

## **POSTGRADUATE THESIS PRESENTATION – DEFENSE GUIDE**

- The presentation will be in the form of slides (powerpoint) and should exceed 15-20 minutes.
- In order to stick to the time limit, slides should not be more than 15 to 20.
- It is not advisable to extend beyond five minutes for the theoretical part. A good practice is to limit yourself to the research's conceptual framework or the theoretical model clarification as well as the necessity of this research (4-5 slides).
- During presentation, emphasis should be put on research methodology and results/ findings.
- The presentation should end with the summary of findings and conclusions – interpretations.
- A final slide may be dedicated, if this is needed, to the research proposals based exclusively on findings.
- Presentation will be followed by questions for 15-20 minutes.
- The oral presentation is graded and this grade is taken into account in the thesis final grade. For this reason you should send the presentation to the members of your examination committee, before the presentation, in order to facilitate their grading in case they are not present.