



Report on the part of the final state examination Record of the thesis defence

Academic year: 2022/2023

Student's name and surname: Louis Boyd-Madsen
Student's ID: 45481793

Type of the study programme: Master's (post-Bachelor)
Study programme: Journalism, Media and Globalisation
Study ID: 722028

Title of the thesis: The Ecological Impacts of the Decline of Local Media: Climate Action, Perceptions of Climate Tractability, and Media Consumption in Scotland

Thesis department: Department of Journalism (23-KZ)
Language of the thesis: English
Language of defence: English
Advisor: Annamária Neag, D.Phil.
Reviewer(s): Mgr. Ing. Kateřina Turková, Ph.D.
Date of defence: 12.09.2023 **Venue of defence:** Praha
Attempt: regular

Course of defence: The student presented the topic of his master's thesis, which was about the ecological impact of the decline of local media. He briefly introduced the topic, theoretical framework, and methodological apparatus of his work. Then, he talked about the results and main findings of his analysis, which was conducted as a mixed methodology research (quantitative methodology - survey + quantitative narrative analysis). Both the supervisor and the opponent were present during the defence. Dr. Neag, as the supervisor, read her review and talked about her objections to the thesis. Dr. Turková, as the opponent, also read her review and mentioned the limitations and objections of this thesis. The student commented on the objections according to reviews and answered the questions from the supervisor and the opponent.

Result of defence: excellent (B)

Chair of the board: doc. Robert Silverio, Ph.D. (present)

Committee members: PhDr. Michal Dimitrov, Ph.D. (present)
Mgr. Sandra Lábová (present)