

BACHELOR THESIS EVALUATION: THESIS ADVISOR

Thesis topic: To Fear or Not to Fear? Analysis Of Israeli Regional Security

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Study program: Political Science, Liberal Arts

Evaluation contains objective and critical analysis of a bachelor thesis proposal. Evaluation should be considered by the following criteria:

| Criteria for the evaluation of the final thesis | Max. points | Points given by evaluator |
|---|-------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Methodological aspect (logical frame, process of inquiry, topic specification, how realistic are set goals and how adequate are proposed working methods) | 10 | 10 |
| 2. Sources of domestic and foreign literature, Familiarity with relevant literature | 15 | 15 |
| 3. Formatting and style | 15 | 15 |
| 4. Scope and proportionality of content | 5 | 5 |
| 5. Systematic approach | 15 | 15 |
| 6. Evaluation of achieved results | 40 | 40 |
| Total | 100 | 100 |

Final evaluation: A (95-100 points), B (83-94 points), C (68-82 points), D (55-67 points), E (50-54 points), Fx (<50 points)
A

Evaluation, comments, recommendations of the thesis advisor:

The author of the thesis has successfully proven their hypothesis while maintaining a neutral stance and objectivity. This is a difficult task, given that the main subject is the Israeli regional security.

Although the thesis was limited by space, the author wisely focused on the military sector and managed to incorporate relevant literature and interviews with academics and practitioners in the field. The topic is highly relevant for the understanding the ever-changing nature of Middle East politics. Open resources, such as newspaper articles and scientific studies, have been assessed and integrated correctly into an overall framework by the author.

The clarity and coherence of the thesis argument and structure is commendable as the author has organized their ideas in a logical and persuasive manner making it easy to follow the line of reasoning throughout the thesis. The thesis title, while more of a metaphor, still accurately matches its content.

The originality control matches the requirements and it is less than 2%.

Question for the author:

Assess your success in matching theoretical framework of Copenhagen school with the practical part of the thesis.

I recommend this thesis toward bachelor thesis defense in June 2023.

In Bratislava, on: 2.5.2023

Signature of evaluator:

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