

SUPERVISOR´S OPINION OF DIPLOMA THESIS

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ASSESSMENT OF THESIS: (always add verbal comments)

1. COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIRED ASSIGNMENT:

The thesis complies with the required assignment.

2. WORK WITH ACADEMIC LITERATURE:

The author uses an extensive number of relevant and up-to-date scientific resources. The citations in both the text of the thesis and in the reference list are done according to the standards of academic writing.

3. CONTENT LEVEL OF WORK:

In the theoretical part the author defined the basic terms related to the culture and migration, and described all the relevant theories and models of cultural adaptation.

In the empirical part the author conducted a quantitative research using CCAI questionnaire. The goals of the research and the research questions are set in a clear and logical manner. The data analysis is appropriate to this type of data.

4. CONTRIBUTION TO PRACTICE, ORIGINALITY:

The cross-cultural study of the process of adaptation of Ghanians in Europe can be considered as non-trivial and at the Masters level highly original.

5. ADEQUACY OF THE CONCLUSIONS, RECOMMENDATIONS, PROPOSALS:

The discussion of the results is based on both the data analysis and on other researches. The conclusions are adequate.

6. FORMAL LAYOUT:

There are no major problems in the formal layout of the work.

COOPERATION WITH SUPERVISOR:

The author consulted his work with the supervisor on a regular basis.

SPECIFIC REMARKS AND COMMENTS ABOUT THE THESIS:

Questions:

1. Why did the author set quota in the first sampling stage (p. 44)? Why was it 100 in each country? Is it based on any kind of a priori power calculation? Why didnt he try to gather as much data as possible?

2. How is it possible that the research sample from each country has exactly 77 respondents? Was the author discarding any data just to get the same number of respondents in every country? What is the rationale to do so?

DEFENSE OF THESIS: recommended

FINAL CLASSIFICATION PROPOSAL: A

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Signature of supervisor