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## **Sources for preparing and giving presentations**

1. Books by Edward R. Tufte (Professor Emeritus at Yale University, where he taught courses in statistical evidence, information design, and interface design), Graphics Press:

*The Visual Display of Quantitative Information*, about how to display data for precise, effective, quick analysis,

*Envisioning Information*, provides practical advice about how to explain complex material by visual means,

*Visual Explanations: Images and Quantities, Evidence and Narrative*, about the representation of mechanism and motion, process and dynamics, causes and effects, explanation and narrative.

About the books, see [http://www.edwardtufte.com/tufte/books\\_vdqi](http://www.edwardtufte.com/tufte/books_vdqi)

2. Sources for making presentations:

Making Presentations: a Checklist (from U. Colorado Health Sciences Center)

<http://www.uchsc.edu/CIS/MkgPresntsChkList.html>

Making effective Oral Presentations (from Northeastern University College of Bus. Admin. Prof. Edward G. Wertheim)

<http://web.cba.neu.edu/~ewertheim/skills/oral.htm>

Designing Presentation Visuals (from Pacific Lutheran University Media Services)

[http://www.plu.edu/libr/media/designing\\_visuals.html](http://www.plu.edu/libr/media/designing_visuals.html)