Supervisor’s bachelor thesis assessment

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The work is focused on the problem of the development of Chinese stock exchange markets, which is a topical problem in the area of global financial markets and a suitable topic for a bachelor work. The main objective of the work is to study the development of Chinese stock exchange markets and compare the two stock exchanges in China. Based on the content and results of this work, it is clear that the objective has been achieved successfully by the student.

The structure of the thesis is consistent with the thesis assignment, the author proceeds systematically and logically from the theoretical background to the practical application. The work is divided into five main chapters. First, the student gives an overall description of financial markets, where the main focus is adequately paid on stock exchanges and stock indexes. In the next chapter, the student provides an overview of history, development, current situation and future prospects of stock exchanges in the context of Chinese capital markets. The core chapter of this work is chapter four, in which the comparison of Chinese stock exchanges is carried out. The student compares Shanghai and Shenzhen Stock Exchanges (SSE, SZSE) through indicators such as market capitalization, number of listed companies, stock market indexes and the top listed companies. Based on the partial results of the comparison, the student considers SSE as more important. Then, she evaluates the main similarities and differences between SSE and the National Stock Exchange of India, as two representative stock exchanges of two important emerging countries. The partial results are presented continuously in the text; the main results are summarized in the conclusion.

The author summarizes her findings in tables and is able to sufficiently comment results. The visual layout of the work adequately reflects the overall requirements. The work contains tables and graphs in an appropriate degree, references are properly included in the text. However, there are minor grammar and spelling errors in the text.

Based on the work we can say that the student is able to identify a problem and use an appropriate methodology to solve the problem. Regardless of the comments above, the work satisfies the requirements for the elaboration and provides author’s original results and suggestions.

For the reasons above, I recommend the thesis for the oral defence.

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