Group discussion guidelines/rubric:

Discussions	**0 Points**	**1 Point**	**2 Points**
Integration of Readings	Relies on own opinions. Forms minimal conclusion based on one or two pieces of information.	Includes references to the class readings. May include fact as well as opinion. Forms conclusion with limited examination of information.	Demonstrates solid understanding of course readings. Presents well-focused interpretations, original insights, and well-reasoned commentary. Conclusion includes evidence and consideration of information.
Responsiveness	Does not include any references to other students' responses or does not interact with other peers.	Includes some references to other students' responses or responds to at least one student's ideas.	Builds on other students' responses and integrates them to form conclusions or examines and expounds on other students' ideas.
Timeliness	Assignment is posted later than the due date.	Assignment is posted by the due date.	