MERLOT

MERLOT Peer Reviewer Report Form (V 17.3)

Name of Learning Material:	
MERLOT URL:	
Learning Material URL:	
Reviewer's Name:	
Date Review Completed:	
Review Time Required:	

Description

1. Overview: Describe overview, features and descriptions, uses, and applications. Include cost, if any for apps	
2. Type of material: Animation, assessment tool, assignment, case study, collection, development tool, drill and practice, e-portfolio, learning object repository, online course, open journal article, open textbook, presentation, reference material, simulation/game, social networking tool, quiz/test, tutorial, workshop and training material.	
3. Technical requirements: Browser, software or plug-in, Java, HTML, Flash, etc. You can test how it appears on Internet Explorer at **http://ipinfo.info/netrenderer/** Note type of device if it is an app (iPad, Android, phone, etc.)	
4. Identify major learning goals: Purpose of site, goal for learner/user. Aligns with ICT literacy standards (e.g. AACU, ACRL, ISTE, IFLA)	
5. Recommended uses: In-class, homework, individual, team, lecture, etc.	
6. Target population: Level, course or subject matter, other user groups	
7. Prerequisite knowledge or skills needed: Course or subject matter, computer skills, other miscellaneous skills	

Evaluation and Observations: After reviewing the learning material, please indicate your agreement with the following statements by placing an "x" in the applicable column where 5=excellent or strongly agree and 1=poor or strongly disagree.

1. Quality of Content – The Learning Material…	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neither Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A
…is clear and concise						
…provides a complete demonstration of the concept						
…demonstrates a core concept grounded in the discipline						
…is current and relevant						
…is informed by scholarship						
…is self-contained (can be used without requiring an assignment or context)						
…provides accurate information						
…is flexible (can be used in several situations)						
…includes an adequate amount of material						
…summarizes the concept well						
…integrates the concept well						
…all links work and are accurate						
…all content is labeled with appropriate attribution						
Overall, the quality of the content is very high						
	5	4.5	3.5	2.5	1.5	0
Enter a numerical value that summarizes your attitudes above.						
Strengths (Describe the outstanding features of the quality of the learning material) **Concerns** (Describe any problems in terms of quality)						
2. Potential Effectiveness as a Teaching Tool/This Learning Material…						
…identifies learning objectives; draws from ICT literacy standards						
…identifies prerequisite knowledge, including ICT literacy						
…reinforces concepts progressively						
…builds on prior concepts						
…demonstrates relationships between concepts						
…is easy to write assignments for						
…is very efficient (could learn a lot in a short time)						
…result of material use is applicable for ICT literacy or its practices						
Overall, learning material is a very effective teaching tool						
	5	4.5	3.5	2.5	1.5	0
Enter a numerical value that summarizes your attitudes above.						
Strengths (Describe the outstanding features of the quality of the learning material) **Concerns** (Describe any problems in terms of quality)						
3. Ease of Use – This Learning Material…						
…has clear instructions						
…is engaging						
…is visually appealing						
…is interactive						

	5	4.5	3.5	2.5	1.5	0
…is of high design quality						
…is usable without guidance						
…technology is easily available						
…has help feature						
…is ADA compliant (e.g. accessible for target population)						
Overall, the usability of this learning material is very high						

	5	4.5	3.5	2.5	1.5	0
Please enter the numeric value that summarizes your attitudes above.						

Strengths: (Indicate the outstanding features of the usability of the learning material)

Concerns: (List problems in terms of usability)

	5	4.5	3.5	2.5	1.5	0
What is your overall numeric rating for this material? Review your 3 ratings above and determine your overall rating						

Optional Information:

Other comments to be included in the review: (If an app, respects privacy of user, meets PG rating standards, how frequently app is updated)

Comments to author only: (Any needed improvements or recommendations should be addressed here.)