Data Collection and Analysis 1-9 months (Including 4 RAC meetings)

Questions	Judging Criteria	Max Points	Scoring Details	Score Received
Document the data you collected from your experiment.	Sufficient data is collected and well-documented	20	points: No data documentation points: Data documented but not following GYRA guidelines points: Data documented exactly per GYRA guidelines Note: Minimum score needed to move to the next stage is 20 points.	
List potential sources of error.	Lists sources of error and explains how these could have affected the results	10	0 points: Does not list any errors 5 points: Incomplete list of sources of error 10 points: Lists sources of error, alternative strategies to overcome the errors, explanations are very thorough and free of spelling or grammatical errors Note: Minimum score needed to move to the next stage is 10 points.	
Statistical analysis.	Lists statistical tests used to validate the data	20	0 points: Does not list any statistics 20 points: Lists statistical tests with very thorough explanations and represents the statistical significance Note: This applies only to studies that require any statistical analysis. Minimum score needed to move to the next stage is 20 points.	