

Appendix IV. Project Video Instructions

Record a video (maximum duration 2 minutes) explaining your project. The target audience for this video is members of the general public who will visit the fair on Public Day. While judges will have access to this video, it will not be the focus of their project review.

What to include in your video:

1. Introduce Yourself: State your full name and your city/state/country. Rather than reciting your project title, consider explaining your project in a single sentence.

2. Explain Your Project: Summarize your research into main points:

- a. What did you do?
- b. What did you find?
- c. What conclusions did you draw?

To note:

- You can use any props or visuals you may have that are within the Display & Safety guidelines.
- Do not include anyone in your video other than the student researchers of the project.

Best Practices for Filming:

These videos will not be edited. To ensure your video is the best representation of your work, please keep these best practices in mind while filming:

- Please speak in English.
- Film yourself in a well-lit and non-distracting environment so the viewer's focus stays on you and your work.
- For best results, film your video horizontally (landscape).
- Keep the camera still and in place during filming.
- Speak clearly and loudly enough that the recording is able to pick up every word you say.
- Avoid long pauses.
- Listen to your video after recording to ensure your voice is clear and audible, and that the video has not picked up too much background noise.