**Olympic City Bid Project**

**Phase 1: Research and Invitation**

* Go to the following web site and read the information about the Olympics Bid Process:
	+ <http://www.olympic.org/content/the-ioc/bidding-for-the-games/all-about-the-bid-process/>
* After you have read all of the information, do a little research on your own. Decide which city in the world you would like to sponsor to host the Olympic Games (Summer 2024 or Winter 2022).
* Submit your proposed city to the Head of the IOC (Miss Connolly)

**Phase 2: Application Process**

* Create a completed application for your city’s Olympics bid. Remember, you want to wow the IOC with your preparation, innovation, and commitment to the legacy of the Olympics, so be as thorough, detailed, and creative as possible in creating your portfolio.
* Your application portfolio should include:
	+ Detailed Demographics Report on your city (i.e., population, stability, history, government system, leadership, etc.)
	+ Benefits Analysis (i.e., why should we hold the Olympics in your city? What does your city have to offer? Why is your city better than the other options?)
	+ Proposed Olympic Facilities Design
		- Plans for building/remodeling
		- Photos/maps of location(s)
		- Food venues
		- Hotels
		- Transportation systems
		- Estimated costs
		- Etc.
	+ Legacy Purpose Statement
	+ Photographic Evidence
	+ Complete citations for ALL sources used

**Phase 3: Candidature Phase**

* After the IOC has reviewed your complete application, you will be asked to participate in a comprehensive interview with the Head of the IOC.
* During this interview, you will need to be able to justify your bid, explain your application, and provide detailed evidence and reasoning as to why your city should be chosen as host city for the Olympics
* After receiving feedback from your interview, you will present your application to the class (and in front of the rest of the IOC [TBD]). This will require:
	+ A PowerPoint presentation
	+ Public speaking (practice times can be arranged)
	+ Professional attire
	+ EXTRA CREDIT: food samples, 3-D diagram of your Olympic facilities, etc.