



Diploma Thesis Evaluation Form

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Title: Gender equality, women's participation in the post-conflict society, and civil war recurrence

Programme/year: IR 2022

Author of Evaluation (supervisor):

Criteria	Definition	Maximum	Points
Major Criteria			
	Research question, definition of objectives	10	10
	Theoretical/conceptual framework	30	29
	Methodology, analysis, argument	40	39
<i>Total</i>		<i>80</i>	<i>78</i>
Minor Criteria			
	Sources	10	10



	Style	5	5
	Formal requirements	5	5
<i>Total</i>		20	20
TOTAL		100	98

Evaluation

Major criteria: This is one of the best M.A. theses I've ever supervised. The author has succeeded in putting together a conceptually rigorous, theoretically-informed, and methodologically well-executed (quantitative) piece of work that by far exceeds average theses. All sections are well-structured and fit well together. Innovative RQs. The piece is embedded in the state of the art. The empirical analysis drawing from established dataset(s) is robust and exceptional. While there is little to criticize, I personally have learned a lot from the thesis.

I've already suggested the author to publish her thesis in an academic outlet.

Minor criteria: Style-wise, no academic jargon, yet precise and concise at the same time. Exceptionally well-written. Good use of sources.



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Assessment of plagiarism: No plagiarism detected.

Overall evaluation:

A superb piece of research.

Suggested grade: 98, A

I hereby suggest that the thesis is passed on to the dean for commendation. It surely deserves it.

Signature: