Abstract:

This bachelor thesis deals with the Kutná Hora Youth Court, which operated as part of the justice administration of the Czechoslovak Republic in the thirties and forties of the 20th century. The thesis describes the way how the codified criminal law over juveniles has been applied in practice and how much of the burden it has been placed on this particular youth court. At the core of the thesis are individual case studies, which together with the reviews reconstruct and demonstrate the organization of the Kutná Hora Youth Court, its staff, registry administration and casework procedures. In addition, the study on the basis of the obtained data indicates what were the most often offences committed by the juvenile delinquents in this region. The work also observes the questions of sex, it’s whether the offences were more likely to commit by juvenile boys or girls.