

# **Diploma Thesis Evaluation Form**

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Criteria	Definition	Maximum	Points
Major Criteria			
	Research question, definition of objectives	10	9
	Theoretical/conceptua l framework	30	26
	Methodology, analysis, argument	40	38
Total		80	73
Minor Criteria			
	Sources	10	10
	Style	5	5
	Formal requirements	5	3
Total		20	18
TOTAL		100	91



## **Evaluation**

#### Major criteria:

Author has chosen a very current topic for the thesis. Author concentrated on case law of the European Court of Human Rights regarding the framing and interpretation of the scope of Article 14 of the European Convention on Human Rights. Author examined a distinction between anti-discriminatory provisions of article 14 of the European Convention on Human Rights and article 1 of the Protocol No. 12 to the European Convention on Human Rights and their application by the European Court of Human Rights. Author defined and clearly explained legal basis of the concept of discrimination.

In the second part the author analyzed relevant case law of the European Court of Human Rights regarding chosen member states of the Council of Europe.

Author demonstrated deep knowledge of the issue and ability of good argumentation.

### Minor criteria:

Author wrote a high standard thesis and she also used a wide list of sources including a sufficient number of references and citations. Diploma thesis project is not included in the thesis.

#### Overall evaluation:

The thesis is a comprehensive and clear excursion into the issue. Author demonstrated deep knowledge of the issue and ability of good argumentation. The thesis is an original and logically structured professional text.

The thesis meets the requirements of the diploma thesis and I recommend it for the defense.

**Suggested grade:** 91 points = **A** 

**Signature:** Prague, 24th August 2020, JUDr. Miroslav Pulgret, Ph.D.