

MASTER THESIS OPPONENT REPORT

Name of the student: Bc. Mohammed Al-Bareed
The title of the master thesis: Planning Regional Development in countries affected by forced conflicts
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The evaluation of the master thesis: evaluation: 1 = the best, 4 = the worst

	1	1-	2	2-	3	4
Difficulty		X				
Choice of appropriate methods and used methodology.			X			
Fulfilment of objective					X	
Original contribution to professional practice			X			
Logical process being used			X			
Theoretical background of an author		X				
Selected solution process.					X	
Work with data and information					X	
Formulation of conclusions			X			
Work with scientific literature (quotations, norms)			X			
Clarity and professionalism of expression in the work					X	
The level of editing images and tables.				X		

Other comments:

The aim of the submitted Master Thesis is to describe the reconstruction in conflict affected areas. This field of thesis is very interesting and especially topical. Unfortunately, there are many situations in the world today, where the results of this work can be applied. Why unfortunately? Because they are the result of wars and conflicts that reduce the standard of living of the population. The text is focused on Yemen. Student Mohammed Al-Bareed knows this area well, which has been positively reflected in the work done.

The work is divided into four main chapters, introduction and conclusion and it has 58 numbered pages. There are some formal shortcomings in the work. For example: different types of new paragraph are used (p.43-p.47); tables format is inconsistent (p. 43, p.44, p.47) ; Schemas does not use the same notation (p. 49-51); some abbreviations are defined several times (OCHA – p. 43, p. 54). Contents of the work correspond to the aim in the dissertation assignment. Unfortunately, some parts of the dissertation assignment are not sufficiently elaborated (I miss, for example,

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deeper analysis of evaluation of available data sources). The data are only described. Therefore, text is more descriptive and not so analytical.

Scope of the literature used in the work is sufficient. As a whole, this work is in accordance with the requirements for the Master Thesis.

Question: What financial resources will be available for reconstruction? Have any states or international organizations already offered financial assistance?

I suggest the grade: very good minus

Opponent:

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