Kingdom Bardic Championship Glossary of Rubric Terms

Below is further explanation of instructions, key terms and definitions found in the Kingdom Arts & Sciences Rubrics:

Appropriate Time Period/Historical Time Period of Entries:

This competition requires entries to be from the SCA time period - pre-1600 CE (worldwide). If written or oral sources are not available to appropriately date your entry's time period as pre-1600, please use other indicators from history that support its inclusion in this time period, please include this justification in the entry's documentation.

Technical Ability:

(The below terms are defined for the Technical Ability evaluation)

Emerging:

The entrant possesses the ability to perform their entry at or above novice level, but there are observable gaps in skill/ability.

Proficient:

The entrant demonstrates competency in their skills to perform their entry with only minor technical flaws or gaps. This entrant has enough skill and ability to teach an introductory skills class on the entry topic.

Masterful:

The entrant possesses skills beyond what is expected of competency and has no error(s) or gap(s) related to the performance of their entry. This entrant could teach an advanced skills class on the entry topic. This person has the skill and ability level to be an authority on this topic within our organization.

Documentation:

Documentation: Documentation requireents are a minimum 500 words excluding the Bilbliography/Works Cited section). Documentation can be a paper, a power point presentation, tabulature with sources, a research poster, a speech-to-text summary of your knowledge, et al. Sources must be provided regardless of what format the entrant chooses.

Works Cited/Bibliography etc.: this category is meant to encompass any consistent method of citing sources. Any format is okay as long as it is consistent.

Citation: a quotation or a reference marker from or reference to a book, paper, or author, especially in a scholarly work.