



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

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Title of the thesis: Government Bond Duration: Theory and Evidence
Thesis department: Institute of Economic Studies (23-IES)
Language of the thesis: English
Language of defence: English
Advisor: Mgr. Magda Pečená, Ph.D.
Reviewer(s): prof. Ing. Oldřich Dědek, CSc.
Date of defence: 18.09.2024 **Venue of defence:** Praha
Attempt: regular

Course of the examination: The student presented the thesis to the committee in a very structured and clear way, outlining the research questions, methods used, and the main results. He answered majority of the questions raised in the advisor's and the opponent's reports satisfactorily and responded well to the questions by the committee members. The committee asked the student to elaborate in more detail on the value added of his research, also a better comparison with the existing literature would be beneficial.

The committee appreciated the quality of both the thesis and the presentation and decided on grade B.

Result of defence: excellent (B)

Chair of the board: Geršl Adam, doc. PhDr., Ph.D. (present)

Committee members: Gregor Martin, doc. PhDr., Ph.D. (present)
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