

Vilém Mathesius Foundation Awarded Best English and American Studies Theses

On 26 October 2022, the Vilém Mathesius Awards for the best MA and BA theses were awarded to students of the Department of Anglophone Literatures and Cultures and the Department of English Language and ELT Methodology.

The Foundation was established in 1992 and named after the founder of English studies in Czechoslovakia and the first professor of this subject at Charles University, Vilém Mathesius (1882–1945).

Awarded MA Theses

English Language and ELT Methodology

1st place

- **Simona Sobolevská:** „Measuring Vocabulary Knowledge of Advanced Learners of English using a Multiple-Choice Test,,

2nd place

- **Hana Hledíková:** „Conversion in English and Czech: A Corpus Study of Semantic Relations between Nouns and Verbs,,
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Anglophone Literatures and Cultures

1st place

- **Zuzana Holečková:** „Moving the Frontier of Conscience: Representations of Animal Ethics in Selected Works of Contemporary Anglophone Literature,,
- **Aleksandar Momčilović:** „Literary Politics of the Radio Free Europe in Czechoslovakia in the Period of ‚Normalization’“

2nd place

- **Dunja Ilić:** „Between Mainstream and Avant-Garde Filmmaking: The French New Wave and the Illusion of Realism,,
 - **Hana Farníková:** „Haunted by the New Woman,,
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Awarded BA Theses

English Language and ELT Methodology

1st place

- **Barbora Bocková:** „Phonetic Realization of Coda /t/ in Current Southern British English Pronunciation,,

2nd place

- **Lenka Kalvodová:** „Production and Perception Aspects of Weak Form Words in Czech-Accented English,,
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Anglophone Literatures and Cultures

- **Eliška Zunová:** „Fiction and Truth in Jeanette Winterson’s Novels“
- **Jan Kostohryz:** „Against His Own Theory: The Contradictions of B. S. Johnson’s Fiction,“
- **Kristina Pěkníková:** „Alternatives to the Married State in the Works of Margaret Oliphant,“



