

Appendix 5: Evaluation criteria Master Thesis

Assessment Form for Master Thesis

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CRITERIA	ASSESSMENT (circle your choice)	NOTES
1. Problem formulation	I - <u>S</u> - G - VG	onderzoeks vraag is niet duidelijk/onderbouwd.
2. Theoretical background	<u>00</u> - S - G - VG	berekening van CE via BM naar CBR is niet coherent.
3. Methodology (including research ethics)	I - <u>S</u> - G - VG	onderbouwing van research design mist.
4. Analyses	I - S - <u>G</u> - VG	goede analyse vld data synthese richting onderz vraag mist.
5. Discussion and conclusions	<u>I</u> - S - G - VG	Discussie niet feed back naar literatuur mist.
6. Practical implications, reflection, and recommendations	I - S - <u>G</u> - VG	advies aan vezig, maar mist aan sluiting met onderzoek.
7. Style and structure	I - <u>S</u> - G - VG	Structure of report is bad.
8. Consistency	<u>I</u> - <u>S</u> - G - VG	
9. Process	I - S - G - VG	
10. Defense	I - <u>S</u> - G - VG	Discussion on contribution to science no answers.

Student handed in a signed Research Integrity Form.	Yes / No
The thesis is checked for plagiarism or fraud	Yes / No

Motivation for final grade

Coherent reasoning towards a holistic framework is weak.
reflection on contribution to science is not substantiated.

Name of supervisor:

Sjors Witjes

Tentative grade:

5.6



Name 2nd examiner:

Tentative grade:

I = insufficient; S = sufficient; G = good; VG = very good

final grade

Calculating the final grade

The supervisor and the second examiner assess the thesis (including the defense and process) on the eleven criteria and based on this set of criteria they will each subsequently arrive at a tentative grade. They assess the master thesis trajectory in the form of a mark on a scale ranging from 0 (the lowest possible score) to 10 (the highest possible score), where only half and whole marks will be given. However, the mark of 5.5 will not be given. When rounding off a mark between 5 and 6, a mark below 5.5 is rounded off to 5 which means that the master thesis trajectory has not been passed. A mark of 5.5 and above is rounded off upwards to a six (6), which means that the master thesis trajectory has been passed. The master thesis trajectory has been passed if the thesis scores no insufficient on the first eight criteria: 1. problem formulation, 2. theoretical background, 3. methodology, 4. analyses, 5. discussion and conclusions, 6. practical implications, reflection and recommendations, 7. style and structure, 8. consistency. The examiners use the following guidelines for assessing the Thesis including master thesis trajectory:

- 5 or lower if the thesis scores *insufficient* on at least one of the first eight criteria;
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1. Problem formulation	I- <u>S</u> -G-VG	The research question is weak.
2. Theoretical background	I- <u>S</u> -G-VG	Theoretical part is very weak no clear cohesion. The model is not good derived.
3. Methodology (including research ethics)	I- <u>S</u> -G-VG	Methodology is weak Cases are weak and well developed
4. Analyses	I- <u>S</u> -G-VG	Weak, good be more in depth. In particular ^{only} 3 cases
5. Discussion and conclusions	I- <u>S</u> -G-VG	weak. Consequences of weak theoretical contribution & analysis
6. Practical implications, reflection, and recommendations	I- <u>S</u> -G-VG	weak
7. Style and structure	I- <u>S</u> -G-VG	okay
8. Consistency	I- <u>S</u> -G-VG	okay
9. Process	I- <u>S</u> -G-VG	Very slow and difficult Student has problems with writing a master thesis.
10. Defense	I- <u>S</u> -G-VG	Weak. He had difficulties in answering the questions.

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Motivation for final grade

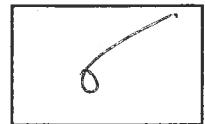
It is a weak thesis. It just passes the criteria. Theoretically weak and also the analysis.

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prof H van Kranenburg

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S. Wijes

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