Instructions for defenses of bachelor and master thesis organized by the Department of International Business in June 2021

Dear students,

The defense of your thesis is a final step in your studies and thus we want to give you the opportunity to present your one year's work to a wider audience. Therefore the Department organizes defenses as public events at which most of the members of the Department participate, discuss your results with you and can raise questions.

In order to facilitate your defense, you have to prepare a short PowerPoint presentation of your work. You will have 5-7 minutes to present your work (7 minutes is a maximum, you will be asked to terminate your presentation after this limit). We expect that you cover the following points:

- Goal and purpose of your thesis;
- Structure;
- Methodology (including event. Research questions and hypotheses);
- Main findings;
- Main sources you used.

Your presentation will be followed by a discussion based on your supervisor's and opponent's assessments (but any other relevant question can be raised by any member of the committee). In the final part of your presentation, you can also prepare answers to the questions from the assessments.

We are looking forward to your presentation and following discussions.

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