



## JUDGING CRITERIA

(Judging criteria are explained in the *Rule Book*)

| <b>Historical Quality (60%)</b>      |
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| • Entry is historically accurate     |
| • Shows analysis and interpretation  |
| • Places topic in historical context |
| • Shows wide research                |
| • Uses available primary sources     |
| • Research is balanced               |

| <b>Relation to Theme (20%)</b>  |
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| • Clearly relates topic to theme                                      |
| • Demonstrates significance of topic in history and draws conclusions |

| <b>Clarity of Presentation (20%)</b>   |
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| • Paper is original, clear, appropriate, organized and well-presented          |
| • Text is clear, grammatical and spelling is correct; entry is neatly prepared |

| <b>Rules Compliance</b>                          |
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| • Maintains length requirement (1500-2500 words) |
| • Includes annotated bibliography                |
| • Other  |

## COMMENTS

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