

Assessment of Master Thesis – Opponent



Study programme: **Quantitative Methods in Economics**

Field of study: **Quantitative Economic Analysis**

Academic year: **2018/2019**

Master Thesis Topic: **Multi-Criteria Analysis Applied on Selected Higher Education Institutions in European Union**

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	Criterion	Mark (1–4)
1.	Comprehensibility of the Master's Thesis topic and objectives	1
2.	Fulfilment of defined objectives	1
3.	Logical structure and cohesion of each parts	1
4.	Extent and relevance of description of the current level of knowledge	1
5.	Adequacy of methods in respect of the topic (selections of the methods and their application)	2
6.	Extent, quality and precism of description of the thesis's results	2
7.	Relevance and correctness of discussion of the thesis's results	2
8.	Correctness and relevance of information sources	1
9.	Grammar, stylistic style, terminology and overall formal and graphic level of the Master's thesis	1

Comments and Questions:

I appreciate that the author has studied extensive MCDM literature and has used methods that have not been discussed in the course. The author could more thoroughly discuss the reasons for choosing methods and their advantages and comparisons. The author chose an interesting application area for using MCDM methods. Interesting comparisons have been made. In such comparisons, the selection of criteria and the setting of criteria weights play an important role. The author could test how the results are sensitive to modification of criteria and criteria weights.

Conclusion: The Master Thesis is recommended for the defence.

Suggested Grade: **1**

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