



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

Academic year: 2023/2024

**Student's name and surname:** Hanbee Yoo  
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**Type of the study programme:** Bachelor's  
**Study programme:** Economics and Finance  
**Study ID:** 715430

**Title of the thesis:** The Impact of Low Fertility Rate on Economic Growth in South Korea  
**Thesis department:** Institute of Economic Studies (23-IES)  
**Language of the thesis:** English  
**Language of defence:** English  
**Advisor:** Ing. Lukáš Jordán, M.A.  
**Reviewer(s):** Mgr. Lenka Šlegerová  
**Date of defence:** 10.09.2024    **Venue of defence:** Praha  
**Attempt:** regular

**Course of the examination:** The student presented her thesis titled "The Impact of Low Fertility Rate on Economic Growth in South Korea". Starting with the motivation, the student went through a literature review, the theoretical framework used, the data, the method used, and the main findings. After the presentation, the committee asked the questions raised in the advisor's and opponent's reports. The committee also discussed with the student the specification of her model, in particular the lack of lags. There was a lengthy discussion about the logic behind the population-related explanatory variables and the causal relationship between fertility and death rates on the one hand and GDP growth in the same year on the other. The student answered the questions quite competently. Therefore, the committee decided to award a grade of B.

**Result of defence:** excellent (B)

**Chair of the board:** Chytilová Julie, doc. PhDr., Ph.D. (present) .....

**Committee members:** Cahlík Tomáš, doc. Ing., CSc. (present) .....  
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