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

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**Student's name and surname:** Chih Yun Chen  
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**Type of the study programme:** Master's (post-Bachelor)  
**Study programme:** Journalism, Media and Globalisation  
**Study ID:** 763870

**Title of the thesis:** Words of War on Triangular Relations: A Critical Discourse Analysis of the Cross-Strait Relations in Official Statements of Taiwan, China and the U.S. during Nancy Pelosi's visit to Taiwan in August 2022

**Thesis department:** Department of Journalism (23-KZ)  
**Language of the thesis:** English  
**Language of defence:** English  
**Advisor:** Mazlum Kemal Dağdelen  
**Reviewer(s):** Mgr. Jan Miessler  
**Date of defence:** 18.09.2024    **Venue of defence:** Praha  
**Attempt:** regular

**Course of the examination:** Chih Yun Chen presented her thesis: "Words of War on Triangular Relations: A Critical Discourse Analysis of the Cross-Strait Relations in Official Statements of Taiwan, China and the U.S. during Nancy Pelosi's visit to Taiwan in August 2022". She first introduced the theoretical framework of the thesis, and then she presented the methodology and the results (including limitations). Her supervisor, Mazlum Kemal Dağdelen, summed up his review. He appreciated the interdisciplinarity of the work. However, according to him, the theoretical part lacks some concepts. But the analytical part is very well prepared. He proposed grading B or C. Jan Miessler, as an opponent, appreciated the thesis with no formal problems. The scope of research and chosen methods were appropriate. However, he mentioned some objections (in some parts, the thesis could be more detailed, mainly in the analysis - it is rather more descriptive and superficial). Chih Yun Chen then discussed all of the proposed questions.

**Result of defence:** very good (C)

**Chair of the board:** Němcová Tejkalová Alice, doc. PhDr., Ph.D. ....  
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