

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

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Course of defence: The student introduced the topic of his thesis “Comparative Negotiation analysis of the Syrian Peace Process”. The Committee proceeded with reading of supervisor’s and opponent’s report, which highlighted certain weak points of the thesis – for example, absence of a separate chapter on methodology or somewhat problematic operationalization of certain variables (i.e. “power”). The student then reacted to issues raised in the reports.

Result of defence: excellent (A)

Chair of the board: doc. PhDr. Běla Plechanovová, CSc.
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