Evaluating Web Sources

What the experts have to say (5 minutes)
- On your individual tablets, find a website that discusses evaluating sources.
- What are the main things these sites tell you to look for
- Pick your group’s best site and display it on your TV screen.

Applying “the rules” (10 minutes)
- Work in pairs to evaluate two websites (links provided by the Librarians); keep your website on evaluating resources open on one group member’s tablet, while you use your other tablets to look at the two sites.
- Would you use either or both of these as a scholarly source in a paper? Why or why not? Make notes on your group’s whiteboard

Class Discussion (10 minutes)
- Librarian will ask both groups to report out on their findings and decisions
- Where would you go next? Librarian will ask students to think about next research steps if they found these two websites when starting a research project.

Closing (5 minutes)
- Questions?
- Ask all students to take our brief classroom survey