

## Record of the dissertation thesis defence

Academic year: 2019/2020

**Student's name and surname:** Abderahman Salaheldin, B.Soc.Sc.  
**Year of birth:** 1958  
**Student's ID:** 39348513

**Type of the study programme:** doctoral  
**Study programme:** Political Science  
**Branch of study:** Political Science  
**Study Identification Number:** 521649

**Title of the thesis:** Egyptian foreign policy and The "Arab spring": A Case study of Egyptian policy before and after Arab Spring toward Turkey and Palestine.

**Thesis department:** Department of Political Science (23-KP)

**Language of the thesis:** English

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**Supervisor:** Mgr. Martin Riegl, Ph.D.

**Reviewer(s):** prof. PhDr. Eduard Gombár, CSc.

Zora Hesová, M.A., Ph.D.

**Date of defence:** 16.09.2020      **Venue of defence:** Praha

**Votes of the board:** pass: 3      fail: 0

**Course of defence:** The defense began with the supervisor presenting the course of studies of the student, the way in which he progressed on his dissertation, and the main modifications that have been made since the small defense. The committee then presented the reviews. The review by prof. Gombár concluded that the dissertation has satisfactorily included the comments from the small defense and that there are no more major issues that would need to be worked out. The review by dr. Hesová concluded that the feedback from the previous review has mostly been worked in properly. Her main issues were with the somewhat underdeveloped methodological part and the overall narrative form of the work, which leaves some room for improvement should the dissertation be published as a book. The doctoral student responded to both reviews, pointing out parts of the narrative text that have deal with the issues raised in the reviews in some form. He focused on the case studies of foreign policy-making. The committee reached the conclusion that Abderahman Salaheldin has defended his dissertation successfully and should be awarded the title PhD.

**Result of defence:** pass (P)

**Chair of the board:** doc. Michel Perottino, Ph.D. (present) .....

**Committee members:** Mgr. Martin Riegl, Ph.D. (present) .....

prof. PhDr. Eduard Gombár, CSc. (present) .....