Judging Scorecard

Group Name:_____ Project:_____ Final Score: ____ /25

Score	Category
1 **2** **3** **4** **5** (Poor) (Fair) (Great)	**Usefulness of Solution**: How well does the proposed solution solve the core problem it attempts to address? • Evaluates idea, not finished product • How useful is the solution to those facing the problem? • An excellent solution to a problem with a smaller target population should be scored higher than mediocre solution to a universal problem
1 **2** **3** **4** **5** (Poor) (Fair) (Great)	**Innovativeness**: How original and unique is the solution? • Is there other software out there that solves the same problem? Is this software meaningfully different? • Does this software solve a unique problem? • Is this software unique within this hackathon?
1 **2** **3** **4** **5** (Poor) (Fair) (Great)	**Application to Theme- Connect**: How well does this software improve our ability to connect with each other, with technology, and/ or with organizations? • Evaluates both the software's idea and implementation, as well as the ability of the team to explicitly communicate how it improves our connectiveness • Many different types of connections are acceptable
1 **2** **3** **4** **5** (Poor) (Fair) (Great)	**Ease of Use/ User Interface**: How easy is this software to use? How appropriate is the user interface for the target audience? • Primarily evaluates software as implemented, but can also take into consideration prototypes or designs presented by team • Does the user interface meet the needs of the targeted demographics? • Very high or low aesthetic appeal will also be factored into this score
1 **2** **3** **4** **5** (Poor) (Fair) (Great)	**Implementation**: How well did the team implement their idea? • Solely evaluates the quality of the software submitted • Is the software working? • How completely did they implement their proposed solution? • Does the software run as expected? Are there significant issues that make it difficult/ impossible to use?

Additional Comments (continue on back as needed):