Review of the academic supervisor

Master thesis: "U.S.-Russian Crisis Prevention in the XXI c.: challenges and contemporary developments"

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1. Assessment of the thesis

No	Criteria	grades:	comments
п. п.		• excellent (5)	
		• good (4)	
		• satisfactory (3)	
		• non-satisfactory (2)	
1.	Relevance of the topic	5	
	(AOM: OKM-13, 22; AM: OKM-8,16,		
	ПК-36; ПОМ: ПК-6)		
2.	Novelty	5	
	(AOM: OKM-13, 22; AM: OKM-		
	8,16, ПК-36; ПОМ: ПК-6)		
3.	Correctness of goal setting,	5	
	interrelatedness of goal and		
	objectives (AOM: OKM- 9, 13, 32;		
	АМ: ПК-10, 11; ПОМ: ОКМ-12)		
4.	Completeness and quality of the	5	
	primary sources		
	(AOM: ПК-17; AM: ОКМ- 24; ПОМ:		
	ОКМ-18, ПК-13)		
5.	Study of the existing research	5	
	literature on the topic (AOM: ПК-		
	17; AM: ОКМ- 24; ПОМ: ОКМ-18,		
	ПК-13)		
6.	Selection of research methods	4	Most of the thesis'
	(AOM: OKM-2; AM: OKM- 10, ПК-		chapters and
	26; ПОМ: ОКМ-11, 14)		subchapters are
			descriptive
7.	The goal of the research is achieved	5	
	(AOM: OKM-1,7, ΠK-33; AM:		
	ОКМ- 17, ПК-12, 37; ПОМ: ОКМ-		
	14, ПК-14, 17)	_	
8.	Quality of the text	5	
	(АОМ: ОКМ-1; АМ: ОКМ-8; ПОМ:		
	OKM-7)	_	
9.	Performance evaluation	5	
	(AOM: OKM-23; AM: OKM-19;		
	ПОМ: ОКМ-13, 23, 27)		
	Average rating:	5	

2. Conclusions and recommendations to the Evaluation Commission:

The thesis presents a well-structured, complete and original research of the problem. The conclusions are based on good material collected and properly used by the author.

3. Recommended grade: Excellent

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