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ПЛЕНАРНОЕ ЗАСЕДАНИЕ 11 ноября 2020 г. 13.00 – 15.00 На платформе Zoom

Руководитель: Кочетова М.Г.

1. Akhmedov Nikolai/ Ахмедов Николай

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

P.P. Pasolini as a political thinker/ П.П. Пазолини как политический мыслитель

The topic of the mutual influence of politics and the art of cinema is one of the most pressing topics in modern social sciences. If the politicization of cinema is highlighted by a multitude of psychological, sociological and political science studies, then the political views of filmmakers, as a rule, remain without due attention. In this sense, the figure of Pier Paolo Pasolini, an independent Italian communist filmmaker, who expressed his disagreement with the capitalist social system and postmodern morality, is of particular scientific interest. This work presents the political biography of P.P. Pasolini and an analysis of his ideological and political views.

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

2. Kochan, Julius/ Кочан Джулиус

Gonville and Caius College; University of Cambridge, Faculty of Modern and Medieval Languages/ Гонвилл и Кейус колледж; Факультет современных и средневековых языков Кембриджского университета

Portrayals of Harbin Russians in Republican Era Chinese Literature/ Образы русских людей, проживавших в Харбине, в литературе времен Китайской республики

The first half of the twentieth century was a time of unprecedented interaction between Chinese and Russians. There were, at times, many thousands of Russians residing in the city of Harbin, in Northern China. Despite this significant Russian presence, however, references to Russia and Russians in Chinese language literature produced in Harbin at the time are cursory. This talk shall analyse the forms that these references take in the short stories of Chinese author Xiao Hong whilst she was in Harbin.

3. Mitrofanova, Anastasia/ Митрофанова Анастасия

Faculty of Foreign Languages and Area Studies/ Факультет иностранных языков и регионоведения Developing emotional intelligence at schools and universities in the UK, the USA and Russia/ Развитие эмоционального интеллекта в школах и университетах Великобритании, США и России

The work focuses on the concept of emotional intelligence (EI) in the area of education. The study analyses the opportunities students and pupils in the UK and the USA have to develop their EI and the ways developing emotional literacy is integrated into the school curriculum. The results are compared with the current situation in the Russian educational system.

Консультант по английскому языку: Коренев Алексей Александрович

4. Safarov, Timur/ Сафаров Тимур

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Strategic and conceptual approaches to the formation of the unipolar world order in G. Kissinger's and Z. Brzezinski's writings: a comparative analysis/ Сравнительный анализ стратегических и концептуальных подходов к формированию однополярного миропорядка в трудах Г. Киссенджера и З. Бжезинского

Zbigniew Brzezinski and Henry Kissinger, being the main ideologists of US foreign policy during the collapse of the Soviet Union, held different positions on the implementation of American domination in the world. Nevertheless, the works of these political scientists have proved to be prophetic and still cause intense debate within political community. The paper considers the extent to which the worldviews of the diplomats have affected the modern system of international relations, identifies the

principles of their strategies, which are still relevant today, and dwells on the reasons that can prevent America from remaining the only superpower in the world arena.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

5. Shubina, Varvara/ Шубина Варвара

Faculty of Philosophy / Философский факультет

Contemporary panpsychism and religion: Russell vs. Eddington/ Современный панпсихизм и религия: Рассел против Эддингтона

Despite the stated commitment to naturalism and general progressiveness, contemporary panpsychists from the analytical tradition nevertheless frequently go back to the old spiritual ideas. The beginning of this inconsistency can be found in the history of philosophy, namely in the disagreement between Bertrand Russell and Arthur Eddington, who are considered as the instigators of so-called Russellian monism, a central conception of contemporary panpsychism. Starting from this point, we can distinguish two branches of contemporary panpsychism, one striving to religion, the other to the elimination of any mystical and similar features from this revived theory. Such separation appears to be meaningful, given that proponents of each in fact have different goals to reach.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

6. Toropov, Egor/ Торопов Егор

Faculty of Philosophy/Философский факультет

The contest *Leaders of Russia. Politics* in the context of future Russian-American relations/ Конкурс «Лидеры России. Политика» в контексте будущего российско-американских отношений

The participants of the contest (20-23 September this year) discussed a wide range of problems relating to Russia's foreign policy in general and to relations with the United States in particular. As events develop, it is becoming increasingly difficult to maintain positive relations with the USA and there are a few reasons for it, not the least is the decision of the USA to withdraw from the Open Skies Treaty and START-3 agreement that has promoted international security for the last 30 years. Young people are particularly interested in improving our relations. They discussed new approaches that could yield new results and solve persistent problems. We have many problems that could be resolved by joint efforts: global warming, international terrorism, proliferation of nuclear weapons etc.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

7. Zamotkin, Ivan/Замоткин Иван

Faculty of Philosophy/Философский факультет

Radical democracy and democratic education/ Радикальная демократия и демократическое образование

In my presentation I focus on two figures who are primarily associated with the concept of radical democracy — Belgian philosopher Chantal Mouffe and French philosopher Jacques Rancière. The works of both of these authors have gained much attention in the philosophy of education recently. First, I elaborate on their ideas about democracy and the notion of political. In doing this, I reveal similarities between their approaches, as well as the areas of disagreement. Finally, I outline some of the possible applications of these ideas to education, particularly, to the practice of democratic education.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

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Секция 1 9 ноября 2020 г., понедельник, 10.45-12.15 На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Алиев Мурад, Иванова Валерия

1. Belokopytova Polina, Zabiyan Yulia/ Белокопытова Полина, Забиян Юлия

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

A reflection of feminist ideology in children's cartoons as a demand of time/ Отражение феминистской идеологии в детских мультфильмах как требование времени

The main emphasis of this work is put on the cartoons of the Disney studio: in these movies the changes are clearly visible, indicating the demand for feminist ideas in cinematography. Cartoons are a reflection of the demands of time, therefore, we also look at the changes in The Academy of Motion Pictures Arts and Sciences (OSCAR) requirements for their prestigious award in the art of motion picture. We consider the concepts and ideas introduced in the cartoons nominated for the Golden Globe Award by "The Hollywood Foreign Press Association" ("HFPA"), and the ones which became laureates of this award. An analysis is also conducted on the material of the works of the DreamWorks studio and Russian cartoons.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

2. Bogdanova Daria, Nekrasova Natasha/ Богданова Дарья, Некрасова Наташа

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Psychological consequences of social isolation for mass consciousness and mental health/ Возможные психологические последствия социальной изоляции для массового сознания и здоровья людей

COVID-19 pandemic has significantly changed our daily lives, with many people facing financial difficulties and job losses. It has particularly affected people's feelings and fears. We can postulate extraordinary psychological consequences. The chosen subject is topical and important because it is the first such global and ubiquitous event that covers everyone throughout the world in the 21st century. The aim of the present report is to demonstrate how social isolation has changed mass consciousness. Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

3. Boronin Artem, Efimov Daniil/ Боронин Артем, Ефимов Даниил

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The 'non-war' for independence: an analysis of Mahatma Gandhi's role in the liberation of the Indian people/ "Не-война" за независимость: анализ роли Махатмы Ганди в освобождении индийского народа

The colonial policy of the British Empire, according to some experts, was a heavy burden that hampered India's development. The attempts of gaining independence by force failed, thus making the people of India search for a new way. The solution was found by Mahatma Gandhi through his idea of fight without violence, which created a new type of revolution that liberated India. The independence was achieved, but the impact made by Mahatma Gandhi is still disputed. The purpose of this report is to define the role of Mahatma Gandhi and his doctrine in the liberation of the Indian people.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

4. Ignatova Alexandra, Krymova Ksenia/ Игнатова Александра, Крымова Ксения

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The political development of Gambia through the lens of its relations with Senegal from 1982 to the present day/ Политическое развитие Гамбии через призму отношений с Сенегалом (1982 г. – настоящее время)

This report is devoted to studying historical aspects of the twentieth-century Gambia-Senegal relations, which have strongly influenced the further political development of Gambia until the present day. There is still little awareness in the Russian society of political processes in African countries in general and of the emergence of Gambia as a modern state in particular. The aim of this report is to trace and analyze the directions of Gambia's political development focusing on the period from the end of the previous century to the present time, as well as to identify the main patterns of this development.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

5. Ivanova Valery, Bibik Sophia/ Иванова Валерия, Бибик София

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

A study of humanitarian aspects of Canadian foreign policy: is humanism in Canada a mirage or a landmark?/ Исследование гуманитарных аспектов канадской внешней политики: гуманизм в Канаде - мираж или ориентир?

The authors analyze the possibilities and limitations of the organic merger of humanistic principles and imperatives of national interests in the practice of international relations, using Canada as an example. This problem becomes more important in the critical period of transition from the Cold War to a postbipolar globalizing world. The choice of Canada as an object for studying the humanitarian aspects of foreign policy is certainly not accidental. In the bipolar world, this country has deservedly gained a reputation as a peacemaker, mediator, human rights activist, and adherent of multilateral diplomacy. In a certain sense, its efforts aimed at developing international instruments for maintaining peace can be seen as an attempt to purposefully affirm the priorities for maintaining peace in the face of a militarypolitical and ideological confrontation between East and West. But are there any selfish goals behind this virtue? This is the main research question of the study.

Консультанты по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна, Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

6. Pataraya Christina, Rukacheva Vera/ Патарая Кристина, Рукачёва Вера

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The role of left-wing parties in modern UK politics/ Роль партий левого толка в современной политике Великобритании

The leftist ideology has been on a steady rise in popularity in the UK, mainly due to dissatisfaction with modern conservative agenda, especially in the light of such controversial political events as Brexit and the ensuing uncertainty about security of the state. In spite of that, the Labour Party, widely regarded as the main center-left party in the UK, lost the 2019 general election leading Jeremy Corbyn, the party's longtime leader, to announce his decision to step down, triggering a 2020 leadership election. Many blamed the Labour Party for being stuck in the past, and that raised a question of whether leftist parties need to reevaluate their role and their goals in modern politics in order to achieve success. The purpose of the report is to examine the causes of leftist parties' consistent loss in the struggle for power, the impact they have had on the country's agenda and the future they are facing. Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

7. Radischev Ilya/ Радищев Илья

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The crisis of the US gun culture: a historical and political analysis/ Кризис «оружейной культуры» в США: историко-политический анализ

Since the start of the Black Lives Matter protest, there has been much evidence of violence on the streets of US cities. This consequently raised the question of revising the state's gun policy, since certain groups, under the pretext of public protest against police violence, tried to achieve their own goals, thus fueling American public concern about the accessibility of weapons. The purpose of this paper is to analyze the crisis of the American gun culture from historical and political viewpoints.

8. Soldatova Ksenia, Tsvetkova Darya/ Солдатова Ксения, Цветкова Дарья

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Trade and information confrontation between the United States and China: a case study of the TikTok situation/ Торговое и информационное противостояние США и Китая: анализ конфронтации с сервисом TikTok

The Chinese viral application Tik Tok has attracted much public attention recently. A confrontation came about between the industry titans, the USA and China, over the sale of the American share. President Trump insists that Tik Tok violates national security utilizing user information for the benefit of the Chinese government. The purpose of this report is to analyze all the consequences of China-US trade confrontation, its reasons and motives. Furthermore, we aim to predict the alike cases concerning other social networks in future.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

Секция 2 9 ноября 2020 г., понедельник 13.00-14.30 На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Алиев Мурад, Иванова Валерия

1. Aliev Murad/ Алиев Мурад

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Nagorno-Karabakh: searching for a solution/ Нагорный Карабах: в поисках решения проблемы

The Armenian-Azerbaijani conflict has become one of the most intractable, because both sides do not agree to make any concessions. At the stage of the collapse of the USSR, this conflict was accompanied by an acute political and then full-scale military confrontation between Armenia and Azerbaijan, which ended on May 16-17, 1994 with signing of a ceasefire and non-resumption of hostilities agreement with the mediation of Russia. However, controversial issues such as the security zone around the NKR were not resolved by September 27, 2020 leading to a large-scale war, which has already claimed the lives of several thousand soldiers and hundreds of civilians. The report it set to investigate possible solutions for peaceful reconciliation of the conflict.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

2. Ismailov Elnur/ Исмаилов Эльнур Вели оглы

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Migration crisis in Europe: problems and ways of its settlement / Миграционный кризис в Европе: проблемы и способы его урегулирования

Over the past 5 years, European countries have experienced migration difficulties associated with leaving refugees from poor African countries and the warring countries of the Middle East to West countries for a better life. However, many countries have difficulties because of migrant integration into European society. The contradiction consists not only in the difference of civilizations (by religious, ethnic, etc.) but also in a different attitude to the migration policy: Eastern European countries (Poland, Hungary, Czech Republic) advocate stopping the flow of migrants, making harsh statements ("Stop Migrants!"), and other countries (Germany, Sweden, France) are positive about the uncontrolled migration to their countries. In this issue an attempt is made to analyze this problem systematically and suggesting ways to solve the migration crisis in Europe

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

3. Kaschenko Andrey/ Кащенко Андрей

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The reasons for Conservatives' victory at the Parliamentary elections in 2019/ Причины победы консерваторов на парламентских выборах 2019 года

General election in Parliament in 2019 became a great political event of outgoing decade. Due to voting results Boris Johnson had a possibility to get Brexit done. Brexit was the main reason of conservatives' victory, bringing millions of votes to them. Political confrontation of Conservatives and Liberals began in the end of the 17th century. Conservatives and liberals became two major political parties of the United Kingdom. Conservatives and Liberals changed each other in political Olympus of the United Kingdom in the 18th and 19th centuries. But in 1900 the Labour Party was founded. People who voted for Liberals became supporters of the Labour Party. Therefore, the Labour Party became the main opposition to the Conservative Party.

Консультант по английскому языку: преподаватель Криштоф Елена Михайловна

4. Kurginova Daria, Shchipkov Kirill/ Кургинова Дарья, Щипков Кирилл

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Implementing the idea of shaping civil identity in the USSR: the making of the term 'Soviet people' and its meaning/ Воплощение идеи формирования гражданской идентичности в СССР: формирование термина «советский народ» и его значение

One of the most pressing problems facing Russian political science is the process of shaping the Russian identity. However, what is the basis for it? The answer to this question lies in the study of previous periods in Russian history, and in particular of the time of the Soviet Union. In our research, we trace the genesis of civil identity making in the Soviet Union and the emergence of the Soviet people concept. We also define the constituent elements that can form the basis for the Russian identity. Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

5. Lalayants Ekaterina/ Лалаянц Екатерина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Prevention measures against offenses and crimes committed by minors: the Russian Federation and international experience/ Меры по предупреждению правонарушений несовершеннолетних: РФ и зарубежный опыт

In every single country is enacted a special system of regulation aimed at preventing minors from committing crimes and offenses. The effectiveness of the taken measures is reflected in various statistics. For this reason, it is appropriate to speak about the necessity to view and assess this experience in other countries' law-making. The measures are aimed not only at providing information about the consequences of offenses and crimes committed by minors, but also at providing psychological support. This policy is centered on achieving awareness of the responsibility and the severity implications of a juvenile offender.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

6. Maslennikova Ekaterina, Merzliakova Alina/ Масленникова Екатерина, Мерзлякова Алина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Divergent attitudes towards anglicisms in modern France: the socio-political aspect/ Отношение к англицизмам в современной Франции в социально-политическом аспекте

At the end of the 21st century, the influence of English started to rise immediately around the world in correlation with the process of globalization. France's identity has long been bound up with its language, to an extent bigger than anywhere else. That's why the process of English penetration has appeared to be quite an urgent issue. The attitude of the speakers toward linguistic borrowings from the English language is divergent, however the policy of France's government is clear. Due to its relevance, this problem grabs attention of linguists and political experts as well.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

7. Solodov Evgenii, Biryukova Alisa/ Солодов Евгений, Бирюкова Алиса

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Canada: soft power as a foreign policy strategy of the middle rank state/ Канада: мягкая сила, как внешнеполитическая концепция «средней державы»

Canada is a great example of modernity, showing how a middle rank state (a country has a small population and a small army) can use the concept of "soft power" for achieving an important position in the global political system. Canada capably exports its values into the world that promotes the consolidation of the Canadian image in the eyes' of other nations. The authors provide an insight of how the use the "soft power" has strengthened the authority of Canada as a "powerful player" in the international arena.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

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Ведущий: Иванов Игорь

1. Antonov Roman/ Антонов Роман

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Nuclear disasters as a challenge for humanity in the 21st century: an analysis of the social and humanitarian consequences of accidents at nuclear power plants / Атомные катастрофы как вызов для человечества в XXI веке: анализ социально-гуманитарных последствий аварий на атомных электростанциях.

The development of science and technology has led mankind to the discovery of nuclear energy. It has proven to be a very efficient and cheap way to generate large amounts of electricity. But progress always has its drawbacks. If an accident occurs at a nuclear power plant, then this has both tactical and strategic consequences for the entire society. In addition to the fact that the territory in the zone of a man-made disaster is no longer suitable for life, a large number of people lose their homes, jobs, and start suffering from terrible diseases. As part of the research, I plan to study the consequences of nuclear disasters on society and ways to solve emerging problems.

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

2. Golubtsova Darya/ Голубцова Дарья

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Building an Italian cultural code through culinary tradition: a historical-political analysis/ Формирование культурного кода итальянцев через кулинарную традицию: историкополитологический анализ

National cuisine is a part of culture like language, literature and music. Cuisine is also a reflection of several values and behavior principles that appeared in Italian society long ago. The purpose of my study is to analyze the evolution of Italian society through cuisine traditions and food habits. The work presents an interesting picture of the interplay of economic, political, technological and food factors. My work is based on the concept of A. Capatti and M. Montanari, Italian scientists involved in cultural research. Various other works on Italian history are also analyzed. Thus, a comparative analysis of the medieval and modern Italian traditions is likely to help us gain an understanding of the Italian national cultural and social code.

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

3. Egorov Stanislav/ Егоров Станислав, Ivanov Igor/ Иванов Игорь

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

An analysis of protests after presidential elections in the republic of Belarus: political and symbolic aspects/ Анализ протестов после президентских выборов в республике Беларусь: политические и символические аспекты

In the report, the authors analyze the current political situation after presidential elections in the republic of Belarus. The main aspects of the work are studying political and symbolic aspects of protests in Belarusian civil society.

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

4. Matyunkov Yegor/ Матюнков Егор, Fadeichev Grigoriy/ Фадеичев Григорий

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Complex identity research in political science: methodological basics and key features/ Комплексное исследование идентичности в политической науке: особенности и методологические основы

The report gives a short outline of research in political identity as a complex system of beliefs and affiliations. These phenomena of personality are possessed by every individual and related not only to the political realm, but also ethnic, spiritual, economic and mixed ones as well. The authors suppose that a person possessing well-developed identities in every of the four realms is vested with a better readiness to take part in a democratic system rather than a person with only one. This supposition relies on the stipulation that a person clearly understanding his/her statuses and deliberately handling them has a better perception of the political process and social functioning as well, which means a stronger ability to defend personal interests. A complex and multirealm research on identity may also contribute to the clarification of identity issues, especially in the case of Russia. The Russian Federation steadily undertakes measures to construct a civic national identity, but plurality of issues and some other problems remain the obstacle. The authors give a view over the issue of the *russkiy* identity and present a basic set of research methods.

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

5. Spivakov Nikita, Firsanov Danil/ Спиваков Никита, Фирсанов Данил

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

International interference as a factor of separatism escalation in the Third World countries: the cases of Angola and Papua-New Guinea/ Внешнее вмешательство как фактор эскалации сепаратизма в странах Третьего мира (примеры Анголы и Папуа-Новой Гвинеи)

Nowadays we can see a big splash in regional conflicts. An example of this splash is the Karabakh conflict. If we try to analyze and predict possible outcomes of this regional war, we should pay our attention to the history of such conflicts. Many of them took place as consequences of the demolition of the colonial system. And there are two demonstrative cases of such regional wars which came to opposite endings. The first is Cabinda independence war which began in Angola in 1970s, the second example is a movement for the independency of Bougainville which broke out in Papua-New Guinea in late 1980s. These two regions are rich in mineral resources — oil and copper. Both conflicts were accompanied with a huge external interference of regional players, that is why the purpose of this study is to analyze the quality and degree of this interference. Firstly, we measure the influence of powerful regional states. Secondly, we evaluate the intrusion of transnational organizations.

Консультанты по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна, Бережных Елена Юрьевна

Секция 4 9 ноября 2020 г., понедельник, 14.45-16.15 На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Федотов Марк, Щербакова Софья

1. Bachinskaya Anna/ Бачинская Анна

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The issue of feminism in Jane Austen's *Emma*: a socio-political analysis/ Социо-политический анализ феминизма в романе Джейн Остин «Эмма»

The novel *Emma* can rightly be considered as a masterpiece of the best world literature. Jane Austen artfully displays well-rounded and complex characters, developing them throughout the story. For a person of the 21st century, *Emma* is perceived more as a fascinating novel, and the feminist aspect is almost unnoticeable. However, if we recall the socio-political context of the era when women were significantly restricted in their rights and were just beginning to advocate for their expansion, Emma Woodhouse really appears as an attempt by J. Austen to show the significant role of women. My research is aimed to highlight some feminist aspects of the novel Emma.

Консультант по английскому языку: Шмараева Анастасия Александровна

2. Ioksha Sofia, Zinger Alexandra/ Иокша София, Зингер Александра

Faculty of Political science/ Факультет политологии

The environmental incident in Kamchatka as a global ecological disaster/ Экологический инцидент на Камчатке как индикатор мировой экологической катастрофы

The environmental issues are becoming more and more vital in the modern world. Every day thousands of plants and animals become endangered as a result of human activity and intervention in nature. Every year dozens of species are known to become extinct. Unfortunately, the environmental disaster in Kamchatka is a very telling example of how humans are destroying nature. Although the natural environment has been seriously damaged, each of us can contribute to the protection and preservation of nature. In this report, we consider the latest environmental disasters and their consequences. To put forward some feasible solutions to these problems is also the aim of this research.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

3. Pernikov Vladislav, Zelenova Vladislava/ Перников Владислав, Зеленова Владислава Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Political correctness in the United States: a social perspective/ Политкорректность в Соединённых Штатах: социальный аспект

The modern era of American culture is characterized by acceptance of globalization, liberalism and strict political correctness. Many minorities that were discriminated in the past are now protected by the law. However, the emergence of laws that protect only a certain segment of population provokes their unfair usage for personal benefits. Some representatives of social minorities and those who pretend to be them use their position of "potentially oppressed society members" as a tool of influence and pressure. This phenomenon needs to be analyzed in order to understand the current structure of public relations in the United States of America.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

4. Solonenko Alexandra, Shakirova Diana/ Солоненко Александра, Шакирова Диана Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The concept of state sovereignty in the modern world: an analysis of opportunities and threats/ Понятие государственного суверенитета в современном мире: анализ возможностей и угроз

The report is devoted to a thorough analysis of the concept of state sovereignty in the modern world. Its significant characteristics were identified and also analyzed during the study. Maintaining state sovereignty is considered to be linked to ensuring human security. Thus, a threat to sovereignty endangers individuals, society and state as such. Consequently, the phenomenon of humanitarian interventions, which are contradictory in their nature, is directly related to the problem under consideration. Humanitarian intervention is carried out to help a state experiencing civil war or social unrest, but it certainly involves coercion that violates the norms of international law and the Charter of the United Nations. The report provides some brightest examples from modern world history that confirm this hypothesis.

Консультант по английскому языку: Шмараева Анастасия Александровна

5. Sukiasyan Daniil/ Сукиасян Даниил

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Irish nationalism in contemporary Northern Ireland through the lens of British politics/ Ирландский национализм в современной Северной Ирландии через призму британской политики

Since Ireland's independence, the issue of nationalism has become a serious factor in British politics. Irish nationalism reached its peak in the 1970s during The Troubles, but it continues exerting some influence even today. The aim of this report is to see how Irish nationalism experienced such a rise in the 1970s and analyze its modern state and impact on the politics of both the Irish Republic and the United Kingdom.

Консультант по английскому языку: Мурза Александра Борисовна

Секция 5 10 ноября 2020 г., вторник 09.00-10.30 На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Жеребцова Софья, Суркова Мария

1. Aitbay Amira/ Айтбай Амира

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

African sustainable development: a socio-political analysis/ Устойчивое развитие Африки: социо-политический анализ

Confucius once said that if you want to feed a man once, give him a fish but if you want to feed him for life, teach him to fish. How can this idea be put into practice? To understand the picture more clearly, we should go from the general to more specific ideas. For example, around \$60 billion worth of annual humanitarian aid is delivered to African countries. Currently, this money serves rather to enhance producers, not consumers, to enrich officials on the way of its distribution, and to pacify benefactors themselves. Why won't \$60 billion bring about dramatic changes? Hungry people are still starving, the poor are still sick, the homeless are still sleeping outdoors. The key point is that world community has been giving a fish to hungry people instead of giving them fishing rods and teaching them how to catch it. The report offers some ideas how to improve this situation.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

2. Autelli Jean-Mishel/ Отелли Жан-Мишель

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The role of developed countries in economic and social development of African states/ Роль развитых стран в социальном и экономическом развитии африканских государств

Although many attempts have been made to do away with poverty and hunger in African countries, they have not lived up to world community's expectations. Apparently, there are many reasons for it, not the least of which being the fact that so far there has not been general consensus on how to cope with numerous problems. To make things worse, constant fighting, local wars and unrest in many, if not all, African countries prevent many programs from being implemented. To what extent should the economic and political interests of developed countries coincide with those of African countries to secure their sustainable development? The report discusses new trends which are believed to promote further economic and social progress.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

3. Fedorov Kirill/ Кирилл Федоров

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The latest presidential elections in Belarus: a political analysis/ Последние президентские выборы в республики Беларусь: политический анализ

The Belarusian presidential elections can be considered as a vivid example of how people's positive intentions to improve the political and social situation in the country could have been interpreted as a deliberate attempt to mislead people and impose Western standards and values on them. The report gives convincing examples how Western countries tried to interfere into the internal affairs of a sovereign state by conducting reprehensible campaigns and providing unfounded arguments. An attempt is made to give an objective analysis of these turbulent events.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

4. Gluhovtsev Grigory/ Глуховцев Григорий

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Political culture in contemporary Russia: a political and social analysis/ Политическая культура в современной России: социально-политический анализ

Since the collapse of the Soviet Union, there has been intense debate over developing a new political culture. Opinions have been divided as to whether one should retain old political traditions or refuse the political heritage of the past, which was closely connected with a one-party system, administrative way of developing the national economy and centralized system of the decision-making process. Experience has shown that it takes much time and efforts to introduce new methods and ways into the political life of a country. The report stresses the importance of raising political self-awareness of Russian people.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

5. Krupnova Darya/ Крупнова Дарья

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

China's re-education camps as a most acute issue in contemporary society/ Синцзянские лагеря перевоспитания в Китае как острейшая проблема современного общества

Since the beginning of the 2000s, the political situation in China's Uighur district has increasingly become more and more turbulent. Millions of people were forcibly imprisoned in the so-called reducation camps on a charge of extremism. Some experts believe that religious and political cleansing are the true intentions of Chinese politicians and compare this situation to political persecution and repressions. Chinese authorities deny all allegations to preserve trade and political relationships with other states. The aim of the report is to analyze the information provided by Chinese government as well as by international organizations and news agencies.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

6. Myagkova Zoya, Kuzina Maria/ Мягкова Зоя, Кузина Мария

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Information technologies in the modern world: a socio-psychological analysis of their application/ Социально-психологический анализ использования информационных технологий в современном мире

The development of information technologies seems to have powerful psychological and social effects which are represented in everyday utterances. However, there are also much more serious consequences concerning, for example, human self-determination. Due to breakthrough discoveries and the development of information technologies, people gradually lose their privacy and become too accessible. It leads to the violation of psychological boundaries and human capabilities. The blurring of these boundaries leads to the fact that people tend to experience stress, anxiety, nervousness and irritation more often, for instance, even in the situation when they cannot answer a call. Thus, a person is tethered to their mobile devices, neglecting other matters and spending too much time on smartphones and other gadgets. It might lead to social media reliance and mental illnesses, to name a few.

Консультант по английскому языку: Шмараева Анастасия Александровна

Секция 6 10 ноября 2020 г., вторник 13.00-14.30 На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Бычкова Валерия, Шеремето Анастасия

1. Bedenkova Anastacia, Volkova Alexandra/ Беденкова Анастасия, Волкова Александра Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

An analysis of Hollywood actors' activities aimed at environmental protection/ Анализ деятельности актеров Голливуда по защите окружающей среды

Currently, the digitalization process is in full swing. Technological progress is unstoppable, it penetrates into all areas of life, changes the ways of communication and organization of work, forms of education and leisure. This trend opens up great opportunities for both a large number of citizens and government bodies in the field of governance. This topic is particularly relevant at this time, since the COVID-19 pandemic is forcing a lockdown, and most countries and municipalities are implementing digital government strategies, many of which involve innovative initiatives. But not all countries successfully cope with this task. Now we can say with confidence that many European countries are successfully developing and implementing new technologies in the field of management. Thus, the analysis of the experience of European countries in the field of digitalization is extremely important, since this process determines the trends in the development of society.

Консультанты по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна, Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

2. Geraskin Ilia/ Гераскин Илья

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Innovative information and communication technologies of US foreign policy influence: an analysis/ Анализ инновационных информационно-коммуникационных технологий внешнеполитического влияния США

The report is devoted to US information security issues in the context of information society and the intensive development of Internet-based political communication technologies. The paper considers the main features of the Internet as a global space of political communication and analyzes modern American information and communication online technologies used to impact on national political regimes, including political propaganda technologies and manipulation of public consciousness in the Internet space. The report explores the practice of using mechanisms and methods of external information aggression on the Internet aimed at transforming traditional national value-semantic spaces, and considers the latest events in the Arab world and Ukraine through the lens of applying political Internet communication technologies.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

3. Kartunova Angelina/ Картунова Ангелина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The phenomenon of English literary art as an essential prerequisite for the formation of Russian classical literature: a political and textual analysis/ Феномен английского литературного искусства как фундаментальная предпосылка формирования русской классической литературы: политико-текстологический анализ

Russian school education emphasizes the uniqueness of Russian literature and Russian thought. However, modern humanities research, namely in linguistics and socio-political textual studies, makes it possible to assume that Russian classical literature is closely related to English literature and has borrowed some of its features. The Golden age of Russian literature had a number of reasons and prerequisites. Russian literature developed not only by improving the ways of displaying social and

spiritual reality, or, as the latter is popularly called, the 'Russian soul', but also by incorporating many European cultural trends. English romanticism had a special influence which determined the form and genre diversity of Russian literature of the 18th - early 19th centuries. Russian literature, which was undergoing its development at the turn of the century, was influenced by the English genre and style. The purpose of this report is to analyze the development of English and Russian literature in the 16th-19th centuries, to identify the main intersection points between them and to reveal some aspects of the English influence on Russian literature by means of political and textual analysis.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

4. Konovich Jane, Gorobets Vladimir/ Конович Евгения, Горобец Владимир

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Nobel Peace Prize 2020: a political analysis of the nomination process and award results/ Нобелевская премия мира 2020: политический анализ процесса выдвижения кандидатов и результаты награждения

Nobel Peace Prize is the most important reward in the world. It has been awarded annually since 1901. Unfortunately, many international awards often become politicized. In 2020 several political leaders, such as Vladimir Putin, Donald Trump, Aleksey Navalny were nominated. The whole world was looking forward to the results of the award. In this research we overview and analyze the history of the Nobel Peace Prize, the nominees and the reason for their nomination, the winner and the results of the award.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

Секция 7 10 ноября 2020 г., вторник 14.45-16.15 На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Бычкова Валерия, Шеремето Анастасия

1. Balashova Ekaterina/ Балашова Екатерина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Environmental problems of the People's Republic of China and their impact on the world community/ Экологические проблемы Китайской народной республики и их влияние на мировое сообщество

At present, the People's Republic of China occupies one of the leading positions in the world's economy. However, the PRC has presumably had to pay a high price for such a rapid growth in industry, sacrificing its environmental well-being. Naturally, as opposed to the economy and public welfare, the ecological situation in China seems to be deteriorating year by year and can possibly inflict significant harm on the biosphere of the entire planet. This problem is undoubtedly within the scope of humanitarian issues of modern society. Therefore, the purpose of this report is to draw attention to the People's Republic of China's environmental problems and analyze their impact on the world community.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

2. Chernopyatova Sofya/ Чернопятова Софья

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Chernobyl in the style of a movie drama: the formation of the public opinion based on a media product/ «Чернобыль в стиле кинодрамы»: формирование общественного мнения на основе медиа продукта

The release of the series *Chernobyl*, created by HBO, revived long-forgotten memories in society, causing discussions about the evaluation of the project and the events that it covers. Despite the fact

that the series reflected the historical situation in quite a detailed way, paying attention to the authenticity of the era, the Russian media and audience on the whole took the project rather 'coldly', criticizing it for "denigrating" the authorities, calling it "Cranberry" and "untruth in a reliable entourage." The report considers the reasons for such negative ratings.

Консультанты по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна, Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

3. Kapsha Valeriya/Капша Валерия

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The question of gender equality in the educational system/ Вопрос гендерного равенства в системе образования

Today the issue of gender equality is one of the most acute and important global problems. Prejudices and stereotypes fill all spheres of public life, and women are exposed to discrimination in art, science, politics and the labour field. The educational system is not an exception. The present report considers common problems related to discrimination in educational sphere, as well as existing methods of addressing this issue.

Консультанты по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна, Криштоф Елена Михайловна

4. Khatkevich Alexandra/ Хаткевич Александра

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Theoretical foundations and practical aspects of Jawaharlal Nehru's foreign policymaking: the relevance in modern India/ Теоретические основания и практические аспекты внешнеполитической деятельности Джавахарлала Неру: актуальность в современной Инлии

The purpose of this research is to investigate theoretical foundations and practical consequences of Jawaharlal Nehru's foreign policymaking and their significance in the modern context. The relevance of the study is conditioned by growing importance of the Republic of India in modern international relations and world politics, and the increasing role of this country in international associations. Furthermore, the research touches upon the fundamental problem of the correlation between political theory and political practice.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

5. Erikhanov Zurab/ Ериханов Зураб

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

An analysis of Russian-Australian relations: socio-cultural aspects/ Анализ взаимоотношений России и Австралии: социокультурный аспект

Russia and Australia have a long-lasting history of relations. We still remember the support of Australia during the years of the war against fascism. Today Russia and Australia interact at the international level, primarily in the Asia-Pacific region. Moscow is interested in strengthening the dialogue with Canberra in order to ensure stability and steady growth. The research focuses on the culture, history, linguistic features of Australia, as well as Russian-Australian relations and the prospects for their development. This topic is relevant, since Russian-Australian relations are currently experiencing difficult times. In order to participate in cross-cultural dialogue, it is crucial to study sociocultural and linguistic characteristics. The aim of the research is to form a holistic view of Australia based on the most typical features of the country. The significance of the work lies in the fact that the provided information and examples help to expand ideas about the socio-cultural characteristics of Australia, which is essential for establishing an intercultural dialogue.

Консультант по английскому языку: Дзгоева Ольга Муратовна

6. Podnebesnaya Yulia/ Поднебесная Юлия, Dzhamaldiev Deni/ Джамалдиев Дени

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

A socio-political analysis of risk factors for suicide and its prevention methods/ Социополитический анализ причин самоубийств и меры их предотвращения

The topic of suicide is not new but still relevant. These days the problem exists in various countries and age groups, and suicide statistics is growing. In our research, we explore this global issue and provide an analysis of the causes for suicide in the present-day world, statistical data and prevention methods. In addition, we consider the phenomenon of self-harm and explore the ways of helping people within the vulnerable group.

Консультант по английскому языку: Дзгоева Ольга Муратовна

Секция 8 12 ноября 2020 г., четверг 9.00-10.30 На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Роговец Роман, Карасева Элина

1. Aleshina Ekaterina/ Алешина Екатерина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The lobbying institution in Russia: its legal regulation and development prospects/ Институт лоббизма в России: правовое регулирование и перспективы развития

The study of lobbyism has quite a long history in Russia, yet today this institution has no clear legislative basis in this country. Despite this, it seems to be actively used to achieve certain political goals. In this report, I aim to give a clear definition of the lobbyism institution as such, to trace its emergence over the course of Russian history, to outline attempts at its legislative consolidation and to define the prospects for its further development in this country. In order to examine these topics properly, I provide examples of lobbying models in other countries, such as the USA, where it is quite developed and popular. The topic of lobbying is highly relevant nowadays, since lobbying might be a useful instrument for solving many political and social problems, as well as facilitating greater accountability and transparency of public activities of politicians and executives, as well as other influential figures.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

2. Dolgushina Liubov/ Долгушина Любовь

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Social and political problems of women: a case study of Yemen from 2000 to 2020/ Социально-политические проблемы женщин в Йемене в период с 2000 по 2020 г.г.

The 20th century was marked as a period of fighting for women's rights throughout the world, resulting in women obtaining the fundamental political, social and economic rights. Nevertheless, there are still some countries where women's issues seem to be either ignored or resolved partially and nominally. Yemen is the country where women are reported to have low positions in society having almost no access to most of their economic, social and cultural rights. Moreover, despite being granted equal political and civil rights with men by the Constitutions since 1990, women still face challenges in exercising these rights. The reason for this lies in an addition to Article 41 of the 1994 Constitution. The article might have served as a foundation to a number of Yemen's discriminatory laws.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

3. Kornienko Alexandra/ Корниенко Александра

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The European migrant crisis: modern migration problems in Western Europe/ Европейский миграционный кризис: современные миграционные проблемы в Западной Европе

Population flow due to wars, economic turmoil and natural disasters has not started today and will not be over tomorrow – people are searching for safe living conditions and this process has been recently increasing in a number of regions of the world. This encourages governments and international organizations to look for answers to the serious challenges related to the necessity to accommodate refugees and integrate them into new places of residence. Along the way, it is essential to solve the problem of safety of migrants, which became especially evident during the rescue operation those in distress in the Mediterranean Sea. Reports on this subject, published by the United Nations and other organizations, clearly reveal that the problem of migrants and refugees is becoming more and more acute, and the solution, alas, has not been found yet.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

4. Kolychev Yan/ Колычев Ян

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The relevance of Plato in terms of teenagers' upbringing / Актуальность учения Платона в вопросе воспитания молодежи

The problem of adolescents' upbringing has always been topical and controversial. Hence many discussions of 'the right way of nurture' are still taking place. In some cases, Plato is the center of such discussions because on the one hand his theory of upbringing is slightly conservative, while on the other hand, it consists of many necessary ideas that can easily be accepted by the contemporary society. Thus, the aim of the present report is to demonstrate what role Plato and his theory play in the field of teenagers' nurture today: do people need it or can they do without it?

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

5. Kushnereva Sofya/ Кушнерева Софья, Rudycheva Maria/ Рудычева Мария

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Gender stereotypes in the political sphere of modern Russian society/ Гендерные стереотипы в политической сфере современного российского общества

Nowadays the gender problems are widely discussed in the modern society. The aim of the report is to reveal existing stereotypes based on gender in the political sphere of Russia. The authors of the report pay special attention to identifying the historical prerequisites for the formation of existing stereotypes. To conduct the research, the methods of sociological survey and content analysis were used. As the result, it can be concluded that in modern Russia, the gender order was formed by a long history of gender discrimination in Russia. Nowadays it is additionally supported by the state's policy, mass media and political parties.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

Секция 9 12 ноября 2020 г., четверг 10.45-12.30 На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Роговец Роман, Карасева Элина

1. Bondar Polina/ Бондарь Полина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The role of social networking sites in US presidential election campaigns of Barack Obama and Donald Trump/ Роль социальных сетей в президентских предвыборных кампаниях Барака Обамы и Дональда Трампа

Nowadays, social networks exert great influence on political processes, and it is most clearly manifested during election campaigns. The aim of this research is to study the mechanisms used by American politicians to impact on voters through social networks, and to identify the most effective ones. It should be noted that knowledge of these mechanisms can help experts forecast results of the

presidential elections in America, which are taking place in 2020. The research analyses the major types of Internet fundraising and political advertising most actively used by the campaign headquarters of B. Obama and D. Trump. It can be concluded that Internet communication has made a crucial contribution to both presidents' victories and has become an integral element in the technologies of modern electoral campaigns.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

2. Nekhlopochina Olesia/ Нехлопочина Олеся

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Gender discrimination among schoolchildren: a case study of Russia/ Проблема гендерной дискриминации среди российских школьников

These days, children may be subject to gender discrimination, which creates certain attitudes and values in them from a young age. In many schools, one can possibly witness some signs of discrimination on the part of teachers, as well as in textbooks that children use to learn. Despite the topic being extremely important, there seems to be quite little research on the issue. In my work, I address the problem of gender discrimination among schoolchildren in Russia and offer possible ways to solve it. The study contains a survey conducted among people of different age groups and social status. This report is aimed at increasing public awareness of this problem and can contribute to gender research.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

3. Rogovets Roman/ Роговец Роман

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The change of social moods and political views in the context of coronavirus and quarantine measures/ Изменения общественных настроений и политических взглядов в условиях коронавируса и карантинных мер

2020 has been unique in many ways. The global pandemic of COVID-19 has changed our lives. There is no doubt that these events have affected the social and political spheres of society. Coronavirus has forced people to take a fresh look at the authorities, outstanding politicians and the effectiveness of different political systems and programmes. Some Russians claim that they are disappointed with the government, while others have a different point of view. The report is set to investigate the reasons for the diversity of opinions.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

4. Sadjaya Luka/ Саджая Лука

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Legal situation in relation to HIV-positive people in the UK and Russia: a comparative analysis/ Сравнительный анализ правовой ситуации в отношении ВИЧ-позитивных людей в Великобритании и в России

During the spread of the coronavirus, public attention tends to be diverted away from other dangerous diseases, including the HIV pandemic that has been going on for several decades. HIV-positive population sometimes experience problems not only with their health but also with bureaucracy. In my report, I address this issue and compare legal restrictions in Russia and the UK to get a clear picture of the situation in this area and draw a conclusion about the effectiveness of such measures. This topic is important to discuss, since it directly affects more than 30 million people around the world.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

5. Tkachenko Anastasia/ Ткаченко Анастасия

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

A historical perspective on the split in Russian-Ukrainian relations in 2013-2014/ Исторический взгляд на раскол в русско-украинских отношениях 2013 - 2014 годов

The report explains the split in Russian-Ukranian relations in 2013-2014 from a historical perspective. It demonstrates a new viewpoint on the world-famous political event called Euromaidan. The main

purpose of the report is to find out historical reasons for Euromaidan protests and their impact on modern Russian-Ukranian relations. The author uses comparative methods. The report aims to correlate the history of Russian-Ukranian relations since the formation of the Old Russian State with political events in the mid-2010-s. It has been found that the split in Russian-Ukranian relations in 2013-2014 is conditioned by centuries-old contradictions in geopolitics. Summing up the results, it can be concluded that the deterioration between sister nations - Russia and Ukraine - is a predictable event. Despite this fact, this conflict dramatically affected both economic systems and social relations, that divided families into two camps and the author's family is no exception.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

Секция 10 13 ноября 2020 г., пятница 9.00-10.30 На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Гавриш Дарья, Колычев Ян

1. Fetisova Sofia/ Софья Фетисова

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Socio-cultural adaptation of migrants in Europe since 2015/ Социально-культурная адаптация мигрантов в Европе с 2015 года

The report is devoted to the investigation of socio-political reasons for the waves of migrants to the countries of the European Union under the policy of «Democracy promotion» to the Middle East and North Africa. As is known, the issue of overpopulation of the donor-countries is relevant and is the source of major challenges for other countries. The report attempts to explain most popular tactics in terms of social welfare support and governmental policies, chosen by the countries for accepting migrants. Basing on the process of the adaptation practice within the last 5 years, the author seeks to analyse several attempts of migrants to fit into the new socio-cultural environment.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

2. Gavrish Daria / Гавриш Дарья, Karaseva Elina / Карасева Элина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Dynamics of migration policy in Germany since the European migrant crisis 2015/ Динамика развития миграционной политики в Германии начиная с Европейского миграционного кризиса 2015 года

Since the well-known European crisis of 2015 that followed the massive migrant flow into the EU countries, Germany, being a European country with the highest rate of immigrants settled, has been taking decisive action in terms of legislative regulation in order to perform controlling measures aimed at increasing the number of immigrants. Thus, the issue of efficient and beneficial migration policy has been constantly under consideration since 2015. Due to the urgency and relevance of the stated problem, German government has been obliged to alter and modify the current migration policy in order to adapt to the present situation. How has the legislation relative to immigrants developed over the period of 5 years, i.e. up until nowadays? Which tendencies in its execution may allow to predict the governmental measures yet to be taken in this regard? These issues are to be thoroughly examined in course of this research.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

3. Isaeva Karina/ Исаева Карина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Memory policy as a socio-political tool to confront the "rewriting" of World War II history/ Политика памяти как социо-политический инструмент противостояния «переписыванию» истории Второй Мировой войны

At present there exists an immense number of misunderstandings between countries-participants of the deadliest conflict in human history on the point of the implications and results of World War II. While European Parliament adopted the resolution of 19 September 2019 on the importance of European remembrance for the future of Europe and the statue of Soviet General Konev in Prague was dismantled, Russian authorities are trying to preserve the achievements of their ancestors through patriotic actions and the memory policy. This report raises the most crucial differences in how countries perceived World War II history, its outcome and gives an idea of what the "memorial war" means. Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

4. Mikhalev Fedor/ Михалев Федор, Resnitskiy Peter/ Ресницкий Петр

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Dreams for the world, 'Made in China': 'One Belt, One Road' in the context of the interaction of global civilisations/ «Китайская мечта» для остального мира: «Один пояс, один путь» в контексте взаимодействий глобальных цивилизаций

One of the most important international infrastructure projects of our time is the 'One Belt, One Road' strategy, proposed by Chinese President Xi Jinping in 2013Although its real extent and targets are still unclear, we can see, that in 2016 it become a plan for promoting China's development model. 'One belt one Road' strategy is worth careful investigation, because of its importance for the entire world and for Chinese economy. This paper analyses the meaning of 'One belt one Road' strategy and also discusses reasons for its launch. Besides, it shows how strong and how important is it for the whole Eurasian continent.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

5. Skorikova Elizaveta/ Скорикова Елизавета

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The phenomenon of ableism in modern society: a political and sociological analysis/ Феномен эйблизма в современном обществе: политико-социологический анализ

Are there many people in the world who consider their behavior related to people with disabilities? Nowadays, there is a certain lack of public awareness of ableism and the problem of discrimination of disabled people. This research reveals some aspects of the ableism concept, provides non-obvious examples of infringements of disabled people's rights, outlines legal ways to resolve this issue developed by different countries, and analyzes the results of a sociological survey conducted by the author. The main goal of this report is to raise public awareness of the issue and highlight the necessity of changing some stereotyped attitudes towards the disability concept and disabled people.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

Секция 11 13 ноября 2020 г., пятница 9.00-10.30 На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Баранова Алина, Будагарина Людмила

1. Chikalov Dmitriy/ Чикалов Дмитрий

Faculty of Political/ Факультет политологии

M. Weber's legitimate power and the modern understanding of legitimacy: a comparative analysis/ Легитимация власти М. Вебера и современное понимание легитимации: сравнительный анализ

In order to understand the contemporary problem of legitimate authority, it is essential to examine its foundations. In this context, it seems relevant to consider Weber's ideas as one of the founders touching upon this problem. Since we are now witnessing dramatic changes in the world, the problem of the

legitimacy of power has acquired particular significance nowadays. Many of these changes are directly related to the legitimacy of government. Therefore, the study of the legitimacy of power is one of the most critical issues of our time to ensure a stable and prosperous future for the world community. Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

2. Nikolaeva Anastasia/ Николаева Анастасия

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The impact of English on international communication: reasons and effects/ Влияние английского языка на международное общение: анализ причин и последствия

The research is aimed to analyze historical, cultural, economic and some other prerequisites for the English language to have become a means of successful communication for people worldwide. The study touches upon the reasons why English has become international. People are used to thinking that this process began only in the 20th century which is not the case. In addition, the study is devoted to the analysis of English as a language of technology, science, education and communication.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

3. Starovoytov Pavel/ Старовойтов Павел

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

British aristocracy in the 21st century: a historical analysis/ Британская аристократия в 21 веке: исторический анализ

The British aristocracy has always played a leading role in the political life of the United Kingdom. The nobility had existed in England even before the Norman invasion in 1066, so this institution has been deeply rooted in the history of the country. Despite this fact, today the British aristocracy is perceived by many people as a relic. The national traditions die hard in any country. And to no other nation does that apply to a greater degree than to the English whose nature seems to have a sort of patent for constancy. The report aims to confirm this idea by analyzing the data from political and public life of contemporary Britain.

Консультант по английскому языку: Мурза Александра Борисовна

4. Tashkenova Diana, Peresypkina Olesya / Ташкенова Диана, Пересыпкина Олеся Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The current situation with the Kurdish language in the world: a socio-political analysis/ Современное состояние курдского языка в мире: социо-политический анализ

The report deals with the current situation with Kurdish, the language of one of the biggest nations in the world. The language is still a means of national identity formation for the Kurds who have tried hard to protect their mother tongue from death for the last 100 years. Although Kurdish is still banned in Turkey, it seems to be developing in Iran and is recognized as an official language in the Kurdish regions in Iraq and Syria. The research looks at the problem from different perspectives. Moreover, the analysis is not entirely devoted to one country but to four other states where Kurdish is spoken.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

Секция 12 13 ноября 2020 г., пятница 10.45-12.15 На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Баранова Алина, Будагарина Людмила

1. Volkova Katerina, Egorova Maria/ Волкова Катерина, Егорова Мария

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

New Zealand's Green Party and its role in protecting local environment/ «Зеленая партия» Новой Зеландии и ее роль в сохранении окружающей среды

It would not be too much of an exaggeration to say that every country encounters ecological problems nowadays. New Zealand is not an exception. With much of its economy being based on agriculture, New Zealand has to cope with the toll farming takes on its natural environment. Both Maori and British settlers were responsible for large tracts of land being deforested or drained of water. Three years ago the Green party of New Zealand joined parliament. Since then it has been focusing on reducing climate emissions, tackling inequality and protecting nature. Therefore, the main aim of this report is to get the audience acquainted with the situation and present the main achievements of this party.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

2. Efimkin Kirill/ Ефимкин Кирилл

Faculty of Political science/ Факультет политологии

Polarization and cognitive bubbles in contemporary digital society: a case study of Russia/ Поляризация и когнитивные пузыри в современном цифровом обществе (на примере России)

It was May 2019 when Bill Gates and Jarred Diamond in their short clip presenting the *Upheaval* book announced polarization caused by the social media as a huge humanitarian challenge of near-catastrophic scale. The two visioners described the formation of cognitive bubbles caused by the current state of communication. Confined in these bubbles, groups of people stop entirely to recognize the meanings which were the common sense not so long ago. The recent collision of N. Mikhalkov and G. Gref regarding SPIEF 2012 is also analyzed in this report in terms of cognitive bubbles. It is noticeable that throughout the centuries Russia has been demonstrating the accelerated adoption of foreign ideas and technologies, from church reforms in the XVII century to Mir Card in the XXI century. This phenomenon requires close attention of political scientists to avoid unpredictable disintegration of society.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

3. Ignatenko Kirill, Ryabokon Anton/ Игнатенко Кирилл, Рябоконь Антон

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Disastrous bushfires in Australia and their influence on the economic situation in the country/ Опустошительные пожары в Австралии и их влияние на экономику страны

Admittedly, the beginning of 2020 didn't seem to be a calm period. Except for all political conflicts and virus outbreaks, there is another important and tragic problem - bushfires in Australia. This ecological disaster, caused by rising level of temperature all over the world, has done enormous damage to flora and fauna of the smallest continent on earth. This catastrophe has made governments of many countries take urgent measures and unite against natural powers. However, many endangered species came closer to total extinction. The report provides a detailed account of economic losses suffered by the country.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

4. Matsnev Kirill/ Мацнев Кирилл

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Conflicts in the Middle East and their impact on world politics/ Конфликты на Ближнем Востоке и их влияние на мировую политику

Since the US military invasion of Iraq (2003) the Middle East has been a hotbed of local wars and conflicts. To make it worse, there has been the problem of identifying different groups waging wars in various territories. The report deals with a brief analysis of these conflicts, as well as an important aspect of the inexplicable numerous expenditures of UN countries on these conflicts, regardless of internal and international economic crises.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

Секция 13 14 ноября 2020 г., суббота

10.45-12.30 На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Закутнева Анна, Юргенс Мария

1. Bakina Marina, Zaika Sofia/ Бакина Марина, Заика Софья

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Political urbanization: the present state and future development/ Политическая урбанистика: настоящее и будущее

The maintenance of existing urban life is responsible for approximately 80% of the world's greenhouse gas emissions and producing the most waste worldwide. Environmental priorities tend to conflict with economic ones. Can environmental problems be dealt with within the existing socio-economic system? Rather than seeking to reconcile the principle of ecology with central features of capitalist modernity this approach views capitalist modernity, and its values, structures and institutions, as the root cause of environmental degradation. The advance of ecological principles therefore requires a process of radical social change.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

2. Bozoyan Tamara/ Бозоян Тамара

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The role of ASEAN in solving security issues in the Mekong subregion/ Роль АСЕАН в решении вопросов безопасности в субрегионе Меконг

The report examines water problems in Southeast Asia, in particular among the ASEAN member states, whose states belong to the Mekong subregion. Water security is becoming increasingly important for regional security in the continental Southeast Asia. However, mismanagement of water resources in the Mekong river basin is a source of tension and conflict between riparian countries. In this regard, the report presents an analysis of ASEAN's position, as well as the role of the organization in addressing this transnational security challenge. Based on the study, the following methods of managing water resources in the Mekong river basin were identified and justified: linking security issues (the relationship between water, food and energy security), establishing communication between stakeholders, and developing institutional interaction within ASEAN.

Консультант по английскому языку: Шмараева Анастасия Александровна

3. Dibrov Egor/ Дибров Егор

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The UN's role in solving human rights issues in the context of the armed conflict in Ukraine: a case study of the Donbas region/ Роль ООН в решении проблем соблюдения прав человека в условиях военно-политического конфликта на Украине (в Донбассе)

The report examines human rights violations in the context of the armed conflict in the southeast of Ukraine (in the Donbas region) from 2014 to 2020. In addition, it analyses the role of the UN in the resolution of this armed conflict. The article focuses on basic documents of international law aimed at regulating fundamental human rights and freedoms, such as the UN Charter, the Geneva conventions and additional protocols, the international Covenant on economic, social and cultural rights. Both systematic violations of international law and breaches of the Ukrainian legislation by representatives of the Ukrainian authorities from 2014 to 2020 were identified in the report. The illegal acts of violence were carried out against civilians, citizens of Ukraine and non-combatants during the conduct of hostilities in the Donbass region according to the analysis of the report of the Office of the United Nations high Commissioner for human rights.

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(проект: «Трансформация информационного пространства зоны военно-политического конфликта на Юго-Востоке Украины 20-311-90087»)

Консультант по английскому языку: Шмараева Анастасия Александровна

4. Fomina Kristina/ Фомина Кристина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The role of the Communist party of the Russian Federation and the Communist party of Canada in promoting social issues in society: а comparative analysis/ Роль Коммунистической партии Российской Федерации и Коммунистической партии Канады в решении социальных проблем страны: сравнительный анализ

Communism used to be one of the most powerful political and intellectual movements. Nowadays, Communist parties do not enjoy as much influence as they did before, however, they still take an active part in politics. The report is devoted to the analysis of the main characteristics of modern Communist political parties in Russia and Canada. The author uses a comparative method to distinguish similarities and differences. The analysis is based on the following criteria: institutionalization, structure, party platform, strategy and tactics, the degree of participation in national politics, the base of support, and election statistics. The main emphasis is placed on promoting social problems in both countries.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

5. Konovalova Victoria, Usikova Ekaterina/ Коновалова Виктория, Усикова Екатерина Faculty of political science/ Факультет политологии

The role of the Forest Stewardship Council in global environment governance: a comparative analysis/ Роль Совета по управлению лесными ресурсами в глобальном обеспечении охраны окружающей среды: сравнительный анализ

Founded in 1993 in Toronto, the Forest Stewardship Council has done much to promote responsible management of the world's forests. Not only does the FSC do this by setting standards on forest products, but also certifies and labels them as eco-friendly. This approach has yielded new results and solved some persistent problems. It is FSC members that represent a wide variety of groups and organizations around the world including foresters, forest owners, environmental organizations, trade unions, the wood processing industry, human rights societies. The report also examines some problems the Council faces.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

6. Kuznetsova Anastasya/ Кузнецова Анастасия

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Urban biopolitics and biodiversity: checks and balances of the city environment/ Городская биополитика и биоразнообразие: система сдержек и противовесов в городской природной среде

From a scientific point of view, modern cities present themselves as combinations of different dimensions: they consist of natural environment, artificial architectural environment, biocenoses of wild living creatures, ecocenoses of domesticated pets, as well as social networks of people and their interactions. The thread that connects all the mentioned components together with an aim of ordering the chaotic flow of life at the urban scale is politics and political decision-making process in particular. The approach to political activity directed at controlling and moderating vital processes in a certain territory is called biopolitics. This approach is of the primary importance as wrong decisions made on vital problems may lead to disastrous consequences. This research studies official laws and analyzes British and American scientific sources in order to identify political instruments that can be used to preserve the existing complex balance in the urban ecosystem.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

7. Maydan Valentina/ Майдан Валентина

Faculty of political science/ Факультет политологии

Interactions between the state and civil society institutions in the social media: features of political technologies/ Особенности политических технологий взаимодействия государства и институтов гражданского общества в социальных медиа

In recent years there has been made some progress in understanding an indirect and direct impact of the media on the development of government institutions around the world in general and in Russia in particular. The role of social media in contemporary political processes can hardly be overestimated. Every year social media is increasingly being introduced into the political sphere. The media allows citizens to establish contact with government officials, and politicians have more opportunities to be closer to their constituents. By providing a few examples about the work of social media in Russia the report sets out to understand how social networks are developing and how their progress affects the political situation.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

8. Yurgens Maria, Matyukhina Elena/ Юргенс Мария, Матюхина Елена

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Microchipping as a 21st-century problem: an analysis of people's psychological readiness for subdermal implantation/ Микрочиппинг как проблема 21-го века: анализ психологической готовности людей к подкожной имплантации

Microchipping has generated much controversy recently, with questions being raised about both its psychological implication and its practical significance. There are both potential problems and benefits associated with human microchipping. One problem is that a person's privacy could be severely infringed upon. This could happen because a person's movements could be tracked both physically and financially. Personal data about an individual could be sold or hacked into. A third potential problem may arise about who would have an access to the information, and who would store the information.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

9. Zakutneva Anna/Закутнева Анна

Faculty of Political Science/Факультет политологии

The Republican Party of the United States of America as a brand: an analysis/ Республиканская партия США как бренд: анализ

In the modern world our whole life is surrounded by certain brands and the political sphere is not an exception. A political brand is a unique set of symbols, meanings and images which is fixed in mass consciousness with a view of identifying political subjects and political phenomena. Of special interest is the study of political brands and parties as legally organized structures that, however, have developed their own symbols. The report aims to consider the Republican Party of the United States of America (also referred to as the Grand Old Party) as a political brand reflecting particular features that allow the Republican Party to remain one of the two leading political parties in the United States of America in the 21^{st} century.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

Философский факультет МГУ имени М.В. Ломоносова

Секция № 1 09 ноября 2020г., понедельник 09.00-10.30 На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Ларин Семен

1. Voevodina Mariya/ Воеводина Мария

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Reflections on conflict and war in A. Tumanyan's poem A drop of honey and its significance nowadays in light of the conflict in Nagorny-Karabakh/Размышления о природе конфликта и войны в поэме А. Туманяна «Капля мёда» и их актуальность в свете конфликта в Нагорном Карабахе

The problem of war and peace has become so deeply embedded in our everyday life that we have stopped noticing the influence it has had on the psychology of society and individual social groups. A. Tumanyan, a classical Armenian poet, describes a trifle accident that escalated into a senseless war between two villages and later between two areas. He vividly shows the purposelessness and meaningless of these events. The significance of the poem is all the more important now that we see a war going on between Armenia and Azerbaijan.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

2. Varaxina Varvara/ Вараксина Варвара

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Soviet posters as an important element of cultural heritage: a historical analysis/ Советские плакаты как важный элемент культурного наследия: исторический анализ

Soviet posters are a very important part of history, culture and propaganda in the Soviet Union, which influenced the life of Soviet people and society. Posters were everywhere as we see advertising nowadays. It is their particular style and colours that influenced the perception of the message they conveyed. Posters had been educating and bringing up people since childhood for all their lives. It will not be too much of an exaggeration to say that posters constituted a separate layer of our culture. Evidence of the Soviet era should be preserved to remind us of the power of the human spirit, the military heroism and labour of our predecessors.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

3. Garagulya Sofiya/ Гарагуля София

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

American and African traditions in Jean-Michel Basquiat's creative work/ Американские и африканские традиции в творчестве Жан-Мишеля Баскиата

The report gives an analysis of creative work Jean-Michel Basquiat, a legendary artist of the second half of the 20th century. He decided to become an artist at the age of three, at the age of twelve he created his first picture and at twenty he sold his first painting. His art combines many iconic features of American culture: jazz, comics, religion, rap, street painting) with African national features. American culture influenced the shaping of his creative work. It is this blend of two cultural traditions that accounts for his success.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

4. Zaeva Anastasiya/ Заева Анастасия

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Preserving historical heritage in Russia: achievements and problems/ Сохранение исторического наследия в России: достижения и проблемы

The problem of preserving historical heritage nowadays is more relevant than ever. There are many «black diggers» who do not have any professional training and destroy historical and archaeological sites. Unfortunately, many people in Russia do not know how ancestors lived, do not remember their traditions. Young people focus on the USA and Europe and forget about their own culture uniqueness. That is why ancient Russian craft and songs, for example, are in danger. This report highlights the activities of archaeological expedition "The Search" and tries to open the veil of the past, consider the life of Slavic ancestors.

Консультант по английскому языку: Литвинова Евгения Николаевна

5. Klychnikova Anastasiya/ Клычникова Анастасия

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Socrates and the beginnings of moral philosophy: a historical analysis/ Сократ и начала моральной философии: исторический анализ

Many of early Greek philosophers dealt with issues relating to the meaning and nature of the universe trying to understand what lies beyond the physical world of sense experience. The most radical departure from this approach to philosophy came with Socrates' rejection of any possibility to come to know the real world around us. Instead of trying to penetrate into the essence of things Socrates puts forward his famous idea –Know thyself. He develops a moral philosophy which is concerned with such concepts as courage, piety, temperance and, most importantly, with justice and the good. The report analyzes some of these moral concepts.

Консультант по английскому языку: Егорова Елена Геннадьевна

6. Kishieva Diana/ Кишиева Диана

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

A person's moral choice and responsibility for it in *The Master and Margarita* by M. Bulgakov/ Моральный выбор человека и его ответственность за него в романе М. Булгакова «Мастер и Маргарита»

Sooner or later everyone faces the necessity to make a choice. A person is responsible for the choice he has made. This is freedom—to choose and to take responsibility for it. Every choice has its consequences, even the most unimportant one. Moral choices define our lives. What are the consequences of the wrong moral choice? How can we understand what is right and what is wrong? How the choice affects a person, his/her soul? These are the questions Bulgakov deals with in *The Master and Margarita*, letting his characters make a choice and showing its consequences.

Консультант по английскому языку: Егорова Елена Геннадьевна

Секция № 2 09 ноября2020г., понедельник 10.45-12.15 На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Мельник Алёна

1. Grigoryeva Ekaterina/ Григорьева Екатерина

Faculty of philosophy / Философский факультет

The fearless speech: the concept of parrhesia in ancient Greek philosophy/ «Речь и истина»: понятие парресия в древнегреческой философии

"The expression "fearless speech" is a rough translation of the Greek parrhesia, which designates those who take a risk to tell the truth; the citizen who has the moral qualities required to speak the truth, even if it differs from what the majority of people believe and faces danger for speaking it" – with these

words Joseph Pearson describes the cycle of lectures of Michel Foucault, which were devoted to the concept of parrhesia. Literally, parrhesia is translated as "speaking" or simply "speech". But in different sources it takes on completely different meanings and describes different practices. Initially appearing as a political right of the Athenian citizen, in Plato's dialogues parrhesia becomes one of the main features of philosophical speech, and then in Cynics it becomes a central part of the doctrine.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

2. Grachev Ruslan/Грачев Руслан

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Internal political struggle in England before the Second World War/ Внутриполитическая борьба в Англии перед Второй мировой войной

This research is devoted to topical issues of political history, theory and political practice of England before the Second world war. Based on a systematic analysis of the material, general conclusions are drawn about the results of various public organizations in Great Britain and their impact on the political situation in the pre-war years. The prerequisites for a more detailed study of the problem in the future have been formed. The experience of the rise and fall of various ideologies in England has been a valuable material for the political science of the Anglo-Saxon world, and has had a significant impact on the development of modern political and social doctrines.

Консультант по английскому языку: Бережных Елена Юрьевна

3. Zolotykh Yekaterina, Murashova Julia/Золотых Екатерина, Мурашова Юлия

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

The Burning Man festival as an example of contemporary art and self-expression/ Фестиваль «Burning man» как образец современного искусства и самовыражения

Burning Man is an event held annually in the western part of the United States at Black Rock City, a temporary city erected in the Black Rock Desert of northwest Nevada. Every year, thousands of people from all over the planet come together to build the Black Rock City — a seasonal community that embodies human collaboration, self-expression, creativity, and art. The name "Burning Man" comes from the symbolic ritual - burning of a large wooden sculpture ("the Man") that usually takes place on Saturday evening of the event. More than 70,000 people went to «Burning Man» in 2018. While «Burning Man» festival does not have a single focus, its movement is loosely defined by 10 principles that are meant to protect its culture and values. In our report, we analyze these ten principles and talk about the impact of the festival on culture and people.

Консультант по английскому языку: Мурза Александра Борисовна

4. Kazyulin Vadim/ Казюлин Вадим

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Little-known obsolete letters of English alphabet and their fate/ Малоизвестные устаревшие буквы английского алфавита и их судьба

The English language is one of the most ubiquitous and common languages of the modern world, but we must not forget that it took a long time for it to develop into its modern form. Modern English was created over more than a thousand years of evolution from Old English and during that time its alphabet changed, letters changed and disappeared, forgotten by modern speakers. In this presentation, I show some of them and explain their history.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

5. Korolkov Nikita/ Корольков Никита

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Brexit in modern Britain: a socio-political analysis/ Брексит и современная Великобритания: социально-философский анализ

Since Great Britain decided to leave the European Union there has been intense debate about economic and social implications for British people. The report concerns the initial formation of the Brexit

phenomenon. A comparative analysis is believed to show a very difficult situation ordinary people found themselves in. This political movement has divided Britain and become one of the most important events for Britain since World War II.

Консультант по английскому языку: Литвинова Евгения Николаевна

Секция №3 09 ноября 2020 г., понедельник 10.45-12.15 На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Рамонова Александра

1. Konstantinov Alexander/ Константинов Александр

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Words of estimative probability and their influence on conveying a message: a comparative analysis/ Анализ слов оценочной вероятности и их влияния на передачу сообщения

This report focuses on 'words of estimative probability', which might lead to serious misunderstandings in interpersonal communications. Their importance can't be overestimated since they are engaged in describing predictions. Business forecasts and long-term planning are the areas of their potential application. A possible solution to the problem is to create tables containing the translation of words of estimative probability into numerical values. This allows us to convey information about the probability from one analyst to another more clearly. However, it is not so easy to determine the final values because the same word (for example, 'possibly', 'certainly', 'probably', etc.) is interpreted differently by different subjects. Thus, borders are not clear, and each subject does not mean a specific value (0.53), but a range of approximate values.

Some other research on this topic is also covered in this report.

Консультант по английскому языку: Шмараева Анастасия Александровна

2. Muminova Parvina/ Муминова Парвина

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Difficulties of translating Anna Akhmatova's poem "Lot's wife" into English/ Трудности перевода стихотворения «Лотова жена» Анны Ахматовой на английский язык

One of the most celebrated figures in American poetry, Robert Frost once remarked – "Poetry is what gets lost in translation". He was right. Russian poetry has not been lucky with its translations into English. Successful translations are rare. It also applies to translations of Anna Akhmatova's poetry into English. Anna Akhmatova is regarded as one of Russia's greatest poets. Her poem "Lot's wife" is presented in this report. I carry out an analysis of the translation made by Stanley Kunitz (American Pulitzer Prize-winning poet) with Max Hayward (a British lecturer and translator of Russian literature). I analyze the translations of these authors because they are most popular abroad.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

3. Mikhailova Polina/ Михайлова Полина

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Contemporary African poetry: a comparative analysis/ Современная африканская поэзия: сравнительный анализ

The word "poetry" immediately conjures up the names of Pushkin, Tsvetaeva, Brodsky. Unfortunately, we do not know much, to say the least, about African poetry. The report aims to bridge this gap by introducing contemporary poets, who continue to develop classical traditions of European poets. The moral and psychological issues they touch upon are strong enough to thrill cotemporary readers. Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

4. Nastasenko Ivan/ Настасенко Иван

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Modern knights, the past and the present: a historical analysis / Современные рыцари – прошлое и настоящее: исторический анализ

The talk is devoted to the people who took knighthood in the XX and XXI centuries. I identify the reasons why they received this status and what it gave them. Therefore, my report attempts to discover some new peculiarities of this ancient notion in the new times.

Консультант по английскому языку: Мурза Александра Борисовна

5. Savelov Arseny/ Савелов Арсений

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

The peculiarities of the British parliamentary system: the question of separate legislatures for Scotland and Wales/ Особенности британского парламентаризма: вопрос относительно отдельных законодательных органов для Шотландии и Уэльса

The topic of this report is British parliamentary system. The British Parliament is one of the oldest legislative bodies in the world. It is a unique institution in which tradition is combined with modern democratic trends. That is why British Parliament is the embodiment of the British spirit that has led this country to many achievements.

Консультант по английскому языку: Литвинова Евгения Николаевна

6. Sarbucheva Ksenia/ Сарбучева Ксения

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Sociocultural challenges of translating the concept *privacy* into Russian/ Культурологические трудности перевода понятия *privacy* на русский язык

The privacy—contrary to its image as an outdated, anti-progressive, and hence inessential ideal—is an essential precondition for people to be self-determining. There is a hypothesis that competing imperatives like national security, efficiency, and entrepreneurship have been permitted to override privacy because it is perceived as an optional benefit to the inherent self-determining capacity of liberal agents. By contrast, I argue that the self is socially constructed, and that privacy is therefore an essential personal shield against the perverse influence tactics of commercial and government actors. The report touches upon the problem of untranslatability of this concept into Russian due to cultural difficulties. Консультант по английскому языку: Бережных Елена Юрьевна

Секция № 4 09 ноября 2020 г., понедельник 12.30-14.00 На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Гарцева Полина

1. Apalkov Alexander/ Апальков Александр

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Society – religion – education: the American model/ Общество – религия – образование: американская модель

The history of education (including higher education) in the USA had Christian origins and was closely connected with religion. For instance, Harvard, the first American university, was founded by Puritan Calvinists in 1636 to prepare clergy for Puritan ministry. Then most of them moved towards secularization. The starting point of this process was the famous phrase of Thomas Jefferson (1802) about "separation of church and state". A new wave of Catholic and Jewish immigrants changed the situation greatly. "It led to the development of the Catholic school system" (Doctor Lorrain Ozar). So-called "Blaine amendments" (1875) were passed in several states after the Civil War to ban religious

school from getting public funding. Although, a great growth in the number of Muslim population in the USA has led to the need for more Islamic schools respectively. The possible decision in this situation is to develop tolerant public schools.

Консультант по английскому языку: Шмараева Анастасия Александровна

2. Argun Laura/ Аргун Лаура

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

The science of behavioralism in the works by Charles Merriam/ Бихевиоралистская наука в работах Чарльза Мерриама

Charles Merriam (1874-1953) was one of the first to develop a behavioral method in political science. The scientist proposed to rid political science of metaphysics and use only rational methods to achieve accurate results. The true merit of Merriam and the Chicago School is the introduction of quantitative research methods into political activities. Quantitative methods introduced by C. Merriam and his followers included social surveys, population censuses, questionnaires and compilation of statistical data. Thanks to these methods, it became possible to test hypotheses about the behavior of an individual in politics.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

3. Dyagileva Mariya/ Дягилева Мария

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Pitirim Sorokin's ideas about Russia and the United States: causes of conflict and conditions of reconciliation/ Питирим Сорокин о России и Америке: причины конфликта и условия примирения

In the middle of the last century sociologist and philosopher P. Sorkin wrote his famous and fundamental work about Russia and the United States. He wanted to reveal common and different features between these two countries. He believed he found something that could combine American's pragmatism and mysterious Russian soul and it would lead humanity to a bright and harmonious coexistence.

Консультант по английскому языку: Литвинова Евгения Николаевна

4. Ivanova Tatiana/ Иванова Татьяна

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

The phenomenon of androgyne in Medieval philosophy/ Феномен андрогина в философии Средневековья

This report is dedicated to the problem of the development of Plato's idea of the androgyne in Medieval phylosophy. The changes in this concept are connected with the synthesis of the myth of Plato and the biblical history of the Fall of man. There was an external reason for the split of androgyne in Plato's myth. In medieval philosophy the process of separating is associated with the falling away of the soul, which illuminates the internal cause. The way of rebuilding unity becomes a measure of a person's responsibility for his Salutis, because the reason for the split is in human, in his Fall, although it also reflects a disposition of Providence. The Platonic understanding of the androgyne is characterized by indivisibility, while medieval philosophy understood it as a dynamic unity in which opposites complement each other gaining a completeness in the wholeness.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

5. Starikova Anastasiya/ Старикова Анастасия

Faculty of Philosophy/Философский факультет

Popularizing scientific communication in Russia: current issues/ Проблема популяризации научной коммуникации в России

The scientific communication industry in Russia has shown explosive growth – against the background of Russian science reorganization. More and more stakeholders are interested in emphasizing the special role of research and innovation in economic, social and cultural life of the country. Universities,

research institutes, foundations, museums of science, media industry and many other organizations have recently become increasingly involved in the processes of broadcasting and sharing scientific information with public groups. During the period of quarantine and isolation in 2020, scientists have become the real bloggers and opinion leaders. This report aims to assess quantitative and qualitative characteristics of what is happening in Russia nowadays according the evolution of scientific communication industry.

Консультант по английскому языку: Литвинова Евгения Николаевна

6. Chepeleva Natalya/ Чепелева Наталья

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Pessimism in non-classical continental philosophy/ Пессимизм в неклассической континентальной философии

My fundamental point focuses on the idea that modern continental philosophy is based on pessimism. I am singling out the pessimistic tendency in the philosophizing of the 19th century, which had a direct impact on modern continental philosophy. The pessimistic way of philosophizing was typical for such areas as the philosophy of life and existentialism. These trends stated the collapse of classical philosophy. Instead of the main foundation of classical philosophy - rationalism - they postulated irrationalism. New philosophy was closely related to intuition, revelation, and faith. The new line of thought was characterized by reasoning about fear and horror, the joylessness and the meaninglessness of existence.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

Секция № 5 10 ноября 2020 г., вторник 12.30-14.00 На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Логуш Екатерина

1. Avramenko Kira/ Авраменко Кира

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

The effect of color on human perception in advertising/ Влияние цвета на восприятие в рекламе

This research is devoted to the effect of different colors on human perception and human minds. Today everybody looks at advertising banners, texts, TV ads, brochures, booklets that try to promote some ideas using various types of light. According to the systematic analysis of the material, at first people perceive the general background, not the information on it. The prerequisites for a more detailed study of the problem in the future have been formed. The question arises: in what way PR-managers use this feature of our brains? How different types of color ads influence our memory? This investigation will help to develop methods of psychological influence in advertising.

Консультант по английскому языку: Бережных Елена Юрьевна

2. Baranova Vera/Баранова Вера

Faculty of Philosophy / Философский факультет

Virtual reality development trends/ Тенденции развития виртуальной реальности

This talk focuses on topical trends in the development of virtual reality. The report raises the problem of virtual reality for further development considering both positive and negative issues. The concept of VR has generated enormous controversy. The analysis is carried out from medical, psychological and technological points of view, which will help those who are still building their understanding of this highly controversial issue. The report distinguishes between the theoretical characterization of VR and its practical role in our lives.

Консультант по английскому языку: Егорова Елена Геннадьевна

3. Buchatskaya Alina/ Бучацкая Алина

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Product placement in modern cinematography/ Скрытая реклама в современном кинематографе

The report deals with the issue of using one of marketing tools known as Product Placement. The Product placement is a very new and thus a high-risk advertising method which raises disputes among advertisers. A few examples of this method show both advantages and problems that may arise. As for our country this method has not taken root but the idea is gaining ground.

Консультант по английскому языку: Бережных Елена Юрьевна

4. Gorokhova Victoriva/ Горохова Виктория

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Child hunger in the world: a socio-political analysis/ Детский голод в мире: социо-политический анализ

The report deals with one of the most severe problems the humanity faces today as there are 821 million hungry people today. What makes it even worse is the fact that one in seven children does not have enough food to live an active and healthy life. There are both scientific research and practical projects from global organisations which suggest finding new ways to solve it. However, the question remains: what can an ordinary person do? In the report we investigate an application "Share meal" in which each of us can donate 60 roubles for food to a starving child. This app was released in 2015 by the UN. For an average person, 60 roubles is less than a cup of coffee, and for a starving child, food for the whole day. After conducting a small survey of 20 people, I found that 17 of them had never thought about the scale of hunger in the world. Therefore, by talking about this topic, more and more people will learn about the problem and help solve it.

Консультант по английскому языку: Моргун Наталья Леонидовна

5. Domnina Darya/ Домнина Дарья

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Misophonia in interpersonal relations: the results of an experiment/ Мизофония в межличностных отношениях: результаты эксперимента

The problem at the focus of the research is misophonia. Although this phenomenon does not occur very often, it is not as rare as seems to be. The importance is highlighted by the fact that we all can be influenced by it. My research question is whether misophonia is an ordinary occasion or it should be considered as something falling out from normal. In the present study, I investigate the mechanism of this phenomenon and its frequency in ordinary people. Probably, there are types of people who are more predisposed to it. For these purposes, I interviewed different people of all ages and overviewed scientific research on this topic. Presumably, the phenomenon of misophonia has its own symptoms, reasons and is far more spread than we think, since it can be a normal part of a person's perception of the world.

Консультант по английскому языку: Моргун Наталья Леонидовна

6. Кітупауд /Кимёньяг

Faculty of Philosophy/Философский факультет

The effect of music on human psychology in modern society/ Влияние музыки на психологию человека в современном обществе

Music plays an important part in our life. It is always true and has never been truer now that we live in a world which is facing many economic and social problems. The importance of music can be assessed by the degree to which it meets the important task of giving us something suitable to live by in our time. There is nothing but listening classical music. It is music that helps us to endure all difficulties in life.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

7. Kostyuk Elizaveta/ Костюк Елизавета

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

The influence of interactive advertising on the audience/ Влияние интерактивной рекламы на аудиторию

This research investigates the influence of interactive advertising on the target audience, and also examines the essence, objectives, types and trends of the development of this advertising in the future. Nowadays, technologies are developing rapidly as is also integrative advertising, which makes it necessary for us to keep up with the times. The report also focuses on positive and negative impact of interactive advertising on society.

Консультант по английскому языку: Егорова Елена Геннадьевна

8. Sobolev Ivan/ Соболев Иван

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Internationalization of content in Russian: common practice and typical problems/ Интернационализация контента на русском языке: распространённые методы и типичные проблемы

In this research project I would like to continue studying the cultural exchange problems between Russian- and English-speaking countries, but considering them from a different angle. Although translation from Russian is less common in computer games industry than localization, it has its own specific adaptation methods and different common problems. That is why it requires distinctive profound studying. Summing up, this project results in revealing the most prevalent problems translators face while localizing Russian videogames.

Консультант по английскому языку: Моргун Наталья Леонидовна

9. Chernikova Angelina/ Черникова Ангелина

Faculty of Philosophy / Философский факультет

The problem of global hunger: a comparative analysis/ Проблема глобального голода: сравнительный анализ

This research is devoted to a topical issue of global hunger. This problem is really important in the modern world because a level of hunger especially in African countries is really high. And it has consequences such as mass deaths, also a sharp increase of suicide, a decrease of birth rate and serious changes of demographic structure of the population, in particular, a sharp decrease of children's proportion. This report considers the problem itself, the impact of this problem, and the other side of the problem of hunger - obesity - and ways to solve this problem.

Консультант по английскому языку: Бережных Елена Юрьевна

Секция № 6 12 ноября 2020 г., четверг 09.00-10.30 На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Воеводина Мария

1. Kosolapova Elizaveta/ Косолапова Елизавета

Faculty of Philosophy/Философский факультет

Environmental problems of the World Ocean: the disaster in Kamchatka/ Экологические проблемы мирового океана: катастрофа на Камчатке

Pollution of the environment and the oceans is one of the most important problems in the modern world. Emissions of toxic waste into the atmosphere and water have a detrimental effect on the condition of animals, people and nature. The disaster in Kamchatka is an example of a person's negligence toward the environment. This report attempts to identify the ocean pollution causes and

investigate the death of 95% inhabitants of the seabed. Moreover, I present several solutions to this problem.

Консультант по английскому языку: Литвинова Евгения Николаевна

2. Misharina Polina/ Мишарина Полина

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Philosophical reflections in William Blake's poem *The Ancient of Days*/ Философские мотивы в стихотворении Уильяма Блейка «Ветхий днями»

William Blake (1757-1827) was an English cultural figure who was an artist, engraver, and poet. Today, Blake is considered to be the most important figure of the "romantic era". Certainly, he was a talented person with a special vision of the world, as well as an exceptional scholar. Blake's work incorporates many Christian themes, and therefore the purpose of this report is to analyze William Blake's poem ""The Ancient of Days" which reveals the biblical story in the poem. He left a significant mark on the world of art and never ceases to excite minds after centuries.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

3. Ostapenko Dana/ Остапенко Дана

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Religious issues in *Crime and punishment* by F. Dostoevsky/ Религиозные мотивы в романе Ф. Достоевского «Преступление и наказание»

One cannot deny that literature is one of the most important keys for understanding the culture of a nation. Religious issues have always played a particular part in Russian literature as a means of self-development and self-improvement. In my report, I would like to focus on the extent to which religion helps the main character to overcome his sufferings and reach a spiritual peace.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

4. Timokhin Arsenty/ Тимохин Арсентий

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Using aesthetic methods to embellish violence in contemporary art/ Эстетизация насилия в современном искусстве

Art is destinated to awake a sense of beauty, to evoke positive emotions in people. In modern art violence has so often been taken for granted that it is not even questioned, which leads to negative consequences for people. Violence in art becomes more sophisticated and this trend is only gaining momentum. A person is hit by a torrent of violence which strongly affects the moral image of young people and the new generation. This report makes an attempt to explain this phenomenon and find the reasons of its existence.

Консультант по английскому языку: Литвинова Евгения Николаевна

5. Shiporenko Yana/ Шипоренко Яна

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

The role of Hermitage in promoting cultural exchange between Russia and foreign countries/ Роль Эрмитажа в расширении культурного обмена между Россией и зарубежными странами

It is hard to overemphasize the role of international cultural interaction given the complex and dissonant character of modern international relations and the increasingly strengthening globalization processes in effect. Museums have succeeded in conveying the information, which is difficult to understand, about different countries, their culture, history, traditions and customs in a very captivating way. There is a need to mention an important actor of the Russian foreign cultural policy – the Hermitage Museum – one of the largest museums of art, human history and culture in the world. The museum enthusiastically collaborates with organizations and other museums in joint projects and exhibitions with the International funds "Association of the Hermitage Museum's Friends" located in the

Netherlands, the USA, the UK, Canada and Italy. The role of the Hermitage Museum is even more important now that the pandemic disease has prevented direct contacts from developing. Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

Секция № 7 12 ноября 2020г., четверг 10.45-12.15 На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Казюлин Вадим

1. Soboleva Liubov/ Соболева Любовь

Faculty of Philsophy/ Философский факультет

Limericks as a special genre of English poetry/ Лимерики как особый жанр английской поэзии

Limerick is a type of humorous verse of five lines with an AABBA rhyme scheme. The origin of the name limerick for this type of poem is debated. The limerick form was popularized by Edward Lear in his «Book of Nonsense» in 1846. The limerick form is so well known that it can be parodied in fairly subtle ways. What is more important in this special genre: the form or the content? It is a combination of both elements that produces a particular humorous effect.

Консультант по английскому языку: Литвинова Евгения Николаевна

2. Selivanova Svetlana/ Селиванова Светлана

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Naming and self-naming as a manifestation of nothing: stoics and Descartes/ Именование и самоименование как манифестация «нечто»: стоики и Декарт

The name is analyzed thought the concept of "something" which appeared to be the framework both, in stoics' philosophy, namely the theory of knowledge, and Descartes's meditations. The author discovered that in both theories the category "something" determines any naming and self-naming especially. It connects with each other the different modes of material, object relations, and imaginary events. "Something" includes the domain of existing being and quasi-existing being, it manifests the naming ability to confine the horizon of any definition and designation.

Консультант по английскому языку: Мурза Александра Борисовна

3. Tarkhanova Yulia/ Тарханова Юлия

Faculty of philosophy/ Философский факультет

Applying nonviolent communication principles within educational process/ Применение принципов ненасильственного общения в образовательном процессе

The phenomenon of nonviolent communication may seem to be underestimated and unknown to many people, but this method may become a powerful tool in expressing your own feelings and thoughts along with understanding others. This report sets out to explore what nonviolent communication means, consider its basics, potential advantages as well as disadvantages. Moreover, the important part of the research focuses on the application of this communication method to both everyday life and professional communication via the example of students, teachers and other actors of educational process.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

4. Shabalovskaya Ksenia/ Шабаловская Ксения

Faculty of Philosophy/Философский факультет

The monument *Motherland Calls* in the light of three historical epochs: a comparative analysis / Монумент «Родина-мать зовёт» с точки зрения трёх видов историзма: сравнительный анализ

For this analysis, I took a sculpture located in Volgograd. In 1967 Yevgeny Vuchetich built the monument "The Motherland Calls" to honour the heroic memory of ancestors. The sculptor reproduced the exact description of the world event – people began to defeat Nazism on Mamaev Kurgan in Stalingrad. In this work I analyze the monument *Motherland Calls* from the point of view of three types of historicism: evolutionary, phenomenological and holistic. Each of these views speaks about the monument from different sides.

Консультант по английскому языку: Мурза Александра Борисовна

5. Yarokhina Liliya/ Ярохина Лилия

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Christian fundamentalism in the USA in the context of desecularization of society: a historical analysis/ Христианский фундаментализм в США в контексте десекуляризации общества: исторический анализ

Religion has traditionally been one of the major components of national identity and sometimes its most prominent feature. The resurgence of religion may be a reaction against what is thought to be the soulless materialism of secular culture. Fundamentalism is described as a type of religious movement which deals with strict following the sacred texts' ideas. Being a phenomenon of the 20th century, fundamentalism manifests itself in different religious movements. Some scholars claim that the problem of fundamentalism has a connection with the the process of religious revival. The aim of this report is to take a look at American Christian fundamentalism movements with a view of explaining them as an attempt to reconcile materialism with spiritual values.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

6. Petrenko Sofya/ Петренко Софья

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Different interpretations of the concept *Public relations*: a comparative analysis/ Концепт «Связи с общественностью» с разных точек зрения: сравнительный анализ

The problem with an interpretation of the concept of Public relations has been the difficulty of applying it to different forms of activities involving advertising, working with prospective customers, investors, partners, employees, and other stakeholders. Public relations differs from publicity or advertising. The aim is to persuade people to maintain a positive view about the organization. The Public Relations Society of America, a professional trade association, defined Public Relations in 1982 as: "Public Relations helps an organization and its publics adapt mutually to each other". The report analyses different interpretations of this complex phenomenon.

Консультант по английскому языку: Бережных Елена Юрьевна

Социологический факультет МГУ имени М.В. Ломоносова

10 ноября 2020, вторник 10.00 – 17.00 На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Крошкина Мария, Ева Гузенко

1. Singaevskaya Marina/ Сингаевская Марина

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Political systems of English-speaking countries and political culture of participation: a case study of Great Britain and the USA/ Политические системы ангоязычных стран и политическая культура участия: на примере Великобритании и США

The purpose of this report is to demonstrate methodological potential of comparative analysis for the study of political systems and political cultures. The new methodology of political theory claimed to give a scientific picture of real political processes in various types of political systems. The political systems of the United States and Great Britain have been studied. The report also considers the political culture of participation which is observed in the United States and Great Britain as the political culture of a citizen's meaningful attitude both to the political system as a whole and to its individual structures and components.

Консультант по английскому языку: Павлова Елена Касимовна

2. Grigoryeva Daria, Shestopalova Angelina/ Григорьева Дарья, Шестопалова Ангелина Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

"Blue zones" of America: the influence of the social factor or natural conditioning? / "Голубые зоны" Америки: влияние социального фактора или природная обусловленность?

The report reveals the problem of "blue zones", where life expectancy is on average 10-12 years higher, compared with the rest of the world. The concept grew out of demographic work done by Gianni Pes and Michael Poulin. In their investigations, they also identified the places with the longest life expectancy. However, a significant role in longevity is played not only by geographical location but also by several social factors. The report discusses the main "secrets of longevity" and the principles of the formation of "blue zones".

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

3. Zvonareva Irina, Shagarova Ekaterina/ Звонарева Ирина, Шагарова Екатерина Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The issue of protecting stray animals: a sociological analysis/ Проблема защиты бездомных животных

Currently, the problem of protecting the rights of homeless animals remains one of the most acute. Changes caused by rethinking the attitude to animals, reorganizing the daily order, and increasing the activity of citizens can reduce the level of conflicts in the urban environment, improve its quality and safety, make the process of socialization of the younger generation more humane, and increase the level of interpersonal trust. Based on sociological analysis, the report examines the prerequisites, main mechanisms, and functions of volunteer organizations for the protection of animals. Various types of new ecological behavior, new forms of leisure, expansion of virtual communication, and changing consumer habits in relation to animals are also considered in this research.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

4. Trushtinova Victoria, Shvetsova Angelina/ Труштинова Виктория, Швецова Ангелина Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The issue of children's socialization in quarantine/ Проблема социализации детей в условиях карантина

Today, due to the epidemiological situation around the world, distance learning is actively used. In this regard, the usual experience of children's socialization is disturbed. Many students completely stopped studying the subject as they would have learned it at school, which reduces the level of knowledge among schoolchildren. Also, distance learning made it very complicated to return to a regular school regime. In our study, we investigate the main factors of impaired socialization among children. This work is of great practical importance since researchers can use its results during ongoing distance learning.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

5. Antonova Irina, Smirnova Milena/ Антонова Ирина, Смирнова Милена

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The influence of family relations on the formation of a child's personality/ Влияние семейных отношений на формирование личности ребенка

It is generally known that family is the first institution of socialization that shapes children's psyche and builds relationships with the world. Young children learn how to express and understand emotions from their parents. Children's development during this time affects their future social, cognitive, emotional, and physical state, which in turn might influence their success in life. Unfortunately, parental responsibilities are often underestimated in the modern world. This report is devoted to children's mental health, family relationships and parental responsibilities.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

6. Gefen Natalia/ Гефен Наталия

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Image of the volunteer in the 21st century: features of volunteer movement during the COVID-19 pandemic/ Образ волонтера 21 века: особенности волонтерского движения в период пандемии COVID-19

This work aims to show volunteer activities, its features and functions that can help to solve humanitarian issues in the 21st century. Nowadays, the volunteer movement is developing very fast. Volunteers try to help others, support them, and they do not demand anything in return. In this research, I talk about the problem of the coronavirus epidemic that caused a significant number of social and economic issues. In this regard, I consider volunteer activities, as their role remains essential in solving social problems related to helping the poor people, disabled, large families, orphans, and older people who find themselves in a difficult life situation during this period.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

7. Zhulikov Kirill, Lashkevich Nikolay/ Жуликов Кирилл, Лашкевич Николай

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Social stratification: a sociological analysis/ Социальная стратификация: социологический анализ

The report examines the relationship between elite and masses in a society and its reasons. In the research, we consider the term "opposition" according to different aspects. Still, the central element of the opposition is that elite has exceptional knowledge and is capable of managing. This research shows the possibility of cooperation between elite and masses in the modern age. Moreover, we analyse the reasons forcing the representatives of masses to create communities that come into open conflict with elite.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

8. Kosilin Dmitry, Sukhorukova Arina/ Косилин Дмитрий, Сухорукова Арина

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Adaptation problems of first-year students in the process of their learning/ Проблемы адаптации студентов первого курса

This report analyses the adaptation of first-year students. There are several levels of high school students' adaptation: approximately unstable adaptation, relatively stable, later adaptation, and maladaptation. The research also considers the problems of adaptation to a new team and lists its features and functions. Fundamental psychological and pedagogical issues of first-year students, such as communicating and establishing a dialogue with teachers, classmates, and people around them are also described in this report. An essential role in the adaptation process of first-year students belongs to their group mates and curators. In addition, curators' primary function is to guide the educational activities of first-year students, which is also very important.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

9. Kurzanov Nikita, Sabadin Arkadiy/ Курзанов Никита, Сабадин Аркадий

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Black Lives Matter movement as a social phenomenon/ Движение "Black Lives Matter" как социальный феномен

This report examines the Black Lives Matter Social Movement, which is supported by almost 70% of the U.S. population. It appeared in 2013 as a response to the acquittal of a policeman who shot a black child. The aims of the movement are: fight against racism, fight against police violence, fight against increased police presence in black neighbourhoods. The movement used to be local for seven years. However, the day after George Floyd's death, the most massive mass protests began in Minneapolis. The Black Lives Matter movement is considered to be fighting injustice. Nevertheless, recent events in America and Europe show that it also has a negative connotation. In our work, we look at both the advantages and disadvantages of the Black Lives Matter movement.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

10. Novozhilova Darya/ Новожилова Дарья

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Childcare in modern Russian society: sociological aspects/ Социокультурные аспекты воспитания детей в современном российском обществе.

This research analyzes the problem of childcare in Russia over the past decades and examines such terms as neglect and homelessness. A political aspect often characterizes the urgency of this problem. Depending on the political situation in a country, the number of neglected and street children increases or decreases. In recent years, statistics show a relatively sharp rise in neglect and homelessness. In this regard, the state should apply extraordinary measures to solve these problems. The report also recommends enduring solutions.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

11. Tochilkina Daria, Zelenina Veronica/ Точилкина Дарья, Зеленина Вероника

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Social protest as a subject of contemporary sociology/ Социальный протест как предмет изучения современной социологии

This report examines one of the main manifestations of civil society - social protests, which can be described as the socio-psychological phenomenon associated with excessive emotionality, sometimes even hostility. This study is dedicated to the analysis of the social protests that took place this year in terms of sociological theoretical approaches, relying on various sources of information: scientific research, fundamental theories, and the media. The most striking examples of this year are the mass protest movements in the United States and the Republic of Belarus. Of course, each case must be considered separately, taking into account several features related to historical development, socio-economic situation, and other aspects. Similarities and differences of these cases are also under discussion in this report.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

12. Lyukshina Anastasia/ Люкшина Анастасия

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Waste sorting as one of the ways of solving global environmental problems/ Сортировка мусора как один из способов решения глобальных экологических проблем.

This paper deals with the current problem of global environmental pollution, as well as the ways of solving it. Waste sorting is a relatively new technological advance that was invented to improve the general environmental ecology. The report assesses the use of this method of working with untreated hazardous waste and garbage and draws conclusions about its effectiveness.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

13. Sdobnikova Polina/ Сдобникова Полина

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

On a new approach to tackling ecological problems: the case of the Earthshot Prize/ Новые подходы к решению к экологических проблем на примере премии Earthshot Prize

The report highlights some new approaches to tackling ecological problems as they have been presented in the project "The Earthshot prize" recently introduced in the UK. The Project Council includes several people famous for their achievements in different fields such as football, music, cinema, conservation of nature, etc. One of the Council Members is a well-known broadcaster and natural historian sir David Attenborough whose authority adds a lot to the reputation of the newly established Prize.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

14. Tigieva Maria/ Тигиева Мария

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The problem of mental health and approaches to its solution in the UK/ Проблема психического здоровья и подходы к её решению в Великобритании

According to the world health organization's definition, "health is a state of complete physical, mental, and social well-being, not just the absence of disease or infirmity." It follows that all three components: body, soul and society are closely interrelated and affect the well-being of a person. Accordingly, mental health is an integral part of a fully healthy person. The report highlights some recent initiatives in the UK aimed at raising awareness of the importance of Mental Health.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

15. Zamyatina Anita/ Замятина Анита

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The phenomenon of time management: a sociological analysis/ Феномен тайм-менеджмента: социологический анализ

The report highlights the problem of new phenomenon called Time-management. Now our lifestyle is very dynamic and we are not ready to lose our time. Effective time management means the effective use of free time that allows one to plan their day properly and not to waste time. Managing time also helps people not to worry about deadlines.

Консультант по английскому языку: Россошенко Жаннетта Викторовна

16. Kroshkina Maria/ Крошкина Мария

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Value portrait of generation Z primary school student/ Ценностный портрет младшего школьника поколения Z

There are representatives of six generations in Russia; the greatest generation (1900-1923), the silent generation (1923-1943), the baby Boomer generation (1943-1963), generation X ("X") (1963-1984), generation Y ("y") (1984-2000), generation Z "Zed" (c 2000). Each of them has its own characteristics, which are due to the conditions in which socialization took place and the processes of personality

formation. This classification was proposed by American researchers, the creators of the generational theory N. Howe and V. Strauss in 1991. This theory is the most accurate and interesting from the point of view of differentiating the value orientations of representatives of different generations. In my report, I describe the results of a sociological study aimed at studying the values of younger students of generation Z.

Консультант по английскому языку: Россошенко Жаннетта Викторовна

17. Novikova Svetlana/ Новикова Светлана

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Export of educational services in the United States/ Экспорт образовательных услуг в США

The study is focused on the issue of export of educational services in the modern world. Currently, the United States is the leader in the number of foreigners studying in the US universities. However, the analysis of recent statistics shows that the number of international students in the United States is declining. The report gives a detailed analysis of the educational services export in the United States. The research reflects modern changes in the system of education export in the United States. Despite the significant economic benefits of education export, the author identifies barriers that impede and hinder its development at the present stage. The author also considers the impact of the Coronavirus pandemic on the higher education system in the USA.

Консультант по английскому языку: Павлова Елена Касимовна

18. Evgenev Dmitriy/ Евгеньев Дмитрий, Vlasenko Alexey/ Власенко Алексей

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Downshifting in the modern world: a sociological analysis/ Феномен дауншифтинга в современном мире: социологический анализ

Downshifting has many definitions that are considered in our report. Despite the fact that this phenomenon has recently appeared, it has a significant impact on the postmodern society due to which the phenomenon is produced. The main thing is to follow the principles of rejection the values of careerism and putative "success" in favor of personal happiness. It is an entirely personal decision what to change and what to do according to one's own targets. That is why there are many different ways of downshifting.

Консультант по английскому языку: Ильина Галина Алексеевна

19. Khramenkova Angelina/ Храменкова Ангелина

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Political aspects of social support in developed English-speaking countries: a case study of Great Britain, the USA and Australia/ Политические аспекты социальной поддержки населения в развитых англоговорящих странах на примере США, Великобритании и Австралии

The report analyses political means and ways of overcoming large-scale social problems such as poverty and unemployment in the USA, Great Britain and Australia. A comparison of these three English-speaking countries allows us to learn about the similarities and differences in the level of general welfare, which lead to certain economic consequences and affect the life quality of people. The official statistical elements of the research provide us with information about allowances, subsidies and other kinds of government help for both indigenous people and foreign residents. The research reveals the achievements of political science and its impact on society, determines development prospects and significant issues that may arise in the field of social support in these three countries.

Консультант по английскому языку: Павлова Елена Касимовна

20. Bukovskya Antonina, Klenkova Polina/ Буковская Антонина, Кленкова Полина Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

British tabloids as pillars of British national identity/ Британские таблоиды как столпы национальной идентичности британцев

The report is devoted to one of the types of the British press – the tabloids. The two most popular tabloids - The Sun and the Daily Mail - are compared according to several sociological characteristics and the reasons for their immense popularity are under scrutiny. The examples adduced in the report show that, on the one hand, the tabloids in question translate the established national values while, on the other hand, vehemently condemning everything foreign. The exemplary case are the publications about Meghan Markle.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

21. Vukovich Snezhana, Lebedeva Alexandra/ Вукович Снежана, Лебедева Александра Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The British tabloids against American mass culture: "The Daily Mail" vs. Meghan Markle/ Британские таблоиды против американской массовой культуры: "The Daily Mail" против Меган Маркл

The report deals with "The Daily Mail" publications about Meghan Markle who appeared to be a target and a victim of this immensely popular British tabloid. Playing on the juxtaposition of the British cultural code and the behaviour of the American divorced actress of list B who wanted to become the main focus of attention in an old hierarchical system the kind of which the British Royal Family is, the tabloid has managed to ruin Markle's popularity in Britain.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

22. Egorova Maria, Platonova Julia/ Егорова Мария, Платонова Юлия

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Providing emotional support for people with career and money issues during the pandemic in the UK/ Оказание эмоциональной поддержки людям, испытывающим проблемы с работой и финансами, во время пандемии на примере Великобритании

COVID-19 and the response to the pandemic have a significant impact on the nation's mental health through increased exposure to stressors. More than two-thirds of adults in the UK (69%) report feeling somewhat or very worried about the effect COVID-19 is having on their life. During these difficult times some companies provide great support to their employees. Companies are giving employees access to resources that range from counseling services to financial aid. In these uncertain times, how employers treat their employees will be remembered for years to come. How businesses respond will have a lasting impact on employee behavior including engagement, productivity and loyalty.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

23. Abramova Olga/ Абрамова Ольга

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Open access to scientific publications as a necessity in the fight against information inequality/ Открытый доступ к научным публикациям как необходимость в борьбе с информационным неравенством

The report is devoted to the issue of limited access to scholarly information. This process intensifies a digital divide – relative inequality between those who have more or less bandwidth and better or worse skills. Groups of poorly supported people are potentially important for the world research. It's hard to find free and open access to the latest studies and current research online for those who could get benefits. The position of illegal archivists, publishers and scientists concerning open access to a database of stolen papers is under discussion in this report. The research reveals the cases of Shadow Libraries as the solution to this issue and analyzes how the system reacts to the trial of getting the complete collection of publications for worldwide distribution.

Консультант по английскому языку: Павлова Елена Касимовна

24. Zinchenko Polina, Yakovleva Anastasia/ Зинченко Полина, Яковлева Анастасия Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Pre-pandemic migration in the modern world/ Миграция в современном мире до пандемии

The report is devoted to the study of the features of migration processes in the context of globalization. The characteristics of the factors determining migration are given, new trends and forms of global migrations are described. In terms of globalization the nature of migration processes transforms and some tendencies deserving narrow attention appear.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

25. Zobnina Maya, Shendrikova Elizaveta/ Зобнина Майя, Шендрикова Елизавета

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

How fashion trends influence society/ Как модные тренды влияют на общество

The report is devoted to fashion trends and their positive and negative impacts on society. Being a means of self-expression, fashion at the same time is a means of levelling and standardization. The report takes into consideration the fact that nowadays fashion is a serious business where a lot of people are employed.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

26. Ivanenko Anna, Potekhina Margarita/ Иваненко Анна, Потехина Маргарита

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The problem of globalization in modern culture/ Проблема глобализации в современной культуре

The report is devoted to the phenomenon of globalization in modern culture. It is becoming more and more difficult for national cultures to preserve their values, not to be influenced from outside. However, some national cultures strive to expand beyond their own country and become popular everywhere. It is possible to conclude that globalization is a twofold phenomenon. It not only contributes to the change of national cultures, but also to the creation of a world culture, that unites all other cultures.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

27. Novikova Renata/ Новикова Рената

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The phenomenon of love: the problem of understanding love in modern society as a factor in changing interpersonal relations/ Феномен любви: проблема понимания любви как фактор изменения межличностных отношений

The report highlights the idea of love as it has changed throughout the history of mankind. The understandings of love by E. Fromm and C. Lewis are taken by the author as a part of the report's theoretical basis. Special attention is paid to the contemporary understandings of love and their influence on interpersonal relations. The situation with the understanding of love in modern Russia is under particular scrutiny.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

28. Sukhanova Elena, Belash Maria/ Суханова Елена, Белаш Мария

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

A sociological approach to researching the odds of winning the 2020 US presidential race/ Социологический подход к исследованию шансов на победу в президентской гонке 2020 в США

This year highly controversial US presidential election has demonstrated an extreme partisan division in the country. Public opinion polls as well as one of the highest turnouts in the US history demonstrate that today the US is the country with the very low level of electoral absenteeism. At the same time allegedly numerous irregularities in the election mechanics question the relevance of the prior sociological surveys that now look like politically biased to the extent of distortion of the real situation. Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

29. Arkhipov Ivan, Yanushkovskaya Julia/ Архипов Иван, Янушковская Юлия

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Туреs of gender attitudes and their manifestation in the USA: a sociological analysis/ Типы гендерных стереотипов и их проявление в Соединенных Штатах: социологический анализ This report touches upon the problem of sexism and its manifestation in America. In modern realities, sexism has a gender identity, defining it as "the oppression of women by male owners". However, sexism is not only prejudice but also the systemic oppression of a whole category of people. In society, the pressure is not only on women. Men also experience mental health problems due to public pressure. According to the studied data, men do not have any psychological and emotional support. We examined some of the social conflicts associated with this topic and reviewed the public reaction. Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

14 ноября 2020, суббота Социологический факультет 10.00 – 15.00 На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Крошкина Мария, Ева Гузенко

1. Parshina Liudmila/ Паршина Людмила

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The issue of social media addiction: a sociological analysis/ Проблема зависимости от социальных сетей: социологический анализ

Social media dependency is one of the most pressing humanitarian problems of the modern world. In this report, we are look at the problem from different perspectives. For instance, some researchers believe that social media dependency is a disease. Others consider it merely as a habit. The third group argue that addiction does not exist, as we live in the era of globalization and social media is an unconditional part of humans' life. The report provides more details on this matter and gives examples of studies to outline the whole issue of social media dependency.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

2. Khusanova Gulshoda/ Хусанова Гулшода

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The role of doctors during the COVID-19 pandemic/ Роль врачей во время пандемии COVID-19

The report is devoted to the experiences of medical workers and health-care providers during the coronavirus epidemic. Risk of hospital admission with covid-19 in healthcare workers is increasingly growing. In countries with the highest number of infected people, doctors stay at hospitals for days and are always in danger. Because of the protective equipment that doctors are forced to wear without ceasing, their faces are covered with abrasions. Due to the lack of superior protection, more and more doctors are infected. This report analyzes the significant role of doctors during the pandemic of coronavirus. Possible challenges that doctors face and their responsibilities are also described in this research.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

3. Denisova Anna, Kurochkin Alexey/ Денисова Анна, Курочкин Алексей

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Gender inequality in the labour market: a sociological analysis/ Гендерное неравенство на рынке труда: социологический анализ

Over the past few years, the issues related to gender inequality in the labour market have been actively discussed. According to the statistics, women are considerably less likely than men to participate in the labour market. There is a law on the inadmissibility of any discrimination in labour in many countries, including Russia. Despite this, sociologists believe that discrimination in the labour market exists.

Moreover, it is often associated with stereotypes. In our research, we attempt to clarify different views on this issue.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

4. Anna Stepanyan/ Анна Степанян

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Education in developed English-speaking countries: a case study of Great Britain and the USA/ Образование в развитых англоязычных странах: на примере Великобритании и США

The report analyses and compares educational systems in modern Great Britain and in the United States. Nowadays the interest towards educational systems, especially in the United Kingdom and in the United States, has increased significantly. The social aspect of education and its value have become one of the most discussed issues over the past few years. Special attention in the report is paid to the study of similarities and differences in the preschool and school education as well as to the analysis of higher education systems. Common features constitute the elite status of education both in the UK and in the USA as well as the language of study. The main differences are the age at which children start their education, school programmes and the process of applying to colleges or universities.

Консультант по английскому языку: Павлова Елена Касимовна

5. Shumskaya Ulyana/ Шумская Ульяна

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The most popular stereotypes about Great Britain: their features and social consequences/ Наиболее распространённые стереотипы о Великобритании: их особенности и социальные последствия

We are surrounded by a large number of stereotypes. A social stereotype is a schematic standardized image or representation of a social object. This report is devoted to the study of the most popular stereotypes about Great Britain and the British people. The analysis of these stereotypes, their essential characteristics, features of formation and functioning is important for effective social interaction in the modern global world. The study shows that stereotypical views on culture and other aspects of life can distort the idea of the state and cause negative social consequences in international relations. Therefore, much attention is paid to the place and role of social stereotypes in the modern society as a tool for modelling reality.

Консультант по английскому языку: Павлова Елена Касимовна

6. Kholodnova Svetlana/ Холоднова Светлана

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The North-South division as a global problem of our time/ Разделение «Север-Юг» как глобальная проблема современности

The North-South issue is a common term which is related to the most pressing economic and social problems of rich and developing countries. It includes trade, aid, access to the resources and other components. The North-South phenomenon is a socio-economic and political division of lands popularized in the late 20th - early 21st centuries. Economic backwardness of the developing countries is potentially dangerous not only at the local, regional and interregional levels but also for the global economic system. The research shows the main reasons for the significant economic backwardness of the South countries compared to the North countries.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

7. Sokolova Olga, Tsigankova Anna/ Соколова Ольга, Цыганкова Анна

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Gender pay gap in Russia and the USA/ Гендерное неравенство оплаты труда в России и США

In this report we address the issue of the gender pay gap in Russia and in the USA. The gender pay gap is the difference in the average salaries of men and women. In the analysis of gender pay inequality

such characteristics as the level of education, present position, age and work experience are usually considered to be the important ones. The purpose of this report is to carry out statistical assessment of gender pay differentiation in Russia and in the United States based on empirical and other aggregated data.

Консультант по английскому языку: Поцыбина Елена Павловна

8. Bulachev Konstantin, Kuzmina Anastasia/ Булачев Константин, Кузьмина Анастасия Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Peculiarities of feminism in Russia/ Особенности феминизма в России

The report is devoted to the analysis of peculiarities of feminism in Russia. Feminism, as a social movement, is spreading in our country influencing the outlook of youth. In our report we identify the main features of feminism in this country and abroad as well as indicate emerging trends of the movement in the present-day Russia. In the course of our research we have found a plethora of interesting facts and data in both domestic and foreign scientific sources. These data and statistics are presented in our report.

Консультант по английскому языку: Поцыбина Елена Павловна

9. Kanevskaya Sofya/ Каневская Софья

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Sustainable urban transport of the future in post-COVID era: micromobility as transport solution/ Устойчивый городской транспорт будущего в пост-ковидную эпоху: микромобильность как решение проблемы транспорта

The COVID-19 pandemic has changed the world significantly over the past six months. Great changes have occurred in all spheres of society, namely work, education, entertainment and means of transport. Now we can witness a great shift in the tendency of using transport. More and more people prefer to use individual means of mobility, that is a taxi, car sharing and private cars. This can easily be explained by people's fear of the pandemic, but we also should be aware of the fact that this trend to use private transport has its side effect. As the result, we will have huge traffic congestion and air pollution. The possible solution to the problem is to advocate the use of so called micromobility (bicycles, scooters etc.). This report is devoted to the study of micromobility in Moscow – its current state and future prospects as sustainable transport in the post-COVID era.

Консультант по английскому языку: Поцыбина Елена Павловна

10. Khromova Darya, Vasilenko Elizaveta/ Хромова Дарья, Василенко Елизавета

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Migration crisis during the pandemic/ Миграционный кризис во время пандемии

Nowadays the whole world is facing the Covid-19 pandemic. The pandemic is characterized by its huge scale: the spread of infectious disease throughout the country, in the territories of neighboring countries, and all over the world. The coronavirus pandemic has led to political, economic and social problems, one of which is mass unemployment including unemployment among migrants. In our research we analyze this issue in detail, comment on actions of the state authorities and identify the main causes of unemployment. We also dwell on migration unemployment in particular, and illustrate how migrants cope with this problem.

Консультант по английскому языку: Поцыбина Елена Павловна

11. Imennykh Vladimir, Ishbaeva Alina/ Именных Владимир, Ишбаева Алина

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Social networks as a socio-psychological phenomenon/ Социальные сети как социальнопсихологическое явление.

This report is devoted to the use of social networks as a humanitarian problem in modern society. In the report we present the concept of social networks and their characteristics, and the history of social networks. Furthermore, we dwell on their types and functions. We also identify types of social media

users and specify the level of their involvement and impact of social networks on a person. We outline some socio-psychological qualities that affect the level of network users' dependency on social networks. Research methods based on the chosen methodology allowed us to achieve positive results of our empirical research: we have enlisted general patterns of social network usage and defined factors influencing Internet dependency of social media users.

Консультант по английскому языку: Поцыбина Елена Павловна

12. Pavlutchouk Anfisa, Kudryashov Vladislav/ Павлючук Анфиса, Кудряшов Владислав Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Environmental problems and ways of their solution in some English-speaking countries: the cases of Canada, Great Britain and Australia/ Экологические проблемы и способы их решения в странах изучаемого языка (Канада, Великобритания, Австралия)

The environmental issue is one of the most pressing today. The environment affects people's lives and health that is why the most urgent task of all mankind at present is to improve and control environmental conditions on our planet. Each country and every person should do their best to protect our planet from pollution and its side effects. In this report we compare the state of environment in some English-speaking countries: we dwell on the cases of Canada, Great Britain and Australia. We outline the environmental problems and main causes of environmental pollution in these countries. Консультант по английскому языку: Поцыбина Елена Павловна

13. Belova Julia, Volkova Kristina/ Белова Юлия, Волкова Кристина

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Human as a consumer of the planet/ Человек как потребитель планеты

Facts and statistics show that a man is becoming an invader, an exploiter and a consumer of nature. A comfortable and careless human life leads to pollution of the oceans, air poisoning and the death of animals in wild nature. In our report we draw attention to the necessity of protecting the environment and the importance of saving rare species from extinction.

Консультант по английскому языку: Поцыбина Елена Павловна

14. Babkina Ekaterina / Бабкина Екатерина

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The causes of deviant behavior in adolescents in Russia/ Причины девиантного поведения подростков в России

The report is devoted to the problem of deviant behavior among adolescents in Russia and its causes. Also, it highlights some statistics on juvenile delinquency in our country as this is one of the indicators of the social situation in the country. According to statistics, more than half of repeat offenders "set foot on the path of crime" at a young age. That fact makes it absolutely necessary to try to find some ways to solve the problem in question.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

15. Neradovskaya Inna, Tsymbalova Ksenia/ Нерадовская Инна, Цимбалова Ксения

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Adolescent suicide: psychological and social aspects of the problem/ Подростковый суицид как социально-психологическая проблема

In this report we highlight the problem of adolescent suicide in Russia. This problem is actual nowadays because Russia ranks third in the number of committed suicide a year. Our analysis relies on some findings in sociology and psychology as they can help get some explanation of such a self-destructive behaviour. Due to hormone disbalance, feeling of uncertainty and lack of confidence in themselves and their own future, teenagers become a most vulnerable and insecure group of people. That is why it is vitally important to work out the ways of suicide prophylaxis which can include the detection of teenagers' problems and operative work in the process of their solving.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

16. Konovalova Daria/ Коновалова Дарья

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

William Wilberforce and the Abolition of Slavery in the UK/ Уильям Уилберфорс и отмена рабства в Великобритании

The problem of slavery has left a big imprint not only on the history of Great Britain, but on the history of the whole world. Nowadays, when its consequences reveal themselves in different countries, it is worth speaking about people who tried to fight slavery. W. Wilberforce - the British politician and philanthropist - is the man who, since 1787, was prominent in the struggle to abolish the slave trade and whose lifelong fight, eventually, was able to achieve the goal, namely, on July 26, 1833, when the House of Commons passed the Slavery Abolition Act.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

17. Areshina Daria, Kopchikova Anastasia/ Арешина Дарья, Копчикова Анастасия

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

World Financial Centers today: the City of London and Brexit/ Мировые финансовые центры сегодня: Лондонский Сити и Брекзит

The report highlights the role of the City of London as a global financial center in the modern international financial system under the conditions of Britain's withdrawal from the European Union. As the UK after withdrawal is not expected to impose new restrictions on banking, which are likely to emerge in the EU after the creation of the Banking Union, it will be able to increase London's attractiveness for banks from the EU countries and, possibly, from the US and Asia.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

18. Mamay Olga, Kisareva Darina/ Мамай Ольга, Кисарева Дарина

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Post-war migration to the United Kingdom and its consequences today/ Послевоенная миграция в Великобританию и ее последствия сегодня

The report is devoted to the post-war migration in the UK, namely, the so-called Windrush generation that drastically changed the life in Britain. Also, the report dwells upon the recent scandal in the UK when people who came to Britain as kids were classified illegal migrants and forced to leave the country after many years of living in it. One of the consequences of the public campaign to mitigate the situation was the introduction in June 2018 of Windrush Day.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

19. Samokhvalova Valeria, Morozova Aljona/ Самохвалова Валерия, Морозова Алёна Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The digital divide as one of the global humanitarian problems of the American society/ Цифровой разрыв как одна из глобальных гуманитарных проблем американского общества

The report is devoted to the digital divide in the United States that refers to the disparity between individuals, households and other groups at different demographic and socio-economic levels in access to information and communication technologies. The example of the US as one of the world leaders in these kinds of technologies demonstrates that, if not under proper state control, the so-called digital divide may become one of the factors of serious social inequality. The US government efforts to bridge the gap are under consideration as well.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

20. Syundyukova Maria, Stepanova Tatiana/ Сюндюкова Мария, Степанова Татьяна Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The stereotypes about Britain: a socio-cultural approach/ Стереотипы о Великобритании: социокультурный подход

The report is devoted to the sociological analysis of the notion "stereotype" and its components, namely, stability of perception, emotional colouring, generalization and simplification of an image. The positive and the negative aspects of the use of stereotypes in international relations are under special consideration in the report. The analysis is illustrated by the commonly shared in Russia examples of the stereotypes about the British people.

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