

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

Academic year: 2023/2024

**Student's name and surname:** Anna Zamtaradze

**Student's ID:** 99739420

**Type of the study programme:** Bachelor's

**Study programme:** Politics, Philosophy and Economics

**Study ID:** 712951

**Title of the thesis:** The Path to Georgia's European Dream: A Media Analysis of

Rhetoric, Reality, and Russian Influence

**Thesis department:** Department of Russian and East European Studies (23-KRVS)

Language of the thesis:EnglishLanguage of defence:English

**Advisor:** doc. Adrian Brisku, Ph.D.

**Reviewer(s):** Mgr. Bc. Daniela Lenčéš Chalániová, Ph.D.

**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. Based on the reviewer's comments, the student emphasised the data collection analysis methods used. The student followed with how the

theoretical anchoring relates to the findings.

Dr Franěk [Board] asks the student to elaborate on the relationship between the Georgian ruling party and the Russian influence based

on the study.

The student elaborates on the question and continues with her

positionality, given the reviewer's comments.

Dr Hájek [Board] asks the student to elaborate on the methodological choices behind the interviews since one of the appendices does not

provide detailed information on the data collection process.

The student elaborates on the formal aspects of the interviews, but Dr Hájek highlights that the methodology should include the choices regarding the type of interviews (open, semi-structured, etc.).

Dr Doležalová [Board] asks the student to provide more details on

the discourse analysis phase.

The student explains the resources used and the process behind the

analytical process.

No further questions from the board.

Result of defence:	very good (C)	
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)	