

Group Facilitation and Restorative Practice (M6X00967)

Assignment 1: Oral Presentation (30%)

A 15 minute oral presentation based on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission with reference to a case study chosen from the following list to illustrate the work and effectiveness of TRCs:

South Africa (Apartheid),
Northern Ireland
Canada (Residential schools for Aboriginals)
Australia (Aboriginals)
New Zealand (Maoris)
Bosnia
Rwanda
Cambodia (Killing fields)



Other

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Writing your Case Study

- Case studies are about real life situations. They involve an in-depth observation of a 'case' such as an event, process or person. (In this case, it could be seen as a process of an event).
- You need to observe a case in terms of TRC in a chosen situation and explain what happened.
- Analyse the case with reference to theories of restorative justice and restorative practice.
- Identify major problems and offer solutions if appropriate.

Points to consider

- You will need to include a 'title' slide.
You can be creative with this as the title could be in the form of a question or statement. It will reflect the themes you wish to present.
- It will also include your name and P number.
- Font size of 30 is good
- Approximately 12-15 slides
- Three points per slide
- Images or pictures



Structure

- **Introduction (2-3 minutes)**

The introduction is the point at which the presenter explains the content and purpose of the presentation. This is a vitally important part of your talk as you will need to gain the audience's interest and confidence (please see guidance sheet from University Leicester) that is located in moodle.

<http://www2.le.ac.uk/offices/ld/resources/presentations/structuring-presentation>

Context:

- You will need to provide the context from which your case study emerges, providing information about the TRC and how and why it was formed
- It is good practice to position yourself within your research – give your rationale for why you chose this particular case study
- What is the history/background of your chosen case study?

Discussion

some questions to consider:

- What is the mandate of your chosen TRC?
- Clearly stipulate what the Commission hoped or would hope to achieve
- How successful has this been?
- Is it likely to be successful?
- What are the barriers?
- What are the strengths and limitations of this commission?
- What is particular to the context you have chosen?
- What can this tell us about the efficacy of TRCs?

(These points can be considered more fully in your written assignment but can be signposted in your presentation)

Conclusion

- *This is the stage at which you can summarise the content and purpose of your talk, offer an overview of what has been achieved and make a lasting impact.*

- **Reference List**

Reference list at the end and also using references within the text of your presentation.

More points to consider:

- **Have a clear thread throughout your presentation.**

Transitions are the signposts that help the audience navigate their way through your presentation. They can help divide information up into sub-sections, link different aspects of your talk and show progression through your topic. Importantly, transitions draw the audience's attention to the process of the presentation as well as its content.

- **Use of Images**

Please use images or pictures that might be appropriate for your presentation. They can help with the transitions and create an impact within your presentation.

Resources

University of Leicester

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