

Master's Thesis Supervisor's Expert Opinion

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 Title of Master's Thesis: Role of innovations and impact on economics development in MENA countries
 Aim of the Thesis: to access how innovations contribute to economic development in specific MENA countries
 Thesis Supervisor: prof. Ing. Jan Stejskal, Ph.D.
 Study Programme: Regional Development and Governance
 Academic Year: 202/23

Difficulty of the Topic

	Excellent	Very good	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Cannot be evaluated
Theoretical knowledge	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Input data and their processing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Methods used	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Thesis Evaluation Criteria

	Excellent	Very good	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Cannot be evaluated
Degree of achievement of the aim of the thesis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Original attitude to the topic processing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Adequacy of the methods used	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Depth of analysis (relative to topic)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Logical structure of the thesis and scope	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Working with Czech and foreign literature including citations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Formal arrangement of the thesis (text, charts, tables)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Language level (style, grammar, terminology)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Applicability of the Results of the Thesis

	High	Medium	Low	Cannot be evaluated
For theory	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
For practice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other Comments on the Thesis

The student did not have sufficient theoretical foundations for the preparation of the diploma thesis at the beginning of the preparation. He tried to eliminate this weakness. However, I believe that his theoretical initial knowledge is still quite weak - which is also evident from the processing of the theoretical part.

The work has a logical structure, it is processed with the help of suitable literature. The arrangement of individual topics is not sufficiently thought out, significant ideas do not connect.

I find section 3.2 interesting, I would expect it to be much more detailed.

The weakest part of the work is the analytical part, where the author processed only a few data, obtained a small amount of results. Even so, it is possible to state that the aim of the thesis was fulfilled.

It should be added that the student's cooperation with the supervisor was very limited. The student processed the work almost exclusively independently, the supervisor's recommendations were accepted only to a small extent.

Comments on the Outputs from the Theses System

The work has been assessed, it is not plagiarized.

Questions and Suggestions for Defence

State which of the MENA countries is the best and the worst in terms of innovation (based on your results) and explain why.

Final Evaluation

I **recommend** the thesis for the defence.

I propose to grade this Master's thesis as follows: **E**

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