

**REPORT
OF THE MAGISTER EXAMINATION**

held on 23.07.2024

Mr **Álvaro Fernández Cruz**



Student book number: **1199506**

Field of Study: **European Studies**, full-time study, second cycle programme

Specialisation:

Pursued a programme of study in: 2022/23 - 2023/24

Submitted a thesis entitled: **From the EU's Geopolitical Awakening to Strategic Culture Building: A Window Into the HR/VP's Discourse (2019-2024)**

The Magister examination has been scheduled on 23.07.2024 in front of the Examination Board composed of:

Chairperson: dr Marcin Wojciech Zubek

Academic Supervisor: dr hab. Magdalena Góra, prof. UJ

Reviewer: Eliška Tomalová

Exam questions

Grade

In the analytical part, the author offers several explanatory elements (why Borrell has mentioned/has not mentioned a set of topics – for instance sanctions in the Middle East – p. 40) that seem not to be based in data analysis and look weaker - some elaboration would be welcome.

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Please deliver a more analytical insight into the definition of different geographies that are "harder to represent on a map" (p. 33) and their connection to the geopolitical discourse.

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What is your assessment of the shift from Borrell to (possibly) Kallas?

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If you would have an option to add a theoretical perspective, what would that be?

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Who are the addressees of the books that Borrell wrote?

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The Examination Board ascertained that the Candidate Álvaro Fernández Cruz had passed the **Magister** examination with the grade: **Very Good**

Taking into consideration:

the average grade of studies 4,89 * 4 = 19,560

the grade awarded on the thesis 5 * 3 = 15,000

the present examination grade 5 * 1 = 5,000

Grade of studies: (39.56/8) **4,95**

the Examination Board decided to award the Candidate the degree of **magister**

Grade of studies (to be entered on the diploma):

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Signatures of the Members of the Board

Signature of the Chairperson of the Board

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Eliška Tomalová

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dr Marcin Wojciech Zubek