

OPPONENT'S OPINION OF BACHELOR THESIS

Study programme:	Regional Development
Department:	Department of Languages
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Name of thesis:	Social Aspects of Language Use in Republic of Malta
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TYPE OF DIPLOMA WORK: applied

ASSESSMENT OF THESIS: (always add verbal comments)

1. COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIRED ASSIGNMENT:

The thesis complies with all the university requirements.

2. WORK WITH ACADEMIC LITERATURE:

The author uses a wide variety of academic sources in English. All references are cited and mentioned in the Bibliography section, though the citation sometimes lack the correct form

3. CONTENT LEVEL OF WORK:

The content level is average to the parameters of regular bachelor thesis. All the parts are quite well written, though I would recommend to widen the focus on the current state of the sights, since some descriptions are rather concise. The only part which doesn't meet the standards, is the methodological one, I would expect a more profound look into this part, since it's the basic of this thesis.

4. FORMAL LAYOUT:

As far as the grammar is concerned, I have found quite a substantial number of errors, e.g. word order, past participle and punctuation. But none of the above mentioned errors affect the outcome of the thesis.

SPECIFIC REMARKS AND COMMENTS ABOUT THE THESIS:

All in all the thesis is very average without any profound focus with way too many descriptive parts

The thesis is focused mainly on the northern part of the Island. Why? Why didn't you take a more general perspective?

Why didn't you include the number of public and private schools on the island, considering the fact, that this is very essential for the language proportion on Malta - p.33

DEFENSE OF THESIS: recommended

FINAL CLASSIFICATION PROPOSAL: C

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