



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

Academic year: 2023/2024

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Type of the study programme: Bachelor's
Study programme: Politics, Philosophy and Economics
Study ID: 679187

Title of the thesis: The impact of Russia's war of aggression on nuclear energy policy in Central and Eastern European countries.
Thesis department: Department of Political Science (23-KP)
Language of the thesis: English
Language of defence: English
Advisor: doc. Martin Riegl, Ph.D.
Reviewer(s): Mgr. Jonathan Collins
Date of defence: 06.06.2024 **Venue of defence:** Praha
Attempt: regular

Course of the examination: [in person] The student presented the thesis defence, beginning with the topic relevance, research questions, and methodological choices. Then focused on the study's findings showing that the studied counties expect Hungary were pursuing energy transition strategies.

Dr Hájek [Board] asks the student to elaborate on the statistical analysis.
The student explains the analysis was rather basic, providing the example how he used it.
Dr Hájek points out that perhaps it is a descriptive analysis rather than a statistical analysis.
Dr Doležalová [Board] asks the student to respond to the reviewer's comments.
The student explains the theoretical anchoring choice between realism and power-competition theories.
Dr Doležalová brings a methodological question regarding combining statistics and qualitative analysis towards the evidence used for the outcomes.
The student elaborates on how he applied the analysis.
No further questions from the board.

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| Result of defence: | very good (D) | |
| Chair of the board: | Franěk Jakub, Mgr., Ph.D. (present) | |
| Committee members: | Hájek Lukáš, Mgr., M.A., Ph.D. (present) | |
| | Doležalová Antonie, prof. doc. PhDr. Mgr. Ing., Ph.D. (present) | |