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METHODOLOGY FOR DRAFTING AND DEFENDING A BACHELOR'S THESIS WITHIN THE “VICTOR BABEȘ” UNIVERSITY OF MEDICINE AND PHARMACY OF TIMIȘOARA

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Art. 1 General considerations

- (1) The bachelor's thesis represents an important component of the evaluation of the knowledge and scientific activity of graduates in all study programs within the "Victor Babeș" University of Medicine and Pharmacy of Timișoara (UMFVBT).
- (2) The bachelor's thesis tests the abilities to develop and carry out independent research, as well as to write and defend the research results according to the rules of the academic community.

Art. 2 Topics and coordinators

- (1) The major criterion in choosing a field/topic for the bachelor's thesis must be the advantage that the research to be carried out will have in the training process of the future specialist. The analysed topic must be correlated with the graduate's study program/specialisation, especially with that segment of activity in which he/she has both solid general knowledge and a special interest.
- (2) Teaching staff have the obligation to agree to coordinate bachelor's theses. A scientific coordinator may supervise up to a maximum of 8 bachelor's theses per year. There must be free communication between the student and the scientific coordinator, appropriate to the academic environment, based on mutual respect and appreciation.
- (3) Scientific coordinators for the bachelor's theses may be faculty teaching staff, starting from the degree of assistant professor to the degree of professor, and/or teaching staff or researchers from other universities or institutions that have concluded agreements in this regard with UMFVBT. An assistant professor employed for a fixed period may coordinate bachelor's theses only together with a tenured teacher.
- (4) The topics of the bachelor's theses will be established in accordance with the research priorities of the disciplines, in agreement with the scientific coordinators.
- (5) Students have the obligation to communicate the title of the bachelor's thesis and the scientific coordinator's approval (Annex 1) no later than 1 June of the penultimate year of study.
- (6) A student may change the topic and/or the scientific coordinator only once, after the information and with the approval of the initial scientific coordinator, as well as with the approval of the Dean of the Faculty. The change of title and scientific coordinator is no longer possible from the 2nd semester of the last year of study.

Art. 3 Structure of the bachelor's thesis

- (1) A bachelor's thesis must have the following structure:
 - A)** Cover
 - B)** Title page
 - C)** Contents
 - D)** List of abbreviations and symbols
 - E)** Actual thesis with:
 - a)** Introduction
 - b)** Content
 - c)** Conclusions and personal contributions
 - d)** References
 - e)** Annexes (optional)

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(2) The cover of the bachelor's thesis must include the following information: full name and logo of the University, the faculty, the department and discipline, the author of the thesis, scientific coordinator(s), year of defence. It will be laminated in colourless plastic.

(3) The title page will reiterate the information provided on the cover, and it will additionally include the title of the bachelor's thesis.

(4) The content of the bachelor's thesis will contain information on the entire paper, namely: introduction, content, conclusions, references, annexes (optional), and will include the titles of all chapters and subchapters accompanied by the page number for each chapter and subchapter.

(5) The list of abbreviations and symbols, as well as the notations frequently used in the bachelor's thesis must comply with the standards used in the literature. Frequently used symbols, abbreviations, and notations will be written in alphabetical order, starting with the Latin alphabet, the lowercase letters followed by the corresponding uppercase letters, and continuing with the Greek alphabet, the lowercase letters followed by the corresponding uppercase letters.

(6) The actual bachelor's thesis will include:

a) Introduction.

The introduction of the bachelor's thesis will be numbered with Roman numerals, having the role of placing the research in a temporal, historical, geographical, professional context, and will be 1-2 pages long.

The introduction must contain:

- i) motivation for choosing the research topic
- ii) the importance and topicality of the topic
- iii) framing the topic in international, national and zonal concerns
- iv) the scientific solving objectives within the scientific research
- v) synthetic comments on the research method used and the research methodology

b) Content.

The content of the thesis must be divided into two distinguishable components: the theoretical or conceptual component, and the practical or applied component (it will include one or more applications that meet the objectives of the thesis). While the theoretical component will demonstrate the author's knowledge, the practical component will require the identification/formulation of solutions with applicability to the issues addressed in the thesis.

The content of the thesis must present the two components in a balanced way, emphasising the applicative part. Thus, it must demonstrate the graduate's ability to apply his/her theoretical knowledge creatively. As a recommendation, the theoretical part should represent 30-35% of the paper, while the practical part should represent about 65-70%.

The content of the bachelor's thesis will be numbered in Arabic numerals, and must be structured in three main parts:

- a) The general part
- b) The special part
- c) Own conclusions and contributions
- d) References
- e) Annexes (optional)

a) *The general part* will present the current state of knowledge on the researched topic – descriptive analysis of achievements in the field, based on a primary documentation.



b) **The special part** will contain the candidate's contributions, and will present the type of approach to the research topic, namely exploratory research or applied research, occupying most of the bachelor's thesis. The special part of the bachelor's thesis may be done in the form of a *primary study* (original observational, experimental, or interventional research), or a *secondary study* (summary of primary studies in the literature in the form of a *systematic review or meta-analysis*).

In the case of a *primary study*, the Special Part will include an experimental part and a part dedicated to the research results. The experimental part will present the *material* studied, as well as the *research methods/techniques* used, depending on the nature of the thesis and the research conducted. The part dedicated to the research results may contain one or more chapters depending on the method chosen for experimental verification, with descriptive presentations, as the case may be, in tables, graphs, images, as well as discussions related to the methods used compared to those used in the field at national and international level.

In the case of a *secondary study*, the Special Part will be written as a review article, meta-analysis, comparative analysis, or critical analysis of data from the literature (without limiting the grade for this type of study). The secondary study represents an option for the states of emergency, alert, the situations in which the didactic activity is carried out *online*, or other special situations established by the decisions of the UMFVBT Board of Directors.

c) **Own conclusions and contributions** must highlight:

- the extent to which the objectives of the scientific research have been achieved
- own contributions
- the directions in which the research should be continued

This part of the bachelor's thesis will be a separate chapter, and will be briefly presented on a maximum of 1-2 pages, having a concrete, punctual character.

d) **The references** will include the list of all sources of information, consulted directly and used by the graduate for the writing of the bachelor's thesis, with the following mentions:

- bibliographic references must be selected and written in a number strictly necessary for the documentation of the thesis without reaching an exhaustive bibliography. The bibliographic list written in the Vancouver style must contain indices of the representative works inserted in the text from the categories: books, articles from specialised journals, doctoral theses, university courses, published on paper or electronic format, including web pages (most bibliographic titles must be from the last 10 years)
- a bibliographic index may be cited several times in a paper
- the bibliographic index will be inserted in the text immediately after the statement of information and before the full stop
- bibliographic titles will be numbered and shown in the order of the first mention in the text
- recommendations for drafting bibliographic references must follow the Vancouver model <http://www.library.uq.edu.au/training/citation/vancouv.pdf>;
- for up to 3 authors, all authors will be cited; for more than 3 authors, “et al” will be included after the first three authors
- journal titles may be abbreviated according to the recommendations of Journals Indexed for MEDLINE- www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/nlmcatalog/journals
- in the case of books, specify the chapter with the related pages.

Examples:



Journal articles: Fried LP, Kronmal RA, Newman AB, et al. Risk factors for 5-year mortality in older adults: the Cardiovascular Health Study. *JAMA*. 1998;279:585–592.

Book: Evans JG, Franklin Williams T, Lynn Beattie B: Oxford Textbook of Geriatric Medicine, 2nd Edition. Oxford University Press, 2000

e) **Annexes** may have one or more pages, which will be numbered in Roman numerals (Annex 1, Annex 2, etc.). Each annex will be mentioned at least once in the text of the thesis.

Art. 4. Rules for writing the bachelor's thesis

- (1) The cover of the bachelor's thesis will be white, and the writing will be black (Annex 2).
- (2) The diacritics specific to the language in which the paper is written will be used (ă, î, â, ș, ț for the Romanian language).
- (3) The text in the normal paragraphs will be aligned between the left and right margins (*justified*).
- (4) Page numbering will be done starting with the title page until the last page of the paper, but the page number will appear only starting with the "Contents"; the page number will be inserted in the footer (centred or to the right).
- (5) The chapters of the General Part, and those of the Special Part, respectively, will always begin on a new page.
- (6) Printing is done on one side only.
- (7) Formatting the A4 page for printing:
 - Margins: Up 2.5cm, Down 2.0cm; Right 3.5cm, Left 2.0cm.
 - Spacing between footer and body: Up 1.2cm, Exterior.
- (8) The editing will use the following types, fonts:
 - i. Main font for the thesis text - **TIMES NEW ROMAN 12**.
 - ii. Body of the thesis with a spacing at 1½ lines.
 - iii. Cover text: Annex 3
 - iv. Legends of the figures and tables will be written in **TIMES NEW ROMAN 10**
Spacing will be single.
- (9) References will be written in **TIMES NEW ROMAN 11**
Spacing will be single.
- (10) The first pages and the Introduction will be numbered in Roman numerals as follows:

Page	I	Title page (not numbered)
	II – III	Contents
	IV (or III)	List of abbreviations and symbols
	V (or IV)	Dedication (optional)
	VI (or V)	Acknowledgment
	VII-VIII (VI-VII)	Introduction
- (11) The body of the thesis written in **TIMES NEW ROMAN 12** will be between 30-60 pages (without references).
- (12) The Annex will be numbered in Roman letters. It must contain copies of own works presented/published (if applicable). Optionally, it may contain figures and tables.

Art 5. Completion and public defence of the bachelor's thesis.

- (1) The bachelor's thesis must comply with the drafting standards provided in this Methodology.

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- (2) The thesis will be written in an impersonal style (DO NOT use the first person), and the information will be communicated in a direct and intelligible manner, in a logical and coherent structure.
- (3) The paper can be drafted and defended in Romanian, English, or French (depending on the study program).
- (4) The completion of the bachelor's thesis is conditioned by obtaining the approval of the scientific coordinator, and will be submitted to the Dean's Office of the Faculty according to the established calendar.
- (5) The paper may be submitted only if it is accompanied by: statement of originality (Annex 3), abstract (Annex 4), and the report (Annex 5) signed by the scientific coordinator(s).
- (6) The defence of the bachelor's thesis/degree paper/dissertation before the examination committee is at least as important as its drafting. The final grade obtained by the graduate represents both the result of the evaluation of the paper by the coordinating teacher (evaluation recorded in a report signed in original), and the result of the evaluation of the committee, following its presentation and defence by the graduate.

Art 6. Anti-plagiarism check of bachelor's theses

(1) The bachelor's theses to be checked with the anti-plagiarism software used by the University will be sent by e-mail in *Word format, without any references*, **until the latest on 31.05 of the last year of studies** for all study programs within the faculties of Medicine, Dental Medicine, and Pharmacy at the following addresses:

- Faculty of Medicine: evb@umft.ro
- Faculty of Pharmacy: licente.farmacie@gmail.com
- Faculty of Dental Medicine: licentemd2@gmail.com

- (2) Theses in their final form will be checked thoroughly for **no more than two times**.
 - The **name of the candidate** sitting for the bachelor's degree examination will be filled in the subject line of the e-mail.
 - In order to avoid congestion in the last days, bachelor's theses will be sent in time, in compliance with the deadlines provided in this methodology.

(3) The **Similarity Report** generated after the first check, and the **Complete Similarity Report**, respectively, generated after the second check (if applicable) (.pdf, and .html) contain all the data necessary to establish the originality of the paper by the bachelor's thesis coordinator, the only official able to carry out an accurate analysis of the borrowing notified by the Anti-Plagiarism system.

(4) The Similarity Report must always be reviewed by the bachelor's thesis coordinator. Consideration will also be given if there are too many potential borrowings from a single source.

(5) The value of the Similarity Coefficient 1 will determine what percentage of the document contains phrases of 5 words or longer, found in the parent database of other affiliated universities or Internet sources. Normally, Similarity Coefficient 1 should not exceed 50%.



(6) The value of the Similarity Coefficient 2 will determine what percentage of the document contains phrases of 25 words or longer, found in the databases mentioned above. Normally, Similarity Coefficient 2 should not exceed 5%.

(7) The **following operations** must be carried out in order to have an accurate interpretation of the Similarity Report:

- a) it is necessary to check the value of Similarity Coefficients; any circumstances where the 50% threshold for Similarity Coefficient 1, and 5% for Similarity Coefficient 2 will be considered suspicious;
- b) it is necessary to analyse the list of “The longest fragments identified as similar” (fragments with a number of more than 200 words are considered suspicious, therefore a careful check is required; if such fragments exist, they must be found by using the link “mark the fragment”, and it must be checked whether these fragments are quoted);
- c) scroll down the list of “Documents containing similar fragments”, considering especially the documents containing fragments that exceed the limit of Similarity Coefficient 2 (these are marked in bold). If such documents are found, especially if they are at the top of the list, the link “mark the fragment” should be used, and it must be checked whether these are short phrases scattered throughout the document (in which case, they may be considered as random borrowings), or long fragments of text that are adjacent and separated only by short sentences (this kind of situation will arouse suspicion);
- d) in case of any suspicion, the Similarity Report must be subjected to an accurate analysis, which is based, in addition to using the Similarity Report functions presented in points 1-3, on the exact analysis of the content of the document, considering the meaning of fragments which were identified by the system in other texts.

(8) If the bachelor’s thesis coordinator finds in the Similarity Report that these thresholds have been exceeded, it will be necessary for the candidate to redo the fragments identified with problems under the supervision of the coordinator. The paper will then be resubmitted in order to generate the Complete Similarity Report. If, during this later phase, the problems persist, the paper and the related reports will be sent for analysis to the Director of the anti-plagiarism program within “Victor Babeș” University of Medicine and Pharmacy of Timișoara at **sursoniu@umft.ro**.

(9) The (Complete) Similarity Report generated following the anti-plagiarism check will be signed by the bachelor’s thesis coordinator(s).

(10) The document obtained after verifying the originality of the contents of the papers with the help of the University’ anti-plagiarism software, signed and registered, is submitted by the students to the Dean’s Office of the faculty before the defence, until **01.06** at the latest **of the last year of studies**.

Art.7. Rules for presenting/defending the bachelor’s thesis

(1) **Time and location of the presentation:** graduates will be notified of the date, time, and location at which they will be able to present their bachelor’s thesis to the committee. The graduate’s failure

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to appear at the set date, time, and location may result in his/her removal from the bachelor's examination. In states of emergency, alert, situations in which the teaching activity takes place *online*, or other special situations established by the decisions of the UMFVBT Board of Directors, the defence of the bachelor's thesis can be done online, according to a procedure approved by the Board of Directors and endorsed by the University Senate.

(2) **The actual presentation.** The presentation of the bachelor's thesis is made by public oral presentation, for a maximum of 10 minutes, based on a material created by the graduate which must include the most important points of the paper. At the end of the presentation, the members of the committee can ask the graduate questions regarding: the topic of the bachelor's thesis, and/or the methodology and resources used, the specialised literature dedicated to the topic or related to it. As a recommendation, the thesis should be presented in a **PowerPoint format (PPT)** with the following indicative structure: title of the thesis, purpose of the thesis (optional, working hypotheses), structure of the thesis – chapters, specific elements of the thesis, focusing on the practical/applied part, what was aimed, what methods were used, and what conclusions were reached.

Two or three tables, or relevant statistics on the phenomenon pursued from the results of the Special Part should be included.

Recommendations for the PPT presentation:

- the presentation will contain between 8 and 16 slides;
- there must be a title slide which will contain the title of the thesis, the name of the graduate, and the name of the coordinating teacher(s), the discipline;
- 6-10 slides with text, tables, figures (the main points of the Special Part of the thesis that are to be communicated to the committee will be presented using these slides);
- 1-2 slides for conclusions.

Art.8. Evaluation of the bachelor's thesis

(1) The evaluation of the bachelor's theses will be done by a Committee composed of a chairperson, 3 members, and a secretary; the secretary does not have the right to grade.

(2) The members of the Evaluation Committee, with the right to grade, may only be teaching staff, tenured at UMFVBT.

(3) Each member of the committee, with the right to grade, will assign a grade from 1 to 10 (whole numbers).

(4) The final grade following the defence of the bachelor's thesis represents the arithmetic mean of the individual grades of the members of the Evaluation Committee with the right to grade.

(5) The results obtained following the defence of the bachelor's thesis cannot be contested.

(6) Faculties with a large number of students will establish several committees for evaluating bachelor's theses, with the recommendation that each committee will evaluate, on average, 40-50 graduates.

(7) The composition and number of committees will be approved by the Faculty Council at least one month before the date of the bachelor's examination.

(8) Each committee will be organised on related disciplines, and will include at least one specialised teacher from each discipline.

(9) The composition of the committees and the distribution of students by committees and rooms will be posted at the Dean's Office of the Faculty and on the UMFVBT website at least 3 days before the date of the examination.



Art.9. Final provisions

- (1) This *Methodology for drafting and defending a bachelor's thesis* supplements the *Regulation on the organisation and conduct of the bachelor's degree examination*.
- (2) Each faculty has the freedom to prepare its own regulations and instruments that will contribute to the good conduct of the bachelor's degree examination, provided that they do not violate the provisions of this methodology.
- (3) The UMFVBT Rector may cancel, with the approval of the University Senate, a bachelor's thesis, when it is proved that fraudulent means were used in its realisation.
- (4) The Methodology for drafting a bachelor's thesis may be modified at the request of the Faculty Teaching Staff Councils, by decision of the Board of Directors, and with the approval of the University Senate.
- (5) This Methodology for drafting and defending a bachelor's thesis was approved and republished in the Senate meeting of 30.03.2022, date from which it enters into force.

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ANNEX 1 Registration application

To the Dean,

I, the undersigned _____
a student in the _____ year, at the Faculty of _____
study program _____, form of education _____,
please approve my topic titled _____

_____ in order to draft the bachelor's thesis/degree paper/dissertation in the discipline
_____ coordinated by _____

Date

Signature,

**Endorsed,
Bachelor's thesis coordinator(s)**

Title, Last and first name, Signature

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Date

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ANNEX 2 Cover and title page

“VICTOR BABEȘ” UNIVERSITY OF MEDICINE AND PHARMACY OF
TIMIȘOARA TIMES NEW ROMAN 16 CENTRED

FACULTY TIMES NEW ROMAN 14 CENTRED

Department TIMES NEW ROMAN 14 CENTRED

Discipline TIMES NEW ROMAN 12 CENTRED

LAST NAME FATHER’S INITIALS FIRST NAME OF THE STUDENT
TIMES NEW ROMAN 14 CENTRED BOLD CENTRED

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BACHELOR’S THESIS

TIMES NEW ROMAN 36 CENTRED BOLD CENTRED

Scientific coordinator(s) - TIMES NEW ROMAN 12

LAST AND FIRST NAME OF THE SCIENTIFIC COORD. TIMES
NEW ROMAN 16 BOLD

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A N U L (spaced) TIMES NEW ROMAN 14

c) Text on the title page:

“VICTOR BABEȘ” UNIVERSITY OF MEDICINE AND PHARMACY OF
TIMIȘOARA TIMES NEW ROMAN 14

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Department TIMES NEW ROMAN 14

Discipline TIMES NEW ROMAN 12 CENTRED

LAST AND FIRST NAME OF THE STUDENT
TIMES NEW ROMAN 16 BOLD

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CENTRED 16

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d) Titles will be edited as follows:

PART TITLE (GEN/SPEC)	TNR BOLD 16
CHAPTER TITLE (1st ORDER TITLE)	TNR BOLD 14
SUBCHAPTER TITLE (2nd ORDER TITLE)	TNR BOLD 12
SUBCHAPTER TITLE (3rd ORDER TITLE)	TNR BOLD 11
Subchapter title (4th order title)	TNR bold 11
<i>Subchapter title (5th order title)</i>	TNRI bold italic 11
Subchapter title (6 th order title)	TNRI 11



ANNEX 3 Statement of originality

STATEMENT *

on the originality of the content of the bachelor's thesis

I, the undersigned,
residing in, born on.....,
identified with PIN (CNP)....., graduate of the
“Victor Babeș” University of Medicine and Pharmacy of Timișoara, Faculty of
....., study program.....,
class of, hereby state, knowing the legal provisions regarding false
statements and the provisions of Law no. 1/2011 on national education, Art.143 (4)
and (5) on plagiarism, that the bachelor's thesis titled.....

..... drafted
under the coordination of
Mr./Mrs.

.....,
which I am going to defend before the committee is original, belongs to me, and
assume its content in its entirety.

I also state that I agree to have my bachelor's thesis verified by any legal means to
confirm its originality. This includes my consent to have it entered in a database for
this purpose.

I have taken note of the fact that it is forbidden to sell scientific papers in order to
facilitate the falsification by the buyer of the authorship of a bachelor's thesis, degree
paper or dissertation, and, in this regard, I hereby state that this paper was not was
copied, but represents the product of the research I carried out.

Date, Student's signature



ANNEX 4 Abstract

ABSTRACT

TITLE OF THE THESIS

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.....

LAST AND FIRST NAME of the student, gr., series, study program

.....

SCIENTIFIC COORDINATOR(S)

.....

ABSTRACT
(maximum 300 words, without spaces)



ANNEX 5 EVALUATION REPORT

Evaluation REPORT on the bachelor's thesis

titled: _____
prepared by the graduate: _____,
coordinated by: _____
_____.

EVALUATION CRITERIA

1. Importance of the topic and structure of the thesis **Meet(s) the evaluation criteria:**

- importance and topicality of the topic, Yes No
- framing of the topic in international, national and zonal concerns. Yes No

2. Scientific content of the thesis **Meet(s) the evaluation criteria:**

- the thesis is:
 - a primary study (original observational, experimental or interventional research) Yes No
 - a secondary study (summary of primary studies in the literature in the form of a *systematic review or meta-analysis*) Yes No
- complexity of the topic Yes No

3. Drafting of the paper **Meet(s) the evaluation criteria:**

- scientific research objectives Yes No
- research method used and research methodology Yes No
- clarity of wording Yes No
- capacity for analysis and synthesis Yes No

4. Iconography **Meet(s) the evaluation criteria:**

- material and method Yes No
- results: tables, graphs, images Yes No

5. Conclusions **Meet(s) the evaluation criteria:**

- clarity of wording Yes No
- own contributions / original elements Yes No

6. References **Meet(s) the evaluation criteria:**

- scale and topicality Yes No

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- quotes in the text

Yes No

The graduate completed the bachelor's degree portfolio in accordance with the provisions of the Methodology for drafting and defending a bachelor's thesis within the UMFVBT.

The thesis meets the scientific and methodological conditions in order to be defended before the committee.

Proposed grade _____ (_____).

Date,

Scientific coordinator(s)'s signature,

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ANNEX 6 COORDINATOR'S ENDORSEMENT

Endorsement of the scientific coordinator(s) on the acceptance of the thesis for defence

I hereby state that I have taken note of the Complete Similarity Report generated by the Anti-Plagiarism System for the thesis:

Author:

Title:.....
.....
.....

After analysing the report, I found the following:

- The borrowings that were detected in the paper are justified (quoted), and do not show signs of plagiarism. Therefore, I consider that the thesis was written individually, and I accept its defence.
- The borrowings that were detected in the paper do not show signs of plagiarism, but their very large number raises suspicions in terms of substantial value, being correlated with the lack of originality of its author. Therefore, I believe that the thesis should be rewritten, limiting the number of borrowings.
- The borrowings found in the thesis are not justified, and show signs of plagiarism. Therefore, I do not accept the paper for defence, and send the notification to the Rector of the University in order to analyse the situation with regard to the internal procedures of the University.**
- The thesis contains intentional distortions of the text, which indicate an attempt to disguise unauthorised borrowing. Therefore, I do not accept the thesis for defence, and send the notification to the Rector of the University in order to analyse the situation with regard to the internal procedures of the University.**

Motivation:

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Date

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Signature of the scientific coordinator(s)

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