



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

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Language of defence: English
Advisor: prof. Rebecca Kay
Reviewer(s): Dr. Caitriona Dowd

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Attempt: regular

Course of defence: The student convincingly introduced the dissertation. The committee asked the student to react to the critical comments mentioned in the reviews. The student generally agreed with and responded to the criticism, mainly related to the research design and the securitisation of migration as one of the utilised concepts. The committee was satisfied with the student's responses and concluded the defence.

Result of defence: excellent (B)

Chair of the board: prof. PhDr. Emil Aslan, Ph.D. (present)

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