

## Guide for Rough Outline for Abstract Term Speech

(You are not required to use this form,  
but your outline should include all these elements in a logical order.)

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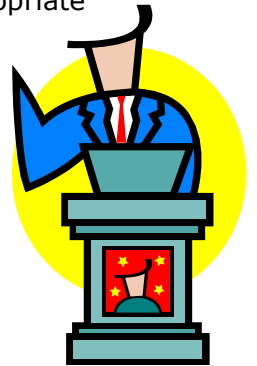
Abstract Term:

Speech Title:

Statement of Purpose:

Your speech should include five of the following kinds of support. Where in your speech will you use the kinds of supports you've decided will work best in this speech? Enter them in the appropriate place in this outline.

- \_\_\_\_\_ Definition of term – consult the *Oxford English Dictionary* and other on-line sites. Check the college library website and Info-Trac on CD-ROM,
- \_\_\_\_\_ Quotation using the term – use Internet search for quotations
- \_\_\_\_\_ Anecdote – use Internet search engine for anecdotes
- \_\_\_\_\_ Some sort of statistic
- \_\_\_\_\_ Personal experience or observation
- \_\_\_\_\_ Contemporary issue or situation illustrating the term – Newspaper, news magazine or on-line news service. Something published in the past two weeks.



**INTRODUCTION:** Type of introductory strategy

- I.
- II.
- III.

**BODY:** Organization Pattern

**Include** Verbal citation of sources.

- I.
- II.
- III.

Transition Words and Phrases you are considering

**CONCLUSION:** Conclusion strategy

- I.
- II.
- III. Memorable closing line

**REFERENCES:** (List on a separate page of our rough draft the resources you're using in this speech. See [KNIGHTCITE](#) or a similar resource for formatting your reference page in Chicago format. You should have four or more resources listed here. I understand that this list may be changed in your final outline.)