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Report on part of state final examination Defence of bachelor's thesis

Academic year: 2023/2024

Student's name and surname: Daniel Andrew Flynn
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Type of the study programme: Bachelor's
Study programme: Playing Instrument for Teacher Education with double curriculum
study Music Education for Teacher Education

Study ID: 717709

Title of the thesis: Ragtime performance practice and piano technique
Thesis department: (41-KHV)
Language of the thesis: English
Language of defence: English
Advisor: Mgr. Vartan Agopian, Ph.D.
Reviewer(s): MgA. Roman Czepa
Date of defence: 12.09.2024 **Venue of defence:** Praha
Attempt: regular

Course of the examination: Author of this bachelor thesis focused on piano performance practice of Ragtime. He talked about the motivation, that led him to choose the topic and about the goals, that he set and fulfilled. Supervisor of the thesis was not present, his review has been read. He highly appreciated student's remarkable dedication and passion throughout the thesis projekt. His evaluation of the thesis was excellent. Oponent was in accordance with the supervisor. He valued, that the thesis offers its possible application in piano teaching and describes the expected effect on the development on the piano technique. It was stated, that this thesis shows technical and analytical skills of the author, including his broader understanding of Ragtime piano performance and deep own knowledge of it.

Result of defence:	excellent (1)	
Chair of the board:	Palkovská Jana, doc. MgA.
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