

Summaries and keywords

Makarenko V.P. Russian power and modernization: the general trends on background of the latest research

Summary: The author applies his three-power concept developed to analyze Soviet modernization. The three-power system well-established in the USSR covers power, property and ideology and includes trends of terrorization, bureaucratization, and modernization. On the basis of recent literature a heuristic potential of this premise to describe today's Russia is shown. According to the author, the memory of state violence in the past as well as awareness of the forms of its manifestation in the present have to be made to starting point of analysis of all social problems, including regional.

Keywords: modernization, state and everyday violence in the USSR / Russia.

Baturin Y.M. Scientists have been told: “You are not needed”

Summary: The article deals with the relationship between science and government. On the example of the crisis in summer and autumn of 2013, associated with the reform of Russian Academy of Sciences (RAS), the patterns in the relationship between government agencies, politicians and representatives of Russian scientific environment are shown. In the context of issue about science funding by authority, a scientist status as property is problematized. As the author notes, since the law on the reform of RAS entered into force in September 28, 2013, the Academy proves to be in the new reality.

Keywords: science, power, reform of RAS, scientific institute, education reform.

Berlyavsky L.G. Deportation of scientists from Soviet Russia in 1922: Lessons of history

Summary: The author considers the relationship between science and the Soviet political regime. The events in 1922 — deportation of a large group of scientists from the Soviet Russia are analyzed in the article. An issue that puts the author is to assess the outcome of the expulsion and intellectual exhaustion society. The administrative deportation as a means to combat intellectual opposition is analyzed in the article.

Keywords: science, the Soviet political regime, deportation of scientists, administrative deportation, intellectual opposition, political opposition.

Nikolsky S.A. Russians as an imperial people

Summary: The central theme of this article is rethinking the problem of imperial consciousness of Russians. The author identifies a number of features of imperial consciousness and

examines in detail the process of empire building, formation and evolution of imperial consciousness.

Keywords: imperial people, the imperial consciousness, empire building.

Tkachenko V.N. Community of historical destiny: Maidan test

Summary: The article analyzes the origins, the driving forces and the current of civil confrontation in Ukraine known as Euromaidan 2014.

Keywords: Euromaidan, Antimaidan, civil confrontation, European integration, international sanctions, the originator of bloodshed, resistance identity, identity of project for the future, “double periphery”, “war of the millionaires against the billionaires”, “millenniums” “generic” work, “self-programmed labor”, “titushki”, social exclusion, policy of “strong hand”, anticriminal revolution.

E.A. Pain — L.D. Gudkov. Conversation on “Waiting for the miracle: Russian society after the Crimean events”

Summary: The journal “Political Conceptology” publishes the conversation between political scientist Emil Pain and sociologist Lev Gudkov about changes in Russian society and power after the Crimean events. The main mythologemes arising in Russian society about the situation in Crimea are opposed by the assessments of the real state of Russian society, based on the recently completed joint study of mentioned scientists.

Keywords: Crimea, Russian power, political demobilization, political propaganda.

Shklar L.E. National patriotic prerequisites of T.G. Shevchenko's political worldview

Summary: The political component of the creative heritage of T.G. Shevchenko is analysed in the article. According to the author, the political element in the work of Shevchenko is an attempt to pass, in the form of categories and concepts, what is portrayed in the poetics of symbol, metaphor or image.

Keywords: political philosophy of Shevchenko, Shevchenko as politician, national idea, “trousers patriots”, Shevchenko' political outlook.

Pritsak O.I. Shevchenko as prophet

Summary: The author traces the emergence of the poet and philosopher T.G. Shevchenko. The author reflects on how, when, and why Shevchenko as artist began writing poetry and when he discovered that his calling is not inherent in painting and poetry.

Keywords: national dignity, Shevchenko as artist, “Three summers”.

Dziuba I.M. Poet against empire

Summary: The journal “Political Conceptology” publishes an excerpt from a book by Ivan Dziuba “Taras Shevchenko”. In this poem, the audacity of the young poet is faced with empire

firmness and untouchability of autocracy halo. However, a despotic pressure which drove the living thought into underground but could not kill that thought.

Keywords: political poetry, political philosophy, T.G. Shevchenko's work.

Melnichenko V.Y. Taras Shevchenko in Moscow (March 1858)

Summary: This article analyzes the Shevchenko's experience about Moscow 1858, recorded in his diaries.

Keywords: Shevchenko, Bodyanskiy, Maksimovic, Mokritsky, Repnina, Shchepkin.

Rac M.V., Kotelnikov S.I. Power or governance?

Summary: The article seeks to rethink in a fundamental way the basic concepts of political philosophy from the standpoint of activity approach. The key issues of the modernity are presented by the authors in the form of consequence of behavioral ontology dominance which is not relevant for idea of reform activities. In this context, a basic political category — the power — is understood as 'reificated' form of governance which devoid of reflexive mental component. As alternative to such a power, the reflexive dialogical relationships and management activities are offered.

Keywords: political philosophy, power, governance, thinking, reflection, dialogue, active approach, Moscow methodological circle.

Transcript of Seminar-Debate “Heritage of the communist past in the modern life of Russia and Russian prospects of Left Movement” (18–19 May 2013, Rostov-on-Don)

Summary: The journal “Political Conceptology” publishes transcript of the seminar “Heritage of the Communist Past in the Modern Life of Russia and Russian Prospects of Left Movement” held in Rostov-on-Don on May 18–19, 2013.

Keywords: study of the past, history of the USSR, art and politics, bureaucracy, Internet and politics, historical memory.

Kolchinsky E.I. So it Came to mind, or another one perjury (Chapters from the book)

Summary: The Journal “Political Conceptology” publishes selected chapters from the memories book written by the director of the St. Petersburg branch of the Institute of History of Science and Technology named after S.I. Vavilov at the RAS Eduard Kolchinsky. The author focuses on complex problems of intertwining between personal life and science, science and power, social history and science history, science and crises.

Keywords: memoirs, the social history of science, science and power, science and crises.