text, images, and video clips are arranged cohesively, making the PSA understandable and digestible to young and old.  □ The video contains an introduction and conclusion.  □ Ideas are unified through repetition, transitions, and design scheme.	10	9	8	7	6	1		
Style  The project utilizes strong diction, vivid imagery, and well-selected sound effects to set the tone and appeal to audience emotions.  Slogans and/or jingles are catchy and memorable The message is upbeat and reflects the ideals of the "paradise" described in the assignment overview At least 1 propaganda technique is utilized to appeal to audience emotions (bandwagon, testimonial, plain folks, transfer, glittering generalities, fear)	10	9	8	7	6	2		
Planning & Production  All group members participated in the planning and production process.  □ Project planner and storyboard were completed and re-submitted at end of project. □ Script was submitted, approved, and re-submitted at end of project. □ All group members submitted job list.	10	9	8	7	6	1		

#### Comments