

The diploma theses „Posts of the President in the Countries of Visegrád Four - Funkce prezidenta v zemích Visegrádské čtyřky“ describe analysis of the positions of four Presidents in four different parliamentary regimes. After the analysis of historical tradition, constitutional competence and the most important events in the particular terms of office of the particular Presidents, the aim of the diploma theses is to compare the four chosen different conceptions of the presidential posts. The comparison of the four presidential posts has another aim. This aim of these graduation theses is to analyse the incoming possible reform of the presidential elections in the Czech Republic from indirect elections to direct ones. The potential introduction of direct elections of the President in our country would mean some changes in the position of the President of the Czech Republic and his or her perception by people. Some of the described cases are excellent for the analysis of the incoming possible transition to a direct presidential election, in which similar reforms of the presidential elections, and the related changes of the Constitutions, have already taken place. The ideal case is the neighbouring Slovakia, which introduced not only the direct elections of the President at the end of the last and at the beginning of this millennium, but also it made some other constitutional changes in the competence of the Head of State. At the end of these theses are the compared posts of presidential posts evaluated, and there is an ideal way outlined for the possible introduction of the direct presidential election in our country.