



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

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**Type of the study programme:** Master's (post-Bachelor)  
**Study programme:** International Security Studies  
**Study ID:** 752716

**Title of the thesis:** Constructing Carthage as a Threat: A Securitization Approach to the Causes of the Third Punic War  
**Thesis department:** Department of Security Studies (23-KBS)  
**Language of the thesis:** English  
**Language of defence:** English  
**Advisor:** PhDr. JUDr. Tomáš Karásek, Ph.D.  
**Reviewer(s):** Mgr. et Mgr. Tomáš Kučera, Ph.D.  
**Date of defence:** 18.09.2024    **Venue of defence:** Praha  
**Attempt:** regular

**Course of the examination:** Student introduces her thesis, the topic, conceptual basis and methodological principles. She connects their work with the previous research and formulates where she sees the gap. Securitization theory serves here as a framework. She utilizes critical security studies and uses historical sources for the analysis. Student puts the research into the theoretical context of the academic discussions. The committee presents the reviews and asks how the work can contribute to the solving broader scientific problems and mentions that the thesis can be perceived as a part of the history studies, less of the security studies, and what surprised the student mostly. Student responses that it were actually answers to the research questions. Result: A

**Result of defence:** excellent (A)

**Chair of the board:** Karásek Tomáš, PhDr. JUDr., Ph.D. (present) .....

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