CS482:Guideline for Paper Presentation

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Student Presentation Guidelines

- Good summary, not full detail, of the paper
 - Talk about motivations of the work
 - Give a broad background on the related work
 - Explain main idea and results of the paper
 - Discuss strengths and weaknesses of the method
- Prepare an overview slide
 - Talk about most important things and connect them well

High-Level Ideas

- Deliver most important ideas and results
 - Do not talk about minor details
 - Give enough background instead
- Deeper understanding on a paper is required
 - Go over at least two related papers and explain them in a few slides
- Spend most time to figure out the most important things and prepare good slides for them



Deliver Main Ideas of the Paper

- Identify main ideas/contributions of the paper and deliver them
- If there are prior techniques that you need to understand, study those prior techniques and explain them
 - For example, A paper utilizes B's technique in its main idea. In this case, you need to explain B to explain A well.



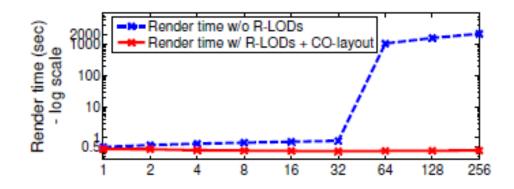
Be Honest

- Do not skip important ideas that you don't know
 - Explain as much as you know and mention that you don't understand some parts
- If you get questions you don't know good answers, just say it
 - You need to explain them at KLMS board



Result Presentation

- Give full experiment settings and present data with the related information
 - What does the x-axis mean in the below image?



- After showing the data, give a message that we can pull of the data
- Show images/videos, if there are



Utilizing Existing Resources

- Use author's slides, codes, and video, if they exist
- Give proper credits or citations
 - Without them, you are cheating!



Audience feedback form

Date: https://forms.gle/xnuAieaxppGqFhdV6

Talk title: Speaker:

1. Was the talk well organized and well prepared?

5: Excellent 4: good 3: okay 2: less than average

poor

2. Was the talk comprehensible? How well were important concepts

covered?

5: Excellent 4: good 3: okay

3: okay 2: less than average

poor

Any comments to the speaker



As an Evaluator

- Evaluate in an objective manner
- Do not rank talks; just focus on each talk



Prepare Quiz

- Review most important concepts of your talk
 - Prepare two multiple-choices questions
- Example: What is the biased algorithm?
 - A: Given N samples, the expected mean of the estimator is I
 - B: Given N samples, the exp. Mean of the estimator is I + e
 - C: Given N samples, the exp. Mean of the estimator is I + e,
 where e goes to zero, as N goes to infinite
- Grade them in the scale of 0 to 10 and send it to TA

