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Пленарное заседание
17 марта 2021 г. 10.30 – 13.00
На платформе Zoom

Руководитель: Кочетова М.Г.

1. Beliaeva Tatiana/ Беляева Татьяна (PhD candidate)

Faculty of Foreign Languages and Area Studies/ Факультет иностранных языков и регионоведения

The Corpus of Contemporary American English: correlation between lexical frequency and the type of discourse/ Корпус современного американского английского языка: связь между лексической частотностью и типом дискурса

Corpus linguistics has become one of the most important empirical methods of research, aiming to gain knowledge about language through the quantitative and qualitative analysis of a naturally occurring text samples collection, thus relating itself to the paradigm of natural science. A brief account of the research is based on the data of the academic subcorpus of COCA and proves a tight correlation between lexical frequency and the type of discourse by the case study of more than 100 academic words (nouns, verbs, adjectives and adverbs), using for the purpose one of the basic statistical techniques – correlation analysis.

Консультант по английскому языку: Полубиченко Лидия Валериановна

2. Ignatenko Kirill/ Игнатенко Кирилл

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Frozen Texas: climate change impact on the southernmost state's social and economic spheres/ Замерзший Техас: влияние изменения климата на социальную и экономическую сферы самого южного штата

The presentation outlines the main features of unprecedented freezing conditions in Texas paying particular attention to the most vulnerable groups of population: children, the unemployed, and senior citizens. The extraordinary freeze has once again exposed existing deep inequalities that made it much harder for low-income households to recover. With about 4.3 million Texans struggling with hunger, the local authorities and volunteers joined their efforts to help people in the worst-affected areas.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

3. Kartunova Angelina/ Картунова Ангелина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

On the border of the 'Old World' and the 'New Middle Ages': an analysis of modern social transformations in Western societies/ На границе «старого мира» и «нового Средневековья»: анализ современных социальных преобразований в западных обществах

The Covid-19 pandemic has been a serious blow to the entire global community. But the coronavirus crisis is just one of a number of events that might lead to global changes in economy, politics and society as a whole. New technologies have become the basis for the survival of society during the pandemic, and the society's value system also appears to have undergone some changes. However, what is important to consider is the question of whether the coronavirus crisis is a part of the ongoing global change in humanity. The main thesis of this study is that the global consequences of the pandemic can be defined as the most significant element in the transition of humanity to a new era. To test this hypothesis, I conduct a formal analysis of the concept of the "new Middle Ages" by N.A. Berdyayev from the perspective of socio-political processes taking place in the modern European societies with special emphasis placed on the consequences of the coronavirus in the UK. In my study, I carry out an in-depth empirical analysis of statistics and

research of social science experts on how life in the UK and across Europe is likely to change after the pandemic. The findings of this study may provide some new insights into the current socio-political trends, the changing structure of economy and public relations, and the "twilight" of statehood in Europe, thus, evaluating these trends from the perspective of the transition of society to a qualitatively new stage of its development.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

4. 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

Untranslatability: cultural and linguistic specificity/ Проблема непереводимости: культурные и лингвистические факторы

Travel texts and those texts which discuss foreign cultures engage in a curious process of transference. The authors must take phenomena from a foreign culture and make them comprehensible for readers at home. This process is fraught with linguistic and cultural challenges: how to render the Other in a language that may lack the linguistic resources to verbalise this very Other. This presentation shall give a brief summary of these challenges, situating them in the transcultural and translational theoretical domains to which they belong. Examples shall be sourced from Chinese and Russian texts from the 1920s.

5. Mitrofanova Anastasia/ Митрофанова Анастасия

Faculty of Foreign Languages and Area Studies/ Факультет иностранных языков и регионоведения

Developing emotional intelligence at schools and universities in Australia and India/ Развитие эмоционального интеллекта в школах и университетах Австралии и Индии

The research aims to describe the measures undertaken in Australia and India to develop emotional intelligence (EI) of pupils, students and teachers in these countries. By emotional intelligence we understand one's abilities to recognize, understand and manage emotions. Much attention is given to the ways EI development programs are integrated into the school curriculum. The current situation in Australia and India is compared to the opportunities which students and teachers have in the UK, the USA and Russia to enhance their EI.

Консультант по английскому языку: Коренев Алексей Александрович

6. Nasyrova Anna/ Насырова Анна

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Leonid Sabaneev's concept of the history and modernity of Russian music/ Концепция истории и современности русской музыки Леонида Сабанеева

This research provides an overview of the works of Leonid Sabaneev, a Russian-born musical critic and composer, who became a famous publicist in Europe and in the USA after his emigration in 1926. The presentation focuses on his original concept of Russian musical history and modernity as an integral distinctive phenomenon, developed in Sabaneev's post-emigration works, yet untranslated into Russian, like his articles for "The Musical Times" (London), published in the 1920s-1930s, and his book "Modern Russian composers" (New York, 1927). His articles and reviews had never previously been analyzed as a whole and had never been re-edited. The author seeks to look at Sabaneev as an original philosopher of music.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

7. Shubina Varvara/ Шубина Варвара

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Australian environmental philosophy and the argument of ‘the best view’ for panpsychism/ Австралийская экофилософия и аргумент наилучшего взгляда для панпсихизма

For the support of contemporary panpsychism there is an argument of ‘the best view’ in the philosophy of consciousness. However, it is controversial whether this view provides not only a better understanding of the nature of conscious experience, but also a solid framework for solving some environmental problems, as it claims to. Australian environmental philosophers and anthropologists have been developing views relevant to panpsychism for decades. In particular, Freya Mathews has created a worldview using the indigenous Australian perspective on sustainability and claiming that this perspective may be helpful in the face of a global environmental crisis. A closer look at her philosophical works as well as at other Australian philosophers was taken in order to understand whether their reasoning can be viable for contemporary panpsychism in the philosophy of consciousness, taking into consideration an argument of ‘the best view’ for resolving ecological problems the world faces today.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

ФАКУЛЬТЕТ ПОЛИТОЛОГИИ

Секция 1

Singapore, Australia and Canada/ Сингапур, Австралия, Канада

15 марта 2021 г., понедельник,

10.45-12.15

На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Иванова Валерия

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

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

From illiteracy to a Smart Nation: key aspects of Singapore's digital government development/ От безграмотности к "Умной нации": ключевые аспекты цифрового развития Сингапура

Singapore is a dynamically developing country with great potential for significant technological and informational progress. Over the past few decades, it has made an incredible leap in the digitalization of its society and the state itself. It is still a mystery to many how Singapore evolved from the status of an underdeveloped country to a leader in digital government. Our research aims to shed some light on the major e-government-related initiatives undertaken by the Singapore Government. Analyzing the experience of the Singapore Government, we identify specific features of the state's ongoing development, such as the main obstacles to the digital government, its key advantages, and its capacity to respond to emerging crises.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

2. Ivanova Valery, Bibik Sophia/ Иванова Валерия, Бибики София

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Authoritarianism in Singapore: the politics of Lee Kuan Yew towards a welfare society/ Авторитаризм в Сингапуре: политика Ли Куан Ю на пути к обществу благоденствия

The authors analyze the stages of Singapore's emergence as a country of prosperity and one of the richest states in the world. The choice of Singapore as the object for studying the autocratic regime is by no means accidental, due to the fact that it has no natural resources – neither oil or gas nor a vitally important one – water. However, the uniqueness of the state's political system and the combination of high-tech industries with the intellectual potential contributed to its leave from stagnation, and let it embark on the path to a welfare society. Furthermore, the study considers the role of Singapore's leader, Prime Minister Lee Kuan Yew, who came to power in 1959 and spawned Singapore miracle, and reviews the impact of his political activity on the generations to come. Our research identifies and explores the reasons why one of the smallest countries in the world has managed to achieve success in political, economic and social spheres in such a short period, despite its non-democratic regime. We also consider autocracy as an effective tool to reach goals in politics through the example of Singapore.

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

3. Ismailov Elnur, Belokopytova Polina/ Исмаилов Эльнур, Белокопытова Полина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Environmental problems in Australia as a factor of public policy/ Проблемы окружающей среды как фактор государственной политики Австралии

Today, Australia still has a wide range of biodiversity. The existence of rare animals, fish, coral reefs – all these objects are the heritage of nature in Australia. However, over the past 20 years, the country has experienced serious difficulties, as the extraction of raw materials still accounts

for a large part of the economy, which contributes to the deterioration of the climate situation. Coral reefs and rare plant species are disappearing. In this research, the authors attempt to analyse the effectiveness of public policy concerning environmental protection.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

4. Kurginova Daria/ Кургинова Дарья

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Development of Sovietology as a scientific discipline in the USA: a historical and textual analysis/ Развитие советологии как научной дисциплины в США: историко-текстологический анализ

This research analyzes the post-war world order, as well as the prospects of Soviet-American relations in the second half of the 20th century. Applying the historical and textual analysis framework, the author attempts to substantiate the necessity of introducing the ‘Sovietphobia’ concept into the modern political science discourse by studying the origins and constituent elements of this phenomenon in the USA. The study also aims to prove the thesis that the appearance of the fear of the USSR (‘Sovietphobia’) in the American society predetermined the emergence and the character of the development of Sovietology as a scientific discipline. The author argues that the study of the ideological foundations of propaganda in the USA in the 20th century contributes to formation of the most profitable strategy in the modern information and psychological warfare.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

5. Soldatova Xenia/ Солдатова Ксения

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The role of public policy in the United States and Canada during the 2020 coronavirus pandemic: a comparative analysis/ Роль государственной политики в США и Канаде во время пандемии Covid-19: сравнительный анализ

The coronavirus has not spared any country. Many states are currently trying to develop new political models that would help reduce the spread of the virus. Therefore, the focus of my research is on US and Canadian government measures. The topic of the study is highly relevant, as many countries still require a working model to combat the growth of various diseases. In addition, it is important to explore which policy has been more efficient – American or Canadian. Since all developing countries are always prone to clinging to the leading economies, they try to copy their policies to live better. In this regard, this study compares coronavirus-related measures to prevent the spread of infection in both countries.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

**Секция 2
USA/ США
15 марта 2021 г., понедельник,
10.45-12.15
На платформе Zoom**

Ведущий: Алиев Мурад

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

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

**American mafia of the first half of the 20th century: a socio-historical analysis/
Американская мафия первой половины 20-го века: социо-исторический анализ**

“Five Families” of New York are sometimes called the ‘founders’ of the American mafia and may be defined as a unique phenomenon in the history. This is one of the most influential gangster structures on the planet, created by immigrants. Our research focuses on analyzing the hierarchy and traditions that developed among the organized crime, dating back to the 19th century. Furthermore, this study also aims to identify and examine the historical social (as well as political) reasons why the Mafia thrived despite constant arrests and high-profile trials.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

2. Maslennikova Ekaterina/ Масленникова Екатерина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Computer games as a tool for studying history: the US experience/ Компьютерные игры как инструмент изучения истории: опыт США

Computer games play an essential role in our life. Teachers generally used to ignore computer games as a tool for studying different disciplines. However, now there is an opinion that gaming in education helps to increase students’ motivation and engagement and improves their interaction and visual skills. So, computer games are seen as an important part of improving studying through their ability to force players to realistic simulation of various situations. This study illustrates the implementation of using gaming technology in teaching History, a discipline which deals with facts, events and historical figures. American teachers integrate gaming in educational principles and methods and demonstrate that applying games in teaching History helps students update past events and suggest something more.

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

3. Pataraya Kristina, Rukacheva Vera/ Патарая Кристина, Рукачева Вера

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Representation of women in academic community as a reflection of feminist sentiment in the USA/ Представленность женщин в научном сообществе как отражение феминистских настроений в США

Women scientists in the United States and around the world have come a long way in the fight against discrimination, but even today, female students and postgraduates might sometimes face unequal pay, career difficulties, and "hidden" prejudices against themselves. Therefore, the question we address in this research is whether the American feminist discourse of the last half of the century may be related to the increase in the number of women in science. Given the political activity in the United States in recent years in the context of the gender issue, and the attitude towards representatives of the feminist movement in the media, it is difficult to properly assess the actual relationship between such significant phenomena, which we still aim to do in this study. We argue that women in the United States have been able to increase their influence in the scientific field through the second-wave feminism. This study is aimed at revealing the extent to which the number of women's participation in science in the United States of America has increased. The

objectives of the research include exploring the history of women's participation in science, looking at the current situation with American women in the field of scientific research and identifying the correlation between the activities of feminists and female scientists in various chronological frames.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

4. Solodov Evgenii, Biryukova Alisa/ Солодов Евгений, Бiryukova Алиса

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The political crisis of American democracy: Trump's heritage?/ Политический кризис американской демократии: наследие Трампа?

The dramatic change in the political climate in the United State after the victory of Donald Trump in the 2016 presidential elections exposed the internal issues that had been brewing in American society for many years: growing polarization, the identity crisis of the white man, the request for anti-systematic politicians. The intellectual discussion then was focused on the topic of a “suicide of democracy”. However, the term has gained predominance in political discourse after Donald Trump's attempt to keep power in 2020, which proclaimed “the death of democracy”. The inquiry, thus, considers the main causes of the crisis of the United States' democracy and analyses possible ways to reanimate it.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

5. Zabiyan Yulia, Merzliakova Alina /Юлия Забиян, Алина Мерзлякова

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Fashion industry as part of political competition or interdependence of fashion and politics/ Индустрия моды как часть политической борьбы или взаимозависимость моды и политики

Due to the process of globalization the framework of politics is broadened beyond the government privacy. Politics is influenced by new actors and almost every sphere of public life is immersed into political competition, presenting some groups of interests. Nowadays, even fashion shows become a place for manifesting a protest opinion, supporting a party or expressing an opposition to some political decisions. New designers' collections reflect relevant social and political issues; political slogans are settled on T-Shirts, calling up American citizens to uphold Black Lives Matter movement. The two distinctly different spheres as politics and the fashion industry have turned out to be tightly bound together.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

Секция 3
USA, UK and Commonwealth/
США, Великобритания и Содружество наций
15 марта 2021 г., понедельник,
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На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Алиев Мурад, Иванова Валерия

1. Aliev Murad/ Алиев Мурад

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The second referendum for Scottish independence as a political struggle/ Предлагаемый второй референдум о независимости Шотландии как акт политической борьбы

The problem of Scottish independence is gaining bigger coverage and popularity among common citizens. Although Scotland planned to hold the second independence referendum in 2020 shortly after Brexit, the UK's exit from the EU, the issue has not been given proper attention and no one in the kingdom is going to bring this theme up again. However, the Scots are not ready to give up and they will try to do everything to make this referendum pass. The aim of the study is to present the Scottish independence referendum as a political struggle by outlining its major traits and peculiarities as well as characterize political instruments to restrain them.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

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

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Multiculturalism policy in the UK: a historical analysis/ Применение политики мультикультурализма в Великобритании: исторический анализ

The problem of adapting people of different nationalities to society has been acute at all times. Multiculturalism' in contemporary Britain is multifaceted and implicated in a wide range of debates, including those over language policy, race relations, religious freedom and immigration. The variegated nature of the relevant issues means that the term 'multiculturalism' is difficult to encapsulate neatly. This research examines the UK's experience in adapting migrants, their decisions, why they came to the need to introduce a policy of multiculturalism and what it led to. This problem described in present project is still relevant today, if we turn to the experience of foreign countries.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

3. Kaschenko Andrey / Кащенко Андрей

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

An analysis of Keir Starmer's Social-Democratism/ Анализ Социал-демократизма Кира Стармера

Keir Starmer became the leader of the Labour party in April 2020. The leadership of Keir Starmer may be explained by the Labour party's failure at the general Parliamentary elections in 2019, when the Labour party lost many seats in the House of Commons. The reason of Labour weakness can be related to a significant fact, that the Labour Party has always been a place where different ways of thinking come together. The Labour Party is a union of reformist social democrats and radical socialist traditions. These traditions are the heart of the Labour party. But the Labour party has a significant problem – the members of party are divided. Keir Starmer must unite different wings of the Labour party. This is the only way to provide a majority for the Labour in the next elections in Parliament.

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

4. Kostina Anna, Kochesheva Anna/ Костина Анна, Кочешева Анна

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The problem of waste segregation in English-speaking countries: the past and present/ Проблема разделения мусора в англоговорящих странах в прошлом и сейчас

Waste segregation, or rather, selective collection of waste (not to be confused with garbage sorting) are to be analyzed here. Waste segregation is done in order to avoid environmental pollution. This process allows to give a “second life” to the waste, in most cases due to its secondary use and recycling. Waste management allows to achieve the most efficient use of resources, returning recycled types of waste into production. The separation of food and vegetable waste helps prevent the formation of combustible gases in landfills. Consequently, the probability of fires in landfills and the harmful effects on the environment are reduced. How did the idea of separation come about, how was this realized earlier in the English-speaking countries, and what are environmental activists striving to achieve now?

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

Секция 4
USA, UK and Commonwealth/
США, Великобритания и Содружество наций
15 марта 2021 г., понедельник,
14.45-16.15
На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Красников Александр

1. Spivakov Nikita/ Спиваков Никита

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Features of Papua-New Guinea's regional policy in the context of Bougainville separatist movement/ Особенности региональной политики Папуа-Новой Гвинеи в контексте сепаратистского движения Бугенвиля

There is a big splash in regional conflicts today. Practice shows that often such crises arise as a result of ineffective regional policy of the central government. These problems are especially pronounced in post-colonial countries, which have been for a long time in an extremely difficult economic situation aggravated by the vulnerability of local authorities to the influence of transnational corporations and developed countries. One of these post-colonial countries is Papua New Guinea. The purpose of this analysis is to identify the key mistakes of the government of Papua New Guinea and underline: why they led to a protracted war in 1988-1998. In particular, the study analyzes the problems of economic regulation in Bougainville after the Second World War. In addition, the study touches upon the ethno-political aspect of the separatist movement in the region.

Консультант по английскому языку: Бережных Елена Юрьевна

2. Antonov Roman and Egorov Stanislav/ Антонов Роман и Егоров Станислав

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Trumpism and its influence on the United States of America and world politics/ Трамизм и его влияние на США и мировую политику

We would like to present recent research into the phenomenon of how Donald Trump has revolutionized the world. We can say that a right-wing populist doctrine called «Trumpism» has been formed. As part of our research, we set ourselves the goal of examining the ideological influence of Donald Trump on the US political regime and political leaders around the world. This topic is relevant because we assume that the political and economic crisis of 2020 may force many people to take the path of radicalizing their right-wing views. The research findings will be useful for political forecasting. As the main methods we use the comparative method, methods of studying American political elites and the axiological analysis.

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

3. Golubtsova Darya/ Голубцова Дарья

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Electoral infrastructure cybersecurity: the American case/ Проблема обеспечения кибербезопасности электоральной инфраструктуры США

New information and communication technologies constantly grow in importance in electoral and democratic processes. Such technologies, on the one hand, bring numerous new opportunities, but, on the other, also new threats. The purpose of our study is to analyze the American case of electoral infrastructure protection from cyber threats. Our work is based on an analysis of a wide scope of research of think tanks and US official documents and laws. Thus, nowadays cybersecurity is one of the greatest electoral challenges, and one of the main concerns for the State is to protect electoral system from a wide range of cyber threats.

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

**4. Stalnoy Alexey, Krasnikov Alexander/ Стальной Алексей, Красников Александр
Separatism in the UK: the origins of Scottish nationalism/ Сепаратизм в Великобритании:
первоисток шотландского национализма**

Scottish pursuit for secession was fully extended and shown to the world during the referendum in 2014. However, the ideas of independence in this autonomous region are longstanding and rooted in the history of relations between Scotland and the UK Government. This investigation examines the origins of Scottish separatism. Moreover, we aim to follow the evolution of separatist movement in this region throughout the history and highlight the key factors that influence the growth of support for secession. The relevance of the chosen topic is undeniable, bearing in mind the fact that recent opinion polls show the growing support for secession from the UK among Scottish people. The results of the study will prove beneficial for forecasting and analyzing the situation in the future. The main methods of research are historical institutionalism, sociological method and content analysis.

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

5. Shakirova Adelina/ Шакирова Аделина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

**Veganism in the USA: just a diet or a new ideological movement?/ Веганство в США: диета
или новое идеологическое движение?**

The pandemic of COVID-19 has notably influenced people's accustomed attitude towards their health and lifestyle. To everyone's surprise, the USA, who is thought to be one of the economic and scientific leaders, has become the most Corona-affected country. In conditions of a constant increase in the number of illness cases and medical impotence, American government and ordinary citizens started analyzing the possible reasons of this crisis and figure out how they may help the situation. People have figured out that avoiding the consumption of animal products can be the blessing. It insures protection against getting infected from animals as well as reducing the risk of obesity, diabetes and other diseases. Step by step veganism is becoming more and more popular in the USA and growing up from a small movement into the real ideology with its theoretical basis, specific values, a great mission and symbolism.

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

Секция 5
USA, UK and Commonwealth/
США, Великобритания и Содружество наций
15 марта 2021 г., понедельник,
15.45-17.15
На платформе Zoom

Ведущая: Ланцова Валерия

1. Skritin Alexei/ Хритин Алексей

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The mobilization of 2020-2021 Indian farmers' protests: the role of non-governmental organizations and social media/ Роль общественных организаций и социальных сетей в мобилизации протестов фермеров в Индии в 2020-2021 гг.

At the end of 2020 the world saw a great unrest among Indian farmers who were angry with the new farm laws, which were introduced in the fall of 2020. 250 million protest supporters participated in a huge strike which took place on the 26th of November. It seems to be one of the biggest social movements of the 21st century, however, this event has not had full coverage either in Western or in Russian media. The research aims to investigate the reasons for discontent and examine the means of protest mobilization and organization including the activity of political parties, non-governmental organizations and social media interaction. The research reveals whether Indian farmers' protests have unique national characteristics that are different from other similar social movements in the West or in the post-Soviet states.

Консультант по английскому языку: Мурза Александра Борисовна

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

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Waste management in developed countries: a case study of Canada/ Решение проблемы утилизации отходов в развитых странах на примере Канады

The problem of waste management is crucial in the modern world. Hundreds of tons of rubbish are sent to landfill every day. Simultaneously, people realize that collecting garbage in one place or dumping it into the ocean is not a solution. That encourages people to move to a greener lifestyle in the XXI century. Fortunately, developed countries have already started to implement recycling policies and even achieved some goals. It is Canada that can be considered to be at the forefront. Currently, the level of recycling of all waste in Ottawa is about 50%. In the future, the concept of "do – use – dispose" will change to the so-called waste-free economy. The research is devoted to the analysis of the Canadian waste-free economy's principles and alternative ways of recycling waste that do not harm the environment.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

3. Pernikov Vladislav, Zelenova Vladislava/ Перников Владислав, Зеленова Владислава

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The American phenomenon of "Cancel Culture" as an aspect of modern emotional climate formation/ Американский феномен «культуры отмены» как аспект формирования современного эмоционального климата

The social phenomenon of "cancel culture" is considered to be a relatively new phenomenon. The essence of this trend lies in the public reprobation of a single person. As a modern form of the ancient tradition of ostracism, the supporters of "cancel culture" believe that every person that acts inappropriately in the eyes of the masses must be "deleted" from the media space. As a result, the population is constantly focused on negative emotions. Being the cause of social disintegration,

“cancel culture” is related to the humanitarian problems that the Western world is facing these days. The research aims to analyze the different views on the issue.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

4. Sanaya Tamar, Kovalenko Maria/ Саная Тамар, Коваленко Мария

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

An analysis of current environmental issues of New Zealand/ Анализ существующих экологических проблем в Новой Зеландии

Over the past few years, the agricultural sector in New Zealand has faced a number of environmental problems that have prevented the country from promoting sustainable development. With ecosystems destroying fast, there has been a considerable reduction in animal industry. The analysis outlines such factors as the lack of fresh water, soil degradation and uncontrolled disappearance of some plants and species as well as the attempts of the government to solve these burning problems. The study was based on the data of the sociological survey conducted in 2019. Some possible ways of improving this situation were offered.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

5. Solonenko Alexandra, Bachinskaya Anna/ Солоненко Александра, Бачинская Анна

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

An analysis of the influence of the British royal family on Britain’s domestic policy in the 21st century/ Анализ влияния Британской королевской семьи на внутреннюю политику Великобритании в 21 веке

The research is devoted to a thorough analysis of the role of the British royal family in the political life of the UK. The British monarchy is considered to undergo certain transformations due to a number of political and other challenges at the end of the 20th century. Although the members of the royal family have to stay politically neutral, they still have an impact on Britain’s internal policy. The research confirms this hypothesis by providing some vivid evidence with respect to indirect British royal family’s influence on the domestic policy-making process.

Консультант по английскому языку: Шмараева Анастасия Александровна

6. Sukiasyan Daniil/ Сукиасян Даниил

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

An analysis of linguistic purism in English/ Анализ феномена лингвистического пуризма на примере английского языка

The English language, in its widest historical context, has never really been a pure language, not in the way that most European languages were. Now, this is generally accepted that contemporary English is the result of natural historical progression. However, over the last few centuries, and especially recently, certain intellectuals have called for a purification of English, to various degrees depending on the specific theorist. The history of English contains a lot of examples of various attempts to rid the language of all foreign influences and return to its Germanic roots, in a sort of linguistic nationalism. Linguistic purism has a variety of interpretations depending on the methods and expected results. This study considers various attempts to replace foreign words and not to let new words enter the language.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

Секция 6
USA, UK, Canada/ США, Великобритания, Канада
15 марта 2021 г., понедельник,
16.30-18.00
На платформе Zoom

Ведущая: Шаройченко Наталия

1. Arzhanov Igor/ Аржанов Игорь

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

An analysis of the recent political rivalry in the Arctic region: the role of the United States and its NATO allies in the confrontation with Russia and China in the Arctic/ Анализ политического соперничества в Арктике сегодня: роль США и их союзников по НАТО в конфронтации с Россией и Китаем в Арктике

In his research the author presents convincing arguments as to why the Arctic region is one of the cornerstones of world politics. Many leading states and international organizations pay more and more attention to the Arctic. At the beginning of the 21st century, the Arctic was a region of unique and transparent cooperation. Nevertheless, today it is becoming an arena of rivalry between world powers. A comparative analysis of various scientific works and practical examples of countries' actions made it possible to highlight a number of significant challenges for the Arctic. The author identifies five key factors and trends: the discovery of huge deposits of oil and gas, the issue of rapid climate change, military-political tensions, international legal aspects and territorial disputes, Russia's return to the region and the growing interest of non-Arctic actors. The study emphasizes that the geopolitical position, as well as huge natural resources potential and the economic importance of the Arctic determined its status as a region of special strategic interests of the world's leading countries in the 21st century.

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

2. Bodrov Andrey/ Бодров Андрей

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Trends in Russian and American state and economy digitalization: a comparative analysis/ Тренды в российской и американской версиях цифровизации государства и экономики: сравнительный анализ

The process of transition of the world economy to the digital format marked the approach of a new industrial revolution. "Big data", artificial intelligence, blockchain - these terms are included in our lives. But what is the difference between the process of digitalization of the state and business in Russia and the United States? For the analysis, legislative acts and research in this area in Russia and USA were taken. The results showed that the US focuses on supporting business (including small business). In Russia, major attention is paid to the development of public services to provide services to the population with the involvement of business. That, in the first place, sets the trend for creating opportunities for self-digitalization of business, international expansion of US in the field of digital economy, and secondly on the prevailing role of the state, the establishment of e-government and the provision of public services involving business. Here the image of each of the countries is manifested. The research also describes possible forecasts for the further development of such a process in the future.

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

3. Lazarev Alexey/ Лазарев Алексей

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Deepfakes as tools for shaping political images on the Internet/ Дипфейки как инструмент формирования политических образов в сети Интернет

Deepfakes are perceived as a powerful form of disinformation. Deepfakes can be defined as synthetic auditory or visual media developed using deep learning, a subfield of machine learning, that appear to be authentic and are often created with the intent of deceiving audiences. Synthetically generated media widely varies in technical sophistication and application, ranging from low quality “cheap fakes” to more high quality “deepfakes,” and has the ability to challenge and influence perceptions of reality. Deepfakes have been used to spread disinformation and misinformation about public officials and political issues, and develop amateur entertainment on social media applications. While experts disagree over the challenges that deep fakes pose for society, there is growing general concern over how deepfakes contribute to the evolution of the internet disinformation age. Certain experts have even sounded the alarm, declaring deepfakes a “looming crisis in national security, democracy, and privacy.”

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

4. Lebedeva Ekaterina/ Лебедева Екатерина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Manifestations of the political mentality of the British and their political subjectivity/ Проявления политического менталитета англичан и их политическая субъектность

Great Britain is a cultural and civilizational phenomenon, whose unique character is represented in the British political mentality as a way of understanding modern problems of world politics. Britain influences the world's politics through a system of Protestant values, the succession of elites, a special system of law, financial strategies, intelligence, and globalization of English and humanitarian technologies. Britain has been a political super-subject in the context of its centuries-long history. The research examines the references of the political mentalization of the British elites, the main factors of the political mentalization of Great Britain, which allowed the country to become a systemic super-subject of global politics. In preparing the work, the author mainly relied on the theoretical and methodological research into political entities.

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

5. Sharoichenko Nataliia/ Шаройченко Наталия

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The construction of a Russian Threat narrative in Europe: a case study of the British, French and German Governments (2016-2020)/ Формирование нарратива российской угрозы в Европе на примере правительств Великобритании, Франции и Германии (2016-2020 гг.)

Since the approval of the EU Global Strategy (2016), Russia has been perceived as one of the most serious threats to the European security. This study aims to explore the construction of the narrative of threat from Russia by three influential member-states – France, Germany and the UK. The research is based on the theory of constructivism, case-by-case analysis of official documents and media sources, discourse and comparative political analysis. The study confirmed the findings about varying approaches of the European states to Russia as a threat depending on their history of political and economic relations and sociopolitical factors.

Консультанты по английскому языку: Дзгоева Ольга Муратовна, Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

6. Utekoва Zaru/ Утекова Зару

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Research in Indian English and its regional specifics/ Исследование индийского английского языка и его региональных особенностей

Currently, the formation of new varieties of the English language is taking place in the world, one of them is Indian English. This research is devoted to the research into specific features of Indian English as a special kind of English. Also this research explores the political events that influenced the development of Indian English as a whole. Indeed, today we can say with confidence that this topic is relevant because it has an important place on the political agenda of India, determining the course of development of the country's domestic and foreign policy. Moreover, Indian English plays the role of a mediator for communication between the various ethnicities of this country. In addition, it plays an important role in maintaining the position of India as one of the centers of world civilization and culture during many centuries. The practical part of the research is based on the historical method, as well as the results of comparative and system analysis. In spite of the substantial amount of critical work in this field by various researchers, this issue still requires close attention. Over the past year the political and social situation in Great Britain has deteriorated badly. It will not be an exaggeration to say that the COVID-19 pandemic has affected all spheres of public life, but first of all it has affected the demographic situation in the country. To make things worse, the country terminated its membership in the European Union, which caused a lot of problems for ordinary people. During the COVID-19 pandemic, which coincided with the completion of the Brexit procedure, the United Kingdom population fell by more than 1.3 million people according to the Economic Statistics Centre of Excellence (ESCoE). The work attempts to analyze the most important effects of these factors for further development of the country.

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

Секция 7
UK, India, Pakistan, Singapore, Australia/
Великобритания, Индия, Пакистан, Сингапур, Австралия
16 марта 2021 г., вторник,
13.00-14.30
На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Бычкова Валерия, Шеремето Анастасия

1. Chernopyatova Sofya/ Чернопятова Софья

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The phenomenon of "Pink saris": Indian women's opposition to discrimination/ Феномен "Розовых сари". Как женщины Индии выступают против дискриминации

The "Gulabi Gang" or the "Pink Gang" is the most prominent and largest organization in India fighting for women's rights in the caste state. Having been formed in 2005, today it includes 250 thousand people and operates in one of the poorest States of Northern India, Bundelkhand. While Indian authorities refuse to take part in regulating the issue of women's rights, the "Pink Saris" participants, armed with traditional battle staffs lakri, are fighting not only against female oppression, but also against caste discrimination, local corruption and other causes. The goal of the study is to analyse how a self-organized gang from the North of India could become a real pressure group and a real socio-political force.

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

2. Erikhanov Zurab, Iiukhina/ Ериханов Зураб, Илюхина Александра

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The effectiveness of the Animal Welfare programme in Australia: a critical analysis/ Эффективность правительственной программы по защите животных в Австралии: критический анализ

In Australia state and territory governments are responsible for animal protection, welfare laws and their enforcement. The states and territories set and enforce animal welfare standards through administration of state legislation for animal welfare or the prevention of animal cruelty. In our research we would like to highlight the main aspects of animal welfare in Australia that distinguish this country from a number of other countries in the English-speaking world. Australia has a special animal protection and care system which makes this country unique. There are a lot of different laws and official organisations creating welfare legislation in the country. The aim of our analysis is to see how all the parts of the system work today and what makes them special.

Консультант по английскому языку: Дзгоева Ольга Муратовна

3. Pinkina Valeria/ Пинкина Валерия

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The trend in UK migration policy in 21st century/ Тенденция миграционной политики Великобритании в XXI веке

The proposed research investigates the UK's migration policy from 2000 to 2020. The main goals of the work are to consider the evolution of migration in the selected period and track the actions of the state in terms of regulating migration policy. The relevance of the issue in question can be much explained by the numerous migration flows within the country. The purpose of this work is to review the process of migration policy in the specified time period, as well as to conduct a critical analysis in order to make a general assessment of the processes under study.

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

4. Geraskin Iia/ Гераскин Илья

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Smart nation: Singapore's digitalization project as the main global hi-tech utopia/ Smart nation: проект цифровизации Сингапура как главная мировая hi-tech-утопия

Singapore's rapid development along the path of innovation attracts attention and is unusually impressive: over the past three decades, Singapore has transformed from an underdeveloped island city-state into one of the most competitive and dynamic states in the world – the Asian “Silicon Valley”, a smart city-state, whose government in 2014 officially set the course for building a “Smart Nation”. The creators of the “Smart Nation” initiative are planning to turn the city into a “living laboratory” – a testing ground for technological solutions to urban problems. One of the initiative's main tasks is to simplify the life of the city dwellers. This study is devoted to the phenomenon of Singapore's digital transformation as a unique global project for the direct implementation of high technologies into the citizens' lives. This research considers the main aspects of the state economic and investment policy, political regime and geopolitical strategy through the prism of a large-scale innovation process. Furthermore, the study analyzes the legal, informational and lobbying basis for the implementation of advanced transformations in security, urban planning, healthcare, transport infrastructure spheres, and other spheres. This research explores the practice of using internal control mechanisms as a prerequisite for digitalization, criticizes the “city of the future” concept in connection with the topical risks of disclosing confidential citizens' data and draws attention to the contradictions between the world democratic indices and public opinion polls on trust in government, thereby generating a scientific discourse regarding the value guidelines of modern digital recipients.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

5. Kapsha Valeriya/ Капша Валерия

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The issue of child marriage in Pakistan/ Проблема детских браков в Пакистане

The issue of child marriage exists in many countries. Early marriage deprives girls of their childhood and threatens their lives and health. Girls who marry before 18 are more likely to experience domestic violence and less likely to remain in school. One of the most affected countries is Pakistan, which has the sixth highest absolute number of women married or in a union before the age of 18 in the world – 1,821,000. In this study statistical data is provided on this issue, as well as the main difficulties facing the girls who are married before the age of 18 are discussed. The aim of the study is also to provide information on solving this problem based on both the experience of Pakistan and the experience of other countries.

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

6. Khatkevich Alexandra/ Хаткевич Александра

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Science diplomacy in the context of Australia's foreign policy/ Научная дипломатия в контексте внешней политики Австралии

The purpose of this research is to reveal the place of science diplomacy in the context of Australia's foreign policy. The relevance of the topic is related to the tendencies of the emergence and conceptualization of new diplomacy types. This study considers the experience of science diplomacy implementation by a certain country and allows for exploring existing mechanisms and institutions of this process. The concept of science diplomacy, its dimensions and forms are considered in the research. The history of science diplomacy penetration into the foreign policy practice of the country, as well as political and legal foundations of modern Australia's science diplomacy are analyzed. The information about interaction formats, organizations connected with Australia's science diplomacy realm is systematized. The relevance of the research is conditioned

by the separate consideration of each dimension of Australia's science diplomacy and by the use of several different approaches to evaluate the role of science diplomacy in Australia's foreign policy activities and its representation on the world arena.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

7. Khurtin Alexander/ Хуртин Александр

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Global ageing: a comparative analysis of Great Britain, India, Canada, Japan and Russia/ Глобальное старение населения: сравнительный анализ ситуации в Великобритании, Индии, Канаде, Японии и России

Global ageing – which is defined as an increase of elder population in terms of population proportions – is currently a pressing issue for developed countries. Ageing may cause many problems in both social and economic realms. Moreover, being just the tip of the iceberg, population ageing can also affect the very existence of a nation and country. Therefore, this study focuses on comparing countries such as the UK, India, Canada, Russia and Japan in order to identify and analyze the reasons for this problem and compare the relevant features of each country in question. The research considers and aims to explain the influence of socio-economic factors on the median age of the population. In addition, it proposes some possible solutions to the demographic problem.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

**Секция 8
USA/ США
16 марта 2021 г., вторник,
14.45-16.15
На платформе Zoom**

Ведущие: Бычкова Валерия, Шеремето Анастасия

1. Balashova Ekaterina, Strelnikova Viktoria/ Балашова Екатерина, Стрельникова Виктория

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Development of solar energy in the United States of America: historical, economic, ecological and social aspects/ Развитие солнечной энергетики в Соединенных Штатах Америки: исторические, экономические, экологические и социальные аспекты

The purpose of this study is to draw the attention of the academic and student community to the development of solar energy in one of the English-speaking countries and to analyse this development from different – historical, economic, ecological and social – angles. The United States of America was chosen for the study, since this state has the greatest influence on the world's ecological and economical network. Studying the development of solar energy is important in modern society, as now the world community is trying to find new ways to protect the environment. We may argue that in the energy development sector solar energy can become one of the most environmentally friendly methods of generating electricity. In fact, solar energy is not as 'clean' as the manufacturers of solar panels and the owners of solar power plants are trying to present it, but this technology seems to be superior in its environmental friendliness to all existing analogues.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

2. Bychkova Valeriya/ Бычкова Валерия

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The US governmental protection programs of migrants from domestic violence: a critical analysis/ Государственные программы защиты мигрантов от домашнего насилия в США: критический анализ

The issue of domestic violence has become more relevant and pressing during the COVID-19 lockdown. A lot of people are staying at home, so the victim is forced to spend more time with the aggressive abuser. In this case, one of the most vulnerable groups is dependable migrants. They usually don't have legal status because they immigrated using their spouse's visa. They are afraid of deportation, so they don't call the police. However, the USA government has a regulatory framework that gives migrants a right to be safe. This research aims to show the means used to protect migrants and analyse their effectiveness.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

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

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Construction of World War II historical worldview: a case study of the US videogame industry/ Формирование исторического мировоззрения на Вторую мировую войну на примере американской индустрии производителей видеоигр

The tragic events of the Second World War have become part of the personal experience of millions of people. The relevance of the study is explained by the growing trend of misinterpreting the events of that period in favour of some countries, which leads to gradual distortion of the memory of war in the mass consciousness. The authors of the study investigate the role of the media, education, cinema and social networks with special attention to computer games industry

in shaping the historical and cultural world outlook. The conclusion drawn from the study indicates, that thanks to the beautiful picture, music and sound, a single storyline, the player, with the background of emotions and special atmosphere of the game, the consumer perceives the events described as if they were real. Reaching a wide audience, video games along with school history textbooks, have become the main tool for shaping the past.

Консультанты по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна, Дзгоева Ольга Муратовна

4. Koziakova Anastasia/ Козьякова Анастасия

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

A comparative analysis of the stability of political institutions in the USA during 2020/ Сравнительный анализ стабильности политических институтов в США в течение 2020 года

2020 was saturated with different events which largely changed the political climate in the world. The USA was one of the countries which suffered most. Scientists have been attempting to assess this with a comparative analysis of political institutions. The national identity crisis and aggressive confrontation between main parties (for example some troubles during Biden's inauguration) shook the stability of political institutions such as the institution of presidency. This research sets the goal to explain the changes within American political system that the year 2020 has brought about.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

5. Volkova Alexandra, Ponomareva Anna/ Волкова Александра, Понамарёва Анна

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

An analysis of the ecological activists' movement: Hollywood actors stand up for environment/ Анализ экологического движения активистов: актёры Голливуда встают на защиту окружающей среды

The lives of people are inextricably intertwined with the environment. Continuing assault on the environment requires close attention and determined efforts to prevent nature's destruction. In this situation a significant role has been played by Hollywood actors. They promote environmental sensibility and protective conduct amongst society and attract caring people to protect Nature and its resources. Stars organise a variety of ecological measures in order to improve the ecological situation in the world. They create environmental foundations, call to stop using products made of natural leather and fur and later on bolster it with their own examples. A great part of these outputs aims at the preservation of nature for the benefit of the present and future generations.

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

Секция 9
USA, Canada, UK and Commonwealth/
США, Канада, Великобритания и Содружество наций
16 марта 2021 г., вторник,
16.30-18.00
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Ведущий: Бондарь Полина

1. Bondar Polina/ Бондарь Полина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The UK migration policy: post-Brexit changes/ Миграционная политика Великобритании: изменения после Брексита

Brexit (the UK's exit from the European Union) is the issue that has caused much controversy over the past 5 years and which cannot be completed to this day. This controversial process has led to significant population migration. Migrants, who arrived from European countries and settled in Britain, began to leave it rapidly. The purpose of this study is to trace the evolution of the conceptual foundations of the British migration policy and its practical implementation from the beginning of the 21st century to the present day. This research examines the situation with migrants before and after Brexit, compares the number of emigrants and immigrants, and tentatively forecasts to what consequences this may lead. The research concludes that the British approach to migration control was stricter than in many EU countries before Brexit and was even tightened in connection with it, as the government feared that mass immigration from the EU could destabilize the labour market and leave British citizens out of work. To summarize, it can be argued that Brexit has negatively affected the migration processes in the UK, as there was a 'flight' of qualified personnel and an 'outflow of minds' to European countries, accompanied with the destruction of families. In future, this may lead to problems that England has never faced before.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

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

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Historical background of the gender situation in the political sphere of Canada/ Исторические предпосылки гендерной ситуации в политической сфере Канады

At present gender issues have received wide publicity in the modern society. Increasingly, there are movements that seek to implement full-fledged social equality. This work is aimed at studying the gender situation in Canada in terms of women's political participation. The authors pay special attention to the historical prerequisites of the current system in Canada and the meaning of gender stereotypes in the formation of social inequality. As a result of the study, the knowledge gained about the relatively successful experience of Canada can be used to solve the problem of gender disparity in the political sphere of Russia.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

3. Morozova Darya/ Морозова Дарья

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Representation of women in politics: a comparative analysis of Great Britain and the Russian Federation/ Представленность женщин в политике: сравнительный анализ Великобритании и Российской Федерации

For a long time women were not allowed to participate in any kind of political events, vote or be elected. It only changed at the beginning of the twentieth century when women received their political rights and started to use them. Nowadays, only one century after this important event, we already have some brilliant examples of women-politicians. In this study, I consider and compare

the personalities and political careers of the most famous and honorable women, who played an important role in the politics of Great Britain and the Russian Federation, including women-politicians from the USSR. I also analyze the problems that women face in the world of politics even today and try to identify the reasons for them.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

4. Sadjaya Luka/ Саджая Лука

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

A comparative analysis of the Arctic routes of Russia and Canada/ Сравнительный анализ арктических путей России и Канады

Ecology has become one of the most discussed topics of our time. Every year, humanity records the decrease in Arctic ice that can in turn increase the global sea level. On the other hand, this process opens up new opportunities for humanity in Arctic exploration. The positive consequences of the ice melting in the Arctic are increased attention to the region's development and the implementation of large projects. Such projects include the Northern Sea Route and the Northwest Passage. Despite the strategic location of these routes, they are not used to their full potential now. The purpose of my study is to compare these routes according to various criteria and to identify which one is more promising for the global economy.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

5. Simon Alexandre/ Симон Александр

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Political features of the African part of Commonwealth: the case of Eswatini/ Политические особенности Африканских представителей Содружества: Королевство Эсватини

The Kingdom of Eswatini as the unique absolute monarchy of the African continent is not as specific as it may seem. Its authoritarian political system indeed has no particular differences with the majority of sub-Saharan African so-called democratic regimes and seems to be characterized by foreign policy ambiguity, uncertain intern political course and a lack of competence of elected rulers. Thus, using the Eswatini's autocracy as an example, this study analyzes the political culture of African countries in general and African Commonwealth representatives in particular, and compares the realities of these regimes with the Commonwealth principles.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

6. Nekhlopochina Olesya, Nikolashina Lilia/ Нехлопочина Олеся, Николашина Лилия

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Crime has not been quarantined: how has the pandemic affected the increase in crime rates in the UK?/ Преступность не брала карантин: как пандемия повлияла на рост преступности в Великобритании?

After the first wave of the pandemic in the world, the UK also made it to the lists of countries that fixed record daily infection rates. After the quarantine was announced, people's lives were literally divided into before and after. There have been far-reaching changes in public consciousness, which led to a change in crime rates in this country. The pandemic, on the one hand, has lowered the level of street crimes, murders, thefts and robberies, and on the other hand, the number of victims of domestic violence has increased and cybercrimes have become more frequent. We see an obvious skew towards so-called offline crimes, as the Internet environment has become a convenient platform for various frauds. In our study, we address the issue of the rise in crime in the UK during the pandemic and analyze the effect it has had on the lives of people and the policies in the country. This study can turn people's attention to this problem and give or even revise our forecasts for the crime rate in 2021-2022, considering the statistics.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

Секция 10
USA/ США
18 марта 2021 г., четверг,
09.00-10.30
На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Карасева Элина, Роговец Роман

1. Aleshina Ekaterina/ Алёшина Екатерина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Political technologies used by Barack Obama's team in the US presidential election: an analysis of the role of political image in electoral campaigns/ Политические технологии, используемые командой Барака Обамы на выборах президента США: анализ роли политического имиджа в избирательной кампании

Political technologies and their quality are a burning issue not only in political science, but also in the life of society. The political image of an electoral candidate plays an important role in electoral success and has a direct impact on further career development, laying the foundation for public acceptance, support and promotion. In this research, I analyse the political technologies used in the election campaign of the US presidential candidate Barack Obama and examine his political image, highlighting its most characteristic features and peculiarities. In addition to the analysis of the election process, I also focus on the current image of the politician and the attitude of citizens towards him. Generally, the way of conducting this election campaign was innovative, and the image of the politician formed in this period was very different from what the public was used to previously.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

2. Anischenko Maria/ Анищенко Мария

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Gender discrimination in the US and Russian labour market: a comparative analysis/ Гендерная дискриминация на рынке труда США и России: сравнительный анализ

Gender discrimination is one of the current global problems and its elimination is an important step towards ensuring gender egalitarianism in labor relations and improving people's living standards. At the moment, only a few European countries have fully achieved gender equality, which means this issue is still highly relevant. Taken as a whole, the topic includes various manifestations of gender inequality, though in this study I consider the issue of gender inequality in the labour sphere and, in this regard, compare the current situation in the USA and Russia. This presentation studies the gender-related conditions in the labor market in the two countries and analyzes the 2020 data on the preference of employers in choosing employees for certain positions. The purpose of the study is to reveal how this problem manifests itself in both countries and to compare the level of gender inequality in the labor sphere of the USA and Russia.

Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

3. Dolgushina Liubov/ Долгушина Любовь

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Cancel culture in politics: the case of Donald Trump/ Культура отмены в политике: кейс Дональда Трампа

Over the past few years, cancel culture has become a phenomenon emerging in the American culture as well as in the Western world. Cancel culture is basically the movement that implies abolition of any kind of support for people who said or done something intolerant or unacceptable. This trend has recently been actively applied to celebrities. However, not so long ago Donald Trump, a major political figure, became one of the 'victims' of cancel culture. The US President's

accounts were blocked on the social media, thus greatly influencing his political career. Therefore, the purpose of this study is to analyse advantages and disadvantages of the cancel culture phenomenon by using the example of Donald Trump over the period of the pre- and post-election time, and also to examine the consequences for Trump's reputation because of this "cancelation".
Консультант по английскому языку: Яковлева Ирина Олеговна

4. Isaeva Karina/ Исаева Карина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Benefits and drawbacks of soft power: a case study of modern US politics/ Преимущества и недостатки политики мягкой силы на примере современной политики США

The study is devoted to one of the international issues of major importance - the U.S. "soft power" and its influence on the modern system of international relations. The work reveals the very concept of "soft power" (introduced by Joseph Nye) in contradiction to the 'hard' and 'smart' ones, sheds light on the ways the United States influence the world order through cultural and ideological values, educational system and exchange programs, information channels and public diplomacy. The work analyses how 'the ability to get what you want from others through attraction and persuasion' has recently manifested itself in the United States to varying degrees and gives some vivid examples of the benefits of such tactics. The study also touches on the theme of the correlation between the growth of the US authority and the strengthening of NATO.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

5. Tkachenko Anastasia/ Ткаченко Анастасия

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The role of US political PR in the context of Barack Obama election campaign in 2008/ Роль политического пиара на примере предвыборной кампании Барака Обамы в 2008 году

The study is aimed at explaining the stunning Barack Obama's success in the presidential election in 2008. It demonstrates a new viewpoint on the political campaign of the 44th president of the United States of America. The main purpose of the research is to find out and analyze the reasons and methods used by PR specialists to increase the support of the Democratic candidate. By means of theoretical methods the study of media records and scientific articles was conducted with the purpose to analyse the PR campaign of Barack Obama. The results of the study reveal the correlation of the victory with a lot of PR work in social networks and the media. Summing up the results, it can be concluded that the model of the political campaign of the 44th US president in 2008 is one of the most successful communication strategies in the world and deserves a special attention.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

6. Roman Rogovets/ Роговец Роман

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Censorship influence on US domestic politics: a critical study/ Влияние цензуры на внутреннюю политику США: критический анализ

Modern reality is much characterized by the Internet and social networks affecting all spheres of human life. Earlier this year, an unprecedented incident occurred in the United States: Donald Trump became the first president in the history of the country who can start a nuclear war but cannot publish a tweet. American Tech Giants have grown so much that they can silence the most influential people in the world and set the agenda themselves. The research is done for the purpose to trace the impact of censorship on the domestic political situation in the USA.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

Секция 11
УК/ Великобритания
18 марта 2021 г., четверг,
10.45-12.15
На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Гавриш Дарья, Колычев Ян

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

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Political aspect of “The Troubles”: Northern Ireland conflict in the 21st century // Политический аспект «Смуты»: конфликт в Северной Ирландии в XXI веке

Since the notorious Irish War of Independence (1919-21) and the following Irish Civil War (1922-23), the position of Northern Ireland as a political unit has grown unclear and fragile. Throughout the 20th century many factors have influenced and altered the troubling situation in this part of the world, thus introducing the name of “The Troubles” as a wholesome notion including the issues that Northern Ireland has faced during this period in terms of political setting. Due to the longtime political instability of Northern Ireland, the land currently undergoes major external impact, such as American policy towards Europe, performed by newly elected Joe Biden, controversial relations with Ireland and the consequences of prominent Brexit. Understanding the complex of factors that affect the present development of “The Troubles” and the integral influence of these political forces might lead to the profound comprehension of prospects of further evolution and possible regulation of Northern Ireland conflict.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

2. Karpenko Maria, Zavgorodnyaya Anna/ Карпенко Мария, Завгородняя Анна

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The comparative aspect of historical and modern role of the British monarch in the political sphere/ Сравнительный аспект исторической и современной роли британского монарха в политической сфере

The research is aimed at explaining the historical role of monarchy and its transformation in the British political system these days. The main purpose of the study is to define the role of the Crown and to conclude whenever the monarch still has an indispensable part in the modern United Kingdom. On the basis of historical sources and scientific articles the authors use various methods to analyse, compare and classify particular features pertaining to the figure of monarch throughout the British history. It has been found that the sovereign has become a symbol of the country. Summing up the results, it can be concluded that the role of the monarch in the United Kingdom is still relevant and worth a thorough research, as it reflects the national idea and culture of the country.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

3. Kolychev Yan/ Колычев Ян

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Francis Bacon’s theory of the “ideal state”: a critical analysis/ Теория построения «идеального государства» в трудах английского философа Ф. Бэкона

The problem of the “ideal state” will always be relevant: it does not depend on a country, situation and other conditions of living – people are permanently prone to demand for the better. Francis Bacon represents his view on the “ideal state” in his “The New Atlantis”. Precisely, the author gives a particular example of people’s interaction in it, how it is constructed and where it is aimed at. The main question of the topic is to jump to the conclusion and decide whether it can be applied

to modern life, or it is too late to change something, thus, today's world has its unique way of development.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

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

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Indo-Pakistani relations in the context of the British Commonwealth of Nations/ Индо-Пакистанские отношения в контексте Британского содружества наций

Since 1947, Indo-Pakistani relations have troubled the minds of experts in the field of international relations, being strained due to a number of historical, religious and political issues. A lot of research has been done in this area. Since both countries are nuclear powers, we cannot but worry about the possible prospect of aggravation of the situation in this region. This political work reflects all the ethno-cultural and geopolitical reasons, features and possible ways of developing the already tense conflict between the two states of the British Commonwealth of Nations.

Консультант по английскому языку: Сергиенко Полина Игоревна

5. Skorikova Elizaveta, Khovrina Margarita / Скорикова Елизавета, Ховрина Маргарита

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The Irish National Liberation Revolution and the Civil War of 1919-23 in a comparative historical context/ Ирландская национально-освободительная революция и гражданская война 1919-23 гг. в сравнительно-историческом контексте

The research is devoted to the comparative historical analysis of the national liberation revolution and the Civil War of 1919-23 in Ireland and the revolutions and the Civil War in Russia of 1917-1922. The paper analyses the main factors that became the causes and prerequisites of these events, and later influenced their course and outcome. The analysis of the actions of the main actors of this period is carried out, and the level and features of the economy, social structure, and political situation in the countries under consideration are highlighted. As a result, the general and specific features of the Irish Revolution and the Civil War are revealed in comparison with the revolutions and the Civil War in the Russian Empire.

Консультант по английскому языку: Криштоф Елена Михайловна

Секция 12
USA, UK and Commonwealth/
США, Великобритания и Содружество наций
19 марта 2021 г., пятница,
09.00-10.30
На платформе Zoom

Ведущая: Баранова Алина

1. Dunaeva Eva, Larionova Valeria/ Дунаева Ева, Ларионова Валерия

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Changes in the US labor market during and after the pandemic/ Изменение рынка труда в США во время и после пандемии

Over the last few years, no event has had such a great influence on economic and social development in many countries as the coronavirus pandemic in 2020. The youngest workers saw the biggest decline in employment, with 35 % of workers 20-24 years old losing their jobs. The lowest-earning occupations were hit the hardest by the pandemic, while graduates experienced unprecedented difficulties with employment. Not the least important of these facts was the record level of inflation that led many low-income households in a precarious position and statistics proves it convincingly. The coronavirus pandemic was spreading rapidly, so the research shows the fluctuations of labor market during that difficult time (from March 2020 to January 2020). Special attention was given to the current state of labor market.

Консультант по английскому языку: Евгений Михайлович Перцев

2. Starovoytov Pavel, Budaragina Ludmila/ Старовойтов Павел, Бударagina Людмила

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The impact of COVID-19 pandemic on American transnational corporations/ Анализ влияния пандемии COVID-19 на деятельность американских транснациональных корпораций

The study aims to estimate to what extent the coronavirus outbreak changed the activities of American transnational corporations from December 2019 to March 2020. Some corporations increased their profits considerably, for example, Netflix stocks went up by 70 % and Vir Biotechnology saw its stocks increase by 60 % whereas other corporations saw decline in profits, for example, American Airlines Group stocks decreased by 10 % and Pfizer stocks fell by 12 %. The pandemic seems to have reshaped the pyramid of international economic structure. The situation with other American transnational corporations was also analyzed.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

3. Tashkenova Diana, Peresyupkina Olesya/ Ташкенова Диана, Пересыпкина Олеся

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

E-government as one of the main elements of inclusive governance: a case study of Canada/ Электронное правительство как один из главных элементов построения открытого государственного управления на примере Канады

An e-government involves using information and communication technology to improve daily activities, to address new challenges and resolve current problems. There are three main models of e-government construction: American, European and Asian. The study examines the work of e-government in Canada, because, firstly, Canada is one of the world leaders in this field, and secondly, our countries have much in common: vast territory, natural resources, long distances, low population density.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

4. Volkova Katerina, Nikolaeva Anastasia/ Волкова Катерина, Николаева Анастасия

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Challenges to interpersonal communication as a result of self-isolation: a case-study of Great Britain/ Проблемы межличностных контактов как результат самоизоляции на примере Великобритании

It is needless to say that one-year long self-isolation has affected people all over the world, including Great Britain. As the human and economic toll of the pandemic mounted, people found it difficult to socialize. People had to adapt to new reality. The absence of social contacts led to a variety of depressions, anxiety and stress. Some people grew familiar with new surroundings trying to find new forms of making contacts, while others gave way to despair. The study analyses some social problems that arose during the pandemic in Great Britain as well as the steps that have been taken by the government to minimize them.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

5. Egorova Maria, Ryabokon Anton/ Егорова Мария, Рябоконт Антон

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The relevance of John Stuart Mill's ideas in our time/ Актуальность идей Дж. С. Милля в наше время

With democratic and liberal tendencies taking over the world, it is essential that people be familiar with how liberty should be understood. The 19th century English philosopher John Stuart Mill provides an elaborate work *On Liberty* in which he sets out to investigate, in his words: "the nature and limits of the power which can be legitimately exercised by society over the individual". As political systems and institutions change and develop, more challenges to preserving people's rights and freedoms might appear. The analysis of Mill's ideas provides a framework with which we can understand the way society and individuals can interact for mutual benefit.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

Секция 13
USA, UK and Commonwealth/
США, Великобритания и Содружество наций
19 марта 2021 г., пятница,
13.00-14.30
На платформе Zoom

Ведущая: Ренева Ксения

1. Aitbay Amira/ Айтбай Амира

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

An analysis of Satyagraha: how to influence an enemy through truth, non-violence, constructive service, and renunciation/ Сатьяграха: воздействие на врага через истину, ненасилие, созидательное служение и отречение

Throughout history, the people of India had fought against oppressors, and almost always this meant turning «to the axe». However, in the 20th century, Mohandas Gandhi offered another way of encountering freedom and dignity – Satyagraha. Satyagraha was invented in India while it was a British colony. It is the concept of “firmness in the truth”, the strength of the spirit and inner confidence in one’s rightness, which is opposed to violence in any of its manifestations. Satyagraha identifies in two forms: not cooperation and civil disobedience. The goal of Satyagraha is to turn a rival into an ally or friend because appealing to conscience is more effective than threats and violence. It is important to point out that since Gandhi’s time the system of non-violence has been successfully used in many countries.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

2. Autelli Jean-Michel/ Отелли Жан-Мишель

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The role of legal mechanisms and procedures in ensuring constitutionality of political processes in the United States in the light of the latest presidential elections/ Роль правовых механизмов и процедур в обеспечении конституционности политических процессов в Соединённых Штатах Америки в свете последних президентских выборов

In the era of a new type of mass media and the predominance of direct communication there are some political adventurers who abuse modern democratic norms in order to increase their influence in politics and gain power. The question democratically minded people care most about in such cases is how society can stop individuals, especially populists, radicals from that kind of abuses? Which rules and ensuring mechanisms should people use to be sure that no one will be able to encroach on the foundations of democracy, human rights and freedom? The analysis is concerned with the question whether legal mechanisms and procedures will help resolve problems American people have not faced before, especially in the light of the latest presidential elections.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

3. Gluhovtsev Grigory/ Глуховцев Григорий

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Riots in the USA in the summer of 2020 as trigger events of a political crisis/ Беспорядки в США летом 2020 как преддверие политического кризиса

The murder of George Floyd lay bare striking contradictions in American society and caused a strong response in the country. A wave of protests covered almost the entire territory of the United States of America. The study focuses on political and social problems that triggered mass protests against police brutality. The country faces a multitude of current overlapping risks – from police abuse and racial injustice to pandemic-related unrest. It is pointed out that these events exacerbated increasing polarization in society. In fact, the government and law enforcement agencies lost

control of the situation. This was a major blow to the stability of the country. The country seemed to have plunged into anarchy.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

4. Kizyakovskiy Georgiy/ Кизяковский Георгий

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Causes, phases and consequences of social revolutions: a case study of the English Revolution/ Причины, этапы и последствия социальных революций (на примере Английской революции)

History aims to examine typical development patterns of different countries. The goal of this research is to explain the phenomenon of revolution as a form of social development. The study is based on the examination of unique features of the English Revolution. It is vitally important for political science students to understand how such a multifaceted process works. Thus, the analysis examines the causes, phases and effects of the English Revolution.

Консультант по английскому языку: Шмараева Анастасия Александровна

5. Myagkova Zoia, Kuzina Maria/ Мягкова Зоя, Кузина Мария

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

An analysis of the formation of the British national identity/ Особенности становления Британской национальной идентичности

The United Kingdom is a multinational country made up of English, Welsh, Scottish and Northern Irish nations. At present, the notion of “Britishness” does not reflect any identification with a homogeneous ethnic group, rather, it is viewed from the perspective of multiculturalism. The research deals with a socio-historical analysis of the formation of the British national identity which reveals the duality of national identity that British citizens possess.

Консультант по английскому языку: Шмараева Анастасия Александровна

6. Stepanchenko Danil/ Степанченко Данил

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Sustainable development of New Zealand: a political, economic and social analysis/ Устойчивое развитие Новой Зеландии: политический, экономический и социальный анализ

In 2017 New Zealand was ranked fourth in the strength of democratic institutions and first in the lack of corruption. New Zealand is considered to be a stable democratic country. Contrary to the United States, France, Great Britain this country enjoys a high level of political stability. The research outlines three features (among others) that have promoted a stable development of the country: a free-market economy, a high level of citizens’ participation in their country’s political life, the fact that the country has long stayed out of global confrontation. The attraction of New Zealand’s experience is that it appears to offer a solution to solving problems that many countries face.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

Секция 14
USA, UK and Commonwealth/
США, Великобритания и Содружество наций
20 марта 2021 г., суббота,
10.45-12.15
На платформе Zoom
Ведущая: Юргенс Мария

1. Gukasyan Iren, Baziev Boysgur/ Гукасян Ирэн, Базиев Бойсгур
MSU MSE/ МШЭ МГУ

Double standards in contemporary politics: an analysis of the latest presidential elections in the USA in 2020/ Двойные стандарты в современной политике: анализ президентских выборов в США в 2020 г.

In the United States, in the spring of 2020, after the death of an African-American George Floyd, the Black Lives Matter movement appeared. Its members spoke out against racism and violence against blacks. The death of a black man caused a wave of protest in the United States and other countries. Demonstrators clashed with police, smashed up streets and burned cars. The protests lasted for several months. US President Donald Trump has accused the movement of inciting violence and vandalism. These protests also influenced the confirmation of the new president, Joe Biden. Trump supporters stormed into the building and seized the Senate chamber, preventing the official confirmation of the new president. In both cases, we were observing mass protests that were organized to achieve certain political goals. From this point of view, there is no difference between the BLM movement and the supporters of Donald Trump. The research confirms that it was the policy of double standards which was clearly expressed and quite clearly articulated.

Консультант по английскому языку: Ильина Галина Алексеевна

2. Maydan Valentina/ Майдан Валентина

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Current social issues of Canada: a comprehensive analysis/ Анализ социальных проблем в современной Канаде

Today it is difficult to overestimate the role of social networks in the information field of the state agenda. The effective use of social networks in public and political administration contributes to the solution of at least two tasks. Firstly, this kind of state-political management can solve the problems of national security of the state. Secondly, the competent use of modern Internet technologies makes it possible to solve an equally important political task - the formation of a positive image of state authorities in the context of the implementation of public policy. A particularly significant concern for the Canadian government recently has been to combat the COVID-19 pandemic. The study tries to show to what extent social networks have helped the government to achieve tangible results dealing with the pandemic.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

3. Usikova Ekaterina, Konovalova Viktoriya/ Усикова Екатерина, Коновалова Виктория

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Youth policy in Canada: social and economic challenges/ Молодежная политика в Канаде: социальные и экономические вызовы

The youth unemployment rate in Canada is quite low compared to other capitalist countries. According to a survey by the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD), Canada ranks 18th among other countries. With a fairly low level of youth unemployment Canada currently does not promote a national youth policy. There is no national youth organization or federal agency responsible for youth either. When the Liberal Party formed a government in 2015, Prime Minister Justin Trudeau appointed himself Canada's first Minister of Youth Affairs. The

study highlights the challenges and prospects of youth policy in Canada taking into account the dynamics in the social development of the country.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

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

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Post-COVID stress disorder as an emerging consequence of the global pandemic in the USA/ Стрессовые расстройства как следствие глобальной пандемии COVID-19 в США

The pandemic has triggered an array of emotional, physical, and economic issues but in the midst of this crisis, nations have shared and learned from each other's experiences. Experts have predicted a "tsunami of psychiatric illness" in the aftermath of the COVID-19 pandemic. For such a large-scale event like the COVID-19 pandemic, the impact on mental health can be long lasting. Policymakers are supposed to insist that an effective comprehensive system should be set up to alleviate the burdens of the COVID-19 pandemic. It will be important to consider how the increased need for mental health services is likely to persist long term, even if new cases and deaths due to the novel coronavirus subside.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

5. Zaika Sofia/ Заика Софья

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

Music in political discourse: a case study of the American national anthem/ Музыка в политическом дискурсе на примере национального гимна США

Like all semiotic resources, sound and music have very specific affordances, which means they can be used in special ways. Scholars have argued that music has a special kind of force as a carrier of collective memory and tradition, working more in an emotional and almost physical sense. This research introduces what can be called a Multimodal Critical Discourse Analysis (MCDA) approach to sound. It then moves on to apply these ideas to the American national anthem by looking at the lyrics and then at how these are realized through sound.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

6. Zakutneva Anna/ Закутнева Анна

Faculty of Political Science/ Факультет политологии

The implications of COVID-19, Brexit and the demographic situation in the United Kingdom: an analysis of the consequences/ Выход Великобритании из ЕС, пандемия и ухудшение демографической ситуации в стране: анализ последствий

Over the past year the political and social situation in Great Britain has deteriorated badly. The COVID-19 pandemic has affected all spheres of public life, but first of all it has affected the demographic situation in the country. To make things worse, the country terminated its membership in the European Union, which caused a lot of problems for ordinary people. During the COVID-19 pandemic, which coincided with the completion of the Brexit procedure, the United Kingdom population fell by more than 1.3 million people according to the Economic Statistics Centre of Excellence (ESCoE). The research analyzes the most important effects of these factors for further development of the country.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

Философский факультет

15 марта понедельник

Секция № 1

9.00-10.30

На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Ларин Семен

1. Voevodina Mariya/ Воеводина Мария

Faculty of Philosophy / Философский факультет

Narrative folklore of Indians as part of American culture/ Повествовательный фольклор индейцев как часть американской культуры.

Myths, tales and legends of the Indians of the Pacific coast of North America have long attracted close attention of scholars from many countries. From the last third of the 19th century, there have appeared many special publications devoted to the narrative folklore of Indians. There have been published extensive collections of parallel texts, equipped with a lengthy apparatus. Almost a century later, it can be noted that scientific attention to the narrative folklore of the Pacific Coast Indians has been and encompassed the subject from different angles.

Консультант по английскому языку: Егорова Елена Геннадьевна

2. Pyasova Sofiya /Ильясова София

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

The ideas of ancient Greek tragedies and mythology in the novel *The Secret History* by Donna Tartt /Мотивы древнегреческих трагедий и мифологии в романе «Секретная история» Донны Тарт

When Donna Tartt published her debut novel *The Secret History* in 1992, it was an instant success. More than 5 million copies were sold worldwide, the novel was translated into 24 languages and Donna Tartt became one of the most popular modern authors. There are a few reasons of this success, not the least of them is the fact that it conveys an idea about the inexorable course of events, which can be traced back to Greek tragedies and Dionysian influences. Another idea that is no less important runs through the book is as following: the workings of fate can never be explained. It is this deep philosophical and literary background that promoted a great success of the novel. *The Secret History* is more than just a captivating murder mystery as one might think at first.

Консультант по английскому языку: Шмараева Анастасия Александровна

3. Klychnikova Anastasiya /Клычникова Анастасия

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Promoting the unity of people: a case study of Gershwin's works /Лейтмотив музыки Гершвина-идея объединения людей

One of the most interesting chapters of music history is associated with the name of the American composer George Gershwin. The development of his work and his flowering creativity coincided with the Jazz Age -the name of the era 20-30 years in the 20-th century.

The deeply passionate African-American music gave rise to a number of works combining such different worlds as classical music and jazz, 'white' and 'black' art. The development of American music is the result of an alliance between Jewish and African American communities. This alliance had arisen during the cultural and equal rights struggle. The result of this victory was the full integration of Afro-American motifs into the kind of American singing tradition.

Консультант по английскому языку: Егорова Елена Геннадьевна

4. Misharina Polina /Мишарина Полина

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Norman Foster: the philosophy of modern architecture/ Норман Фостер: философия современной архитектуры

Norman Robert Foster is a British architect and designer. Closely associated with the development of High-tech architecture and the early adoption of energy-efficient construction techniques, Foster is recognized as a key figure in British modernist architecture. He is famous for such projects as 30 St. Mary Axe (London), Millau Viaduct Aveyron (France), City Hall (London). Another important point is that historical buildings need to be adopted to the modern world.

Консультант по английскому языку: Егорова Елена Геннадьевна

5. Elizaveta Kosolapova/ Елизавета Косолапова

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Russian reality through the mainstream Hollywood films / Российская реальность в голливудских фильмах

Hollywood is a symbol of glamour, power and money in the entertainment industry. At the same time, Hollywood films are full of negative stereotypes about our country, which reflect the belief that Russian people do not enjoy freedom and democracy. In this view Russia is shown as a very gloomy and boring country. Russian people always wear grab clothes, they are gloomy and crazy. The presentation gives a few examples to prove these points. Stereotypes are dying hard. Fortunately, only now the attitude to Russia is beginning to change.

Консультант по английскому языку: Литвинова Евгения Николаевна

15 марта понедельник
Секция № 2
10.45-12.15
На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Рамонова Александра

1. Grigoryeva Ekaterina / Григорьева Екатерина

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Nostalgia as a philosophical phenomenon: a critical analysis of "The Future of Nostalgia" by Svetlana Boim /Ностальгия как философская проблема: критический анализ книги «Будущее ностальгии» Светланы Бойм

A loss of faith in society's perfectibility has led to nostalgia about the past. Not only our personal discussions about the past are nostalgic, but mass perception seems to be deeply permeated with the same feeling. Theorist of nostalgia Svetlana Boim wrote: "The twentieth century began with a utopia, and ended with nostalgia." Analyzing the "global epidemic of nostalgia" that has gripped humanity, she singles out several directions for the development of this phenomenon. One of them is called "back into the womb" and combines, it seems, the rest of the causes of longing for the past. Art theorists L. Hutchon and M. Valdez argued in a similar way, pointing out that in the 1990s it was nostalgia that had the greatest influence in the discursive space of mass media, especially the USA mass media.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

2. Grachev Ruslan / Грачёв Руслан

New religious movements in contemporary England: a critical analysis /Новые религиозные движения в современной Англии: критический анализ

This research is devoted to topical issues of the history and modern practice of English new religious movements. The conclusions of current state of alternative religious societies and their influence on the life of modern English society are drawn, based on the analysis of primary sources and research papers. The background for a more detailed study of the problem in the future is formed. The experience of the formation and development of such organizations is a valuable grounding for religious studies and sociological science, and has a significant impact on the development of modern religious and occult doctrines.

Консультант по английскому языку: Бережных Елена Юрьевна

3. Zolotikh Yekaterina Murashova Julia /Золотых Екатерина Мурашова Юлия

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Emotional Intelligence in Leadership by Daniel Goleman /Эмоциональный интеллект в лидерстве по Дэниэлу Гоул

Emotional intelligence is the ability to understand and manage your own emotions and the emotions of other people around you. People with a high level of emotional intelligence know what they feel, what their emotions mean, and how these emotions can affect other people. Daniel Goleman is an American psychologist who popularizes emotional intelligence and, according to his research, five key elements are considered in the presentation. If you succeed in each of these areas as a leader, it means that your emotional intelligence is rather high.

Консультанты по английскому языку: Бережных Елена Юрьевна, Мурза Александра Борисовна

4. Kazyulin Vadim /Казюлин Вадим

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

The expression of anti-imperialist sentiment in Irish folk music/ Выражение анти-империалистических настроений в народной музыке Ирландии

Currently the Republic of Ireland is considered to be among the most developed and successful European nations. In the past, however, it experienced the effects of imperialism like few other European nations did, suffering greatly from oppression and mistreatment by the British Empire. Harrowing cases of neglect such as the Great Famine as well as routine oppression on religious and national basis inspired a strong anti-British and anti-imperialist sentiment in the Irish culture, finding expression in many forms of art, including music. The presentation aims to show this sentiment using two Irish Folk songs: “Fields of Athenry” and “Foggy Dew” as examples.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

5. Logvinova Elena /Логвинова Елена

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

The influence of Salvador Dali’s personality and works on the culture of the United States of America / Образ и работы Сальвадора Дали в культуре США

One of the main aims of the research is to answer these key questions: why the Spanish artist has become famous and why his masterpieces have had an impact on art industry so significantly. This study makes an attempt to investigate how Dali’s works and personality had a great impact on American culture. The research includes an analysis of the following topics: Dali’s phenomenon, the main stages of the artist’s work, the most important events in the life of a great painter, collaboration with other authors and examples of the artist’s popularity in the United States of America.

Консультант по английскому языку: Бережных Елена Юрьевна

6. Yashin Artem/Яшин Артем

Faculty of philosophy/ Философский факультет

The Furby: a case of ambivalent attitude towards technology in American society/ Фёрби: случай двойственного отношения к технологиям в американском обществе

The Furby was the first successful attempt to create a robotic pet that could interact with children. These toys expressed simple emotions and imitated the ability to learn human languages. From 1998 to 2001 over 40 million Furbies were sold worldwide, gaining special popularity in the USA. However, the Furby proved to be a controversial novelty: the Internet still witnesses dozens of childhood stories where Furbies caused traumatizing experience. Also the Pentagon banned Furbies in 1999 because of their supposed spy skills. This research will tackle the ambiguous role of Furbies in American culture.

Консультант по английскому языку: Литвинова Евгения Николаевна

15 марта понедельник
Секция № 3
12.30-14.00
На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Воронович Екатерина

1. Ostovsky Yevgeny /Остовский Евгений

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Buddhist spirituality according to Majjhima Nikaya / Буддийская духовность согласно Мадджхима-ника

Spiritual practices play a significant role in Buddhism studies. To understand the logic of the development of these practices in the current directions of Buddhism, it is necessary to turn to the origins of this teaching. Majjhima Nikaya is considered to be the source of the oldest collections of sutras. This monument is included in the Pali Canon and, according to experts, contains almost all the provisions of early Buddhism. The study focuses on such components of spirituality as morality, restraint of the senses, the abandonment of hindrances, and eight meditative achievements.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

2. Pavlova Anna /Павлова Анна

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

The role of humour in the sacred texts of Judaism and Jewish culture / Роль юмора в священных текстах иудаизма и еврейской культуре

Jewish humour dates back to the Torah and the Midrash from the ancient Middle East. It is very much rooted in diverse traditions. This research is devoted to an analysis of the phenomenon of humour in Jewish culture in general and in the sacred texts of Judaism in particular. The study focuses on essential characteristics of humour, provides examples of its use in sacred books and its manifestation in culture.

Консультант по английскому языку: Мурза Александра Борисовна

3. Satsukevich Anna /Сацукевич Анна

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

The meaning of abstract expressionism in the works of Jackson Pollock: a critical analysis /Значение абстрактного экспрессионизма в работах Джексона Поллока: критический анализ

Art and philosophy are greatly related to each other. Through art we can observe how human thought changes. Abstract Expressionism has become a new phenomenon in art, which can bring us closer to understanding people better. Jackson Pollock is a major figure in the abstract expressionist movement. The presentation describes some of his techniques such as “drip technique” and “action painting”.

Консультант по английскому языку: Егорова Елена Геннадьевна

4. Stulikov Nikita /Стуликов Никита

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

The ontology of the “uncanny wall” model in video games/ Онтология модели «жуткой стены» в видеоиграх

The “uncanny valley” model is a very topical object for contemporary ontological research. It is challenging to study an effect of the “uncanny valley” in the ontology of video games. However, the author of the model did not develop it for game studies. Another group of scientists decided to undertake this task. Under the direction of British scientist A. Tinwell (The University of Bolton),

they made an alternative “uncanny wall” model. This presentation shows the ontological significance of the “uncanny wall” model for game studies.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

5. Tuboltsev Yury/Тубольцев Юрий

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

The principle of complementarity as the beginning of postmodernism / Принцип дополнителности как начало постмодернизма

The principle of complementarity, one of the most important methodological and heuristic principles of science and one of the fundamental principles of quantum mechanics, is the beginning of postmodernism ideology. This principle indicates that no picture of the world is complete, and that for comprehensive understanding it is necessary to have several complementary and even mutually exclusive, contradictory interpretations at once. In postmodernism, there is a tendency for points of view to be complementary and for events to be multifaceted and non-deterministic. One logical construction is not enough to describe the complexity of the world. An object must be described in mutually exclusive, complementary systems of description. Any theory is incomplete and any interpretation is not comprehensive, there is no single correct and final interpretation and explanation.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

16 марта вторник
Секция №4
12.30.-14.00
На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Баранова Вера

1. Bychatskaya Alina/ Бучатская Алина

Faculty of Philosophy / Философский факультет

**The main stages of the development of hip-hop culture in the USA: a historical analysis/
Основные этапы развития культуры хип-хоп в США: исторический анализ**

The presentation addresses the issue of the development of hip-hop culture in the USA. Hip-hop is a cultural phenomenon that is currently the most popular music movement around the world. It originated as a subculture that includes rapping, graffiti painting and break dancing. The research observes the main stages of hip-hop culture trying to explain the popularity of this phenomenon among young people.

Консультант по английскому языку: Бережных Елена Юрьевна

2. Avramenko Kira/ Авраменко Кира

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

**The dynamics of the popularity of rock-groups from Great Britain: a sociological survey
/Динамика популярности рок-групп из Великобритании: социологическое исследование**

This survey is devoted to the popularity of some rock bands from Great Britain. The aim of the research was to identify how many people listen to rock-groups, especially from Great Britain. The survey included such popular British groups as 'Bring me the horizon', 'Franz Ferdinand' (Glasgow), 'Mumford and sons (London)', 'Led Zeppelin' (London), 'Kasabian' (Leicester), 'Iron maiden' (London). The question was how many people know about this original and colorful music style. The presentation discusses the results of the survey.

Консультант по английскому языку: Бережных Елена Юрьевна

3. Domnina Daria / Домнина Дарья

Faculty of Philosophy / Философский факультет

**The reflection of the mood of American society after the Civil War in Ambrose Bierce's works/
Отражение эмоционального состояния американского общества после Гражданской войны в работах Амброза Бирса.**

The Civil War (1861-1864) in the USA had a great impact on the traditional way life of American people and led to profound changes. The war caused a highly controversial reaction in the society: people were horrified by the violence of military actions and by radical public transformations, which was reflected in literature, particularly in the works of Ambrose Bierce. Working in the horror-realistic genre, he shows the American reality, full of disappointment, destruction and desperation. The aim of the work is to analyze the way Bierce presents life, the problems he raises and methods he uses to describe the horrors of war. The research studies his unique way of synthesizing fantastic elements and dreams with ordinary and harsh reality.

Консультант по английскому языку: Алхастова Залина Размановна

4. Kosyakova Anastasia/ Косякова Анастасия

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

New formulas for composition and light in the works of Young British Artists: a critical analysis / Новые направления в композиции и свете в работах «Молодые британские художники»: критический анализ

Contemporary art is the most controversial topic of our century. The debate on the meaning of K. Malevich's "Black Square" has not finished yet. The decade of the nineties has changed the art world beyond recognition, giving rise to many ambiguous paintings and installations. The Young British Artists movement left its mark on the history of Britain as a symbol of the 90s. The name is applied to a group of British artists who began to exhibit together in 1988 and who became known for their openness to materials and processes, shock tactics and entrepreneurial attitude. The aim of the presentation is to confirm these ideas by demonstrating the most popular works.

Консультант по английскому языку: Бережных Елена Юрьевна

5. Mozharovsky Nikita/ Можаровский Никита

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Lootboxes problem in the Commonwealth of Nations and Europe/ Проблема легальности «лутбоксов» в странах Содружества наций и Европе

Loot boxes have become very popular lately and it is not accidental because any player can pay some money right in-game to get some virtual boxes with a random in-game loot. There are many good examples of such games, including “Counter Strike: Global Offensive”, “Overwatch”, “Hearthstone” and some others. The presentation lays the focus on both positive and negative factors of these games. Nowadays governments of different countries of the Commonwealth and Europe have expressed grave concern about children being involved in these games. The study deals with some important suggestions that have been put forward to regulate this profitable business.

Консультант по английскому языку: Алхастова Залина Размановна

16 марта вторник
Секция №5
15.00.-16.30
На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Фоменкова Екатерина

1. Eleonora Alyoshina/ Элеонора Алёшина, Viktoria Vorobyova/ Виктория Воробьёва

Faculty of Philosophy/Философский факультет

The Irish dance as an element of the national culture of Ireland: the history of its origin and development /Ирландский танец как элемент национальной культуры Ирландии: история возникновения и развития

The Irish dance has been very popular all over the world since ancient times. It strikes the imagination with its energy, dynamism and expressive movements. More and more people are interested in Irish dance nowadays. It is due to the appearance of Irish spectacular shows, for example, "Riverdance" and "Lord of the Dance". The dance has passed through the centuries of history, but at the same time has retained its beauty and the original character. This study is about how the Irish dance and its attributes originated and developed, what styles of the dance have stood out throughout history and have survived to the present day.

Консультант по английскому языку: Литвинова Евгения Николаевна

2. Valeriya Valter/ Валерия Вальтер

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

British humor as a symbol of mentality through the example of TV-shows/ Британский юмор как символ менталитета на примере ТВ шоу

British humor has a special character and it is widely known in different countries. It is distinguished by exaggerated calmness and elegance; it has had a significant impact on the formation of the British mentality. Researchers have found many interesting reasons for this particular style of English joke. Definitely, the ability to joke is a wonderful feature of the British people. Life-affirming humor helps them in solving difficult problems, preventing aggression and conflict, relieving stress. Humor haunts the Englishman everywhere: in television and radio broadcasts, in books, in periodicals and in everyday life. This presentation makes an attempt to explain the phenomenon of British humor: what it is based on; how the jokes of the British differ from other types of jokes by providing striking examples of British humor in a number of different TV-shows.

Консультант по английскому языку: Литвинова Евгения Николаевна

3. Gorkina Polina, Denilkhanova Elina/Горькина Полина/Денильханова Элина

Faculty of Philosophy/Философский факультет

The Golden Age of Hollywood: a socio-historical phenomenon/ Социо-культурное значение кинематографа во время «Золотого века» Голливуда

What characterizes many Hollywood pictures is their inner emptiness, which is compensated for by outer impressiveness. But there should be a distinction made between soap operas and classical American films which showed us the main features of American character: the ability to overcome difficulties and achieve success in spite of circumstances. "When the going gets tough the tough get going" is a typical American motto, which is testimony to their almost stoic ability to their self-sufficiency. The main character of the best Hollywood films will never reconcile himself to the thought that he is a failure. The presentation deals with a few Hollywood films that have helped to create a collective image of a strong man, the epitome of stability and a guarantor against social evils.

Консультант по английскому языку: Моргун Наталья Леонидовна, Шмараева Анастасия Александровна

4. Churkina Anastasia, Bryleva Victoria/ Чуркина Анастасия, Брылёва Виктория

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

J. Grunig and T. Hunt's four models of PR history in the USA: a historical analysis / Четыре модели развития связей с общественностью в США Д. Грунига и Т. Ханта: исторический анализ

The consumer boom in the U.S. of the 20th century has contributed to the development and wide spread of advertising. The desire to sell goods stimulated not only quantitative but also qualitative changes. The research gives an analysis of J. Grunig and T. Hunt's four models of public relations history which help understand the main approaches to advertising and marketing. By the 21st century, mankind had managed to bring the skill of creating a PR-campaign to stunning heights. Undoubtedly, the American society, which was one of the first to experience all aspects of the modern market economy, was one of the oases of the PR-industry formation.

Консультант по английскому языку: Егорова Елена Геннадьевна

5. Starikova Anastasia / Анастасия Старикова

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Implementing scientific communication in American universities/ Проблема реализации научной коммуникации в американских университетах.

The United States is a leader in research and development. Multibillion-dollar investments are being attracted to science. That is why the United States is the center of attraction for many scientists around the world, and American universities actively involve students in research activities. At the same time, creativity and non-standard thinking are highly appreciated. In addition to the fact that American universities attract a huge number of students with their centuries-old history and reputation, they are also interesting to applicants with their scientific communication. Positioning of universities in social networks, opening of digital projects through which people can gain knowledge, in the 21st century play a big role in attracting attention of audience to them as scientific institutions.

Консультант по английскому языку: Егорова Елена Геннадьевна

18 марта четверг
Секция №6
9.00-10.30
На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Варакина Варвара

1. Garagulya Sonya /Гарагуля Соня

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Woodstock Music and Art Fair and its role in pop culture history /Вудстокская ярмарка музыки и искусств и её роль в развитии поп-культуры

The Woodstock Music Festival began on August 15, 1969. Billed as “An Aquarian Experience: 3 Days of Peace and Music,” the epic event would later be known simply as Woodstock and become synonymous with the counterculture movement of the 1960s. Woodstock was a peaceful celebration and earned its hallowed place in pop culture history. The event was attended by about 500 thousand people, and among the speakers were many well-known musicians. The festival has become widely regarded as an important event in popular music history as well as the beginning of the counterculture movement.

Консультант по английскому языку: Мурза Александра Борисовна

2. Ostapenko Dana /Остапенко Дана

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Orthodox Christianity in the United Kingdom and Russian Orthodoxy: a comparative analysis/ Православное христианство в Великобритании и России: сравнительный анализ

Orthodox Christianity is considered to be the most widespread religion in the Russian Federation. Thus, orthodox belief is associated with Russian Orthodoxy. However, Orthodoxy adherents can also be found in the United Kingdom. Compared to Protestantism and Catholicism, these days Orthodox Christianity does not constitute a considerable part in the religious system of the United Kingdom. However, a few sacred places are well-known to be located in London and other cities of the country. The research aims to identify the distinguishing features of Russian Orthodox Church in the United Kingdom. The study touches upon the importance of Russian Orthodox Church in Great Britain and its relations with the Russian Orthodox Patriarchate.

Консультант по английскому языку: Шмараева Анастасия Александровна

3. Ryzhkova Anna/Рыжкова Анна

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Christian Kabbalah in 17th-century England/ Христианская каббала в Англии 17 века

Christian Kabbalists were convinced that the Kabbalah was an original secret revelation that contained all spiritual evolution of humanity from the creation of the world, and that the Jewish and Christian religions were identical from the point of view of their esoteric core. Christian Knorr von Rosenroth decided to publish a Latin translation of the most significant parts of the Zohar, a group of books including commentary on the mystical aspects of the Torah. But British Kabbalistic occult societies rejected many of the conventional Christian views of the fall, salvation, and the Trinity, as well as the focus on divine justice, predestination, man’s helplessness, and the concept of an eternal hell. This led to the fact that the Christian Kabbalah took an intermediate position, rejecting both some of the principles of the Jewish Kabbalah and parts of the Christian doctrine.

Консультант по английскому языку: Мурза Александра Борисовна

4. Торопов Yegor / Торопов Егор

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Forecast of Joseph Biden's foreign policy as a consequence of the US domestic political return to isolationism /Прогноз внешней политики Джозефа Байдена как следствие внутривнутриполитического возвращения США к изоляционизму

Joe Biden laid out his foreign policy vision for America to restore dignity at home and respected leadership on the world stage. The study puts forward a thesis that it is necessary to understand how the new administration is going to deal with domestic problems in the country because Biden's domestic priorities should guide his foreign policy. This will result (arguably) in the Biden administration's concentrating on domestic issues and the latest decision to withdraw American troops from Afghanistan bares it out.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

5. Shiporenko Yana /Шипоренко Яна

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

The intriguing figure of Banksy in modern art, an attempt to reveal his identity / Загадочная фигура Бэнкси в современном искусстве; попытка понять его самобытность

Many of us have probably heard of Banksy in one context or another. It is impossible to read art news without stumbling over at least one article about this graffiti artist who is famous for addressing political, social, and moral issues through his paintings. The enormous amount of satire in his street art brings our attention to a different side of truth, the one we tend to ignore. His unique way of ridiculing government, corporations, and society has stirred up a lot of controversies and intrigues and practically divided his audience into lovers and haters. The presentation focuses on his role in modern art.

Консультант по английскому языку: Егорова Елена Геннадьевна

18 марта четверг
Секция №7
10.45-12.15
На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Михайлова Полина

1. Nastasenko Ivan / Настасенко Иван

Faculty of Philosophy / Философский факультет

Victorian death cult. Why did mourning become a significant part of life? / Викторианский культ смерти. Почему траур стал значимой частью жизни?

The research deals with Great Britain in the times of Queen Victoria trying to explain why the theme of death and gloomy mourning clothes became fashionable in the country. The unexpected death of Prince Albert, Queen Victoria's husband, literally gave rise to this peculiar fashion. In addition, the presentation will also compare this phenomenon with similar ones in other European countries.

Консультант по английскому языку: Мурза Александра Борисовна

2. Ivanova Tatiana / Иванова Татьяна

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Androgyne and overhuman: similarities and differences / Андрогин и сверхчеловек: сходства и различия.

This research is dedicated to the problem of similarities and differences between the concept of androgyne of Plato and overhuman of Nietzsche. Like androgyne, overhuman is an attempt to resist the one-sidedness of human being. Both in the androgyne and in the overhuman, the victory over time is embodied. But androgyne is essentially a blissful being. It is frozen in his self-sufficiency. The overhuman is permeated with vitality. Both are generative creatures. But overhuman has no gender connotations, or is a strongly masculine creature. And for Nietzsche, overhuman, above all, embodied the will to power, which is hostile to love.

Консультант по английскому языку: Мурза Александра Борисовна

3. Argun Laura/ Аргун Лаура

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

An economic approach to the study of political behavior in the theory of Anthony Downs /

Экономический подход к изучению политического поведения в теории Энтони Даунса

Anthony Downs, an outstanding American political scientist, belongs to the school of rational choice, which views action in politics in terms of rationality, that is, the participation of individuals in politics is not due to ideology, but due to a pragmatic force. Candidates compete for power, economic resources, and the ability to make generally significant decisions. To achieve this goal, they formulate their programs in order to "sell" them on the political market. Downs argues that the main goal of politicians in a democratic regime is to win votes. To gain power in the state and the advantages of the party in the state apparatus, politicians need the maximum number of voters who support them. Downs, as a representative of the school of rational choice, shows the political sphere as a market in which participants compete with each other for profit.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

4. Tarkhanova Yulia/ Тарханова Юлия

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Studying philosophy in Russian and British universities: a comparative analysis / Изучение философии в университетах России и Великобритании: сравнительный анализ

There is little, if any, difference in teaching general courses of philosophy in Russian and British universities. At the same time, there are some aspects that attract British philosophy teachers: the

challenges posed by the digital revolution to teaching philosophy, the development of philosophy for children in China, how to avoid ethnical conflicts teaching philosophy in a multinational class. The research is also concerned with differences and similarities of philosophy studying models, teaching methods and teacher-student relationship, organization of curricular and extracurricular activities.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

5. Shabalovskaya Ksenia/Шабаловская Ксения, Zhorin Semyon/ Жорин Семен

Faculty of Philosophy/Философский факультет

The main stages of the English language development in the era of Elizabeth I: a historical analysis /Основные этапы развития английского языка в эпоху Елизаветы I: исторический анализ

In this research, an attempt is made to consider the history of the formation of the English language and the role of Elizabeth I in this process. The transformation of England into the empire and the growth of the national consciousness of the English people in the XVI century were the most powerful incentives for the English language development. While in the beginning of Tudor's reign prevailed the opinion of the indisputable superiority of antique languages over English, then in the Elizabethan era the national language with its expressive capabilities stopped being considered inferior to other tongues. Thus, this historical period started the powerful development of modern English.

Консультант по английскому языку: Мурза Александра Борисовна

6. Yarokhina Lilia / Ярохина Лилия

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

The manifestations of "civil religion" in American rituals and ceremonies / Проявления «гражданской религии» в американских ритуалах и церемониях

The term "civil religion" originated in the 18th century in French philosophical and political thought and later was transferred into American context by a scholar Robert N. Bella. American civil religion recognizes God as a bearer of the highest sovereignty and the president realizes the God's will. The aim of this research is to analyze modern political ceremonies and rituals in the USA and identify where the features of civil religion are best manifested and observed. The research considers such ceremonies as the president's oath, when the president puts his hand on the Bible, the Memorial Day, which is dedicated to the veneration of dead American soldiers, and the National Day of Prayer, which unites all confessions in the country.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

7. Kosolova Anastasiya /Косолова Анастасия

Faculty of Philosophy/Философский факультет

A philosophical analysis of the concept of the unconscious in Freud's works /Философский анализ бессознательного в работах Фрейда

Freud is considered as the father of the unconscious, but it does not mean that philosophers before Freud did not turn their attention to unconscious mental acts. The research shows the difference between philosophical understanding of this concept and Freud's psychoanalytical interpretation. We can meet philosophical analysis in Brentano's works, the teacher of Freud at the university. Taking this fact into account, it is interesting to look at the difference in their research. This problem is important enough to build the whole picture of conceptual meaning of the unconscious.

Консультант по английскому языку: Перцев Евгений Михайлович

18 марта, четверг
Секция №8
12.30 -14.00
На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Власенко Ольга

1. Viktoria Gorokhova, Reznikova Anna / Виктория Горохова, Резникова Анна

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

New York and the phenomenon of loneliness in Woody Allen's films / Нью-Йорк и одиночество: феномен фильмов Вуди Аллена

Woody Allen's films defined the American cinematography landscape from the 1970s to the 2000s. New York or Big Apple has always starred in his films. It conjures up the image of a city where there are a lot of opportunities to bring your dreams to life. By showing the city's unique character the director at the same time makes us understand that many people are alone here. It is this contrast between the city lights and a deep sense of loneliness, insecurity and uprootedness that make his films successful. The presentation tries to prove it by demonstrating a few pieces from his films.

Консультант по английскому языку: Алхастова Залина Размановна

2. Logush Ekaterina/ Логущ Екатерина

Faculty of Philosophy / Философский факультет

The development of cinema in the USA: a critical analysis /Развитие кинематографа в США: критический анализ

Cinematic art plays a very important role in the US culture. Film companies in the United States of America release hundreds of films, attracting millions of viewers to cinemas and generating billions of dollars every year. Although cinema originated in the nineties of the 19th century it is still developing. The main idea of the presentation is to analyze the main stages of the Hollywood history starting from the era of silent films to the "Golden Age". A particular point is made to the so-called "independent cinema", the films that try to show the real life in the country.

Консультант по английскому языку: Бережных Елена Юрьевна

3. Pchelnikova Sophia / Пчельникова София

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

Philosophical motives in the Queen's Bohemian Rhapsody/ Философские мотивы в песне группы Queen "Богемская рапсодия"

"Bohemian Rhapsody," from Queen's album *A Night at the Opera* (1975), is considered to be one of the greatest rock songs of all time. Despite its tremendous commercial success and influence, it remains one of the most enigmatic, inscrutable songs in the history of rock. But what exactly is the meaning of Queen's Bohemian Rhapsody? What is the author's message? In an interview, Mercury said: "Bohemian Rhapsody didn't just come out of thin air. It is one of those songs which has such a fantasy feel about it. I think people should just listen to it, think about it, and then make up their own minds as to what it says to them." The work tries to find out the ulterior philosophical motives of this song.

Консультант по английскому языку: Алхастова Залина Размановна

4. Simonova Polina/Симонова Полина

Faculty of Philosophy/ Философский факультет

The USA reality: life in the megalopolis and in the hinterland / Настоящая Америка: жизнь в мегаполисе и в глубинке

The topic of the research seems to be very important for Russian emigrants. Sociologists often ask such questions as "Why exactly is America so attractive to people?", and most importantly, "Are

their expectations being met in the end?" Initially, few people think about how deep the differences of staying in large American cities, which we are used to seeing in famous films (for example, New York, Los Angeles or Chicago) and on the outskirts are, where in most cases emigrants manage to move. The presentation deals with factual stories of some emigrants to show a gap between expectations and reality.

Консультант по английскому языку: Алхастова Залина Размановна

18 марта четверг
Секция № 9
15.00-16.30
На платформе Zoom

Ведущий: Горькина Полина

1. Stepanova Victoria /Степанова Виктория, Antoshkina Maria /Антошкина Мария

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

The adaptation of foreign shows in Russia: a case study of the American next Top Model /Адаптация зарубежных показов в России на примере Top-модель (США)

The first television reality show in the fashion segment “America's Next Top Model” had a big impact on the television industry in many countries, including Russia. The presentation aims to consider the phenomenon of adaptation of the American product within the market of the Russian television industry. By analyzing American original projects, the question is raised: to what extent they can be adapted in Russia bearing in mind cultural differences in femininity.

Консультант по английскому языку: Моргун Наталья Леонидовна

2. Svetozarova Aleksandra/ Светозарова Александра, Cherepennikova Elizaveta/ Черепенникова Елизавета

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Cultural differences in advertising perception between Russia and Great Britain /Культурные различия в восприятии рекламы между Россией и Великобританией

The differences in advertising across countries are obvious. They are conditioned by traditions, mentality, tendencies and perceptions of society as well as by certain images, symbols, economic and social realities. When developing an advertising campaign strategy, the traditions of a country in which it will be deployed are always taken into account. Not only outdoor advertising and television commercials need to be adapted, but also trademarks. The research tries to analyze the scope of advertising campaigns in Russia and the UK and identify the typical features in each of the countries.

Консультант по английскому языку: Моргун Наталья Леонидовна

3. Shabanova Anna /Шабанова Анна

Faculty of Philosophy/Философский факультет

The Y2K aesthetic in the USA and its influence on the world trends in art today /Эстетика Y2K в США и её влияние на мировые тенденции в искусстве сегодня

Since the 1990s a new aesthetic paradigm has become fashionable – the so called Y2K (year two kilos). It reflected the optimism of a new era as the 20th century progressed to the 21st one, encapsulating fashion, hardware design, music and original furnishings. The presentation demonstrates some of the most typical features that are associated with this trend: silver eyeshadow, shiny clothing, Oakleys, gradients, techno music and Blobitecture. The increasing proliferation of computers greatly influenced the aesthetics of the time providing material for realization of vast fantasies about the future that are still evident in many fields of art. Contemporary workers in various creative fields use the elements of this and next Bling aesthetics in their works.

Консультант по английскому языку: Литвинова Евгения Николаевна

4. Kotova Glafira /Котова Глафира, Snegiryov Daniil /Снегирёв Даниил

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Cultural stereotypes in a multinational society: ethnical conflicts in Great Britain /Культурные стереотипы в межнациональном обществе: этнические конфликты в Великобритании

As the UK is being forced to come to terms with its history of colonialism, there have been growing calls to draw more attention to manifestations of racism in the country. People from Britain's Black, Asian, and Minority Ethnic (BAME) communities are treated differently because of their ethnicity, with the number of racially aggravated assaults against Asians rising sharply in March this year. In light of the increase of anti-Asian racism, the United Nations has expressed concern over what they called "a tsunami of hate and xenophobia". The presentation deals with some stereotypes that exist today trying to answer the question: are they a source of ethnical conflicts or a sign of hidden xenophobia?

Консультант по английскому языку: Моргун Наталья Леонидовна

5. Selivonnik Yana/ Селивонник Яна

Faculty of Philosophy /Философский факультет

Fomenkova Yekaterina/Фоменкова Екатерина

Faculty of Philosophy/Философский факультет

Studying Public Relations in Russian and American universities: a comparative analysis /Изучение связей с общественностью в российских и американских университетах: сравнительный анализ

The presentation tries to compare educational programs of PR specialties at leading universities in Russia and the USA. On the basis of data some conclusions were made which show that there is a deep difference between Russian and American teaching programs and methods. This difference may have several explanations, the most important one is a deep cultural gap. The presentation also demonstrates, among other things, the demand for graduates in the international labor market.

Консультант по английскому языку: Моргун Наталья Леонидовна

Социологический факультет

Секция 1

16 марта 2021 г., вторник

09.00-14.00

На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Крошкина Мария, Подбуцкая Ольга

1. Alexandra Alexandrova/ Александрова Александра

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

**The world of advertising as an illusion that simplifies our lives (with reference to the UK)/
Мир рекламы как иллюзия, значительно упрощающая нашу жизнь (на примере Великобритании)**

The project is devoted to the peculiarities of British advertising as for the last 30 years London has been considered the Mecca of Advertising. Nowadays ads are everywhere providing consumers with an illusion of freedom. At the same time advertising can be seen an indicator of a country's culture. As for the UK advertising, its characteristic features are hints and carefully designed insights, language manipulation, dominance of short phrases, frequent use of such adjectives as British, English. Among the peculiarities of British advertising there is an emphasis on the product's high quality for British consumers, as a rule, inherit their brand preferences from previous generations.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

2. Anastasia Kunitsyna/ Куницына Анастасия

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The image of Christmas in the English literature/ Образ Рождества в английской литературе

The project is devoted to the analysis of the image of Christmas in the English classic literature. It's a well-known fact that Christmas is the most loved feast in Britain. Christmas traditions in Britain are unique: making and burning Christmas (Yule) logs, decorating the house with mistletoe, presenting gifts in Christmas stockings and, of course, having Christmas pudding for dessert. But the main thing is the Christmas service. Having analyzed Oscar Wilde's fairy tale "The Selfish Giant", "A Christmas Carol" by Charles Dickens and Clement Moore's poem "Twas the Night before Christmas", it's possible to conclude that Christmas is so much loved as it is the birth of faith and hope for the salvation of the soul.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

3. Polina Sdobnikova/ Сдобникова Полина

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Popular teams and individual sports in the UK: a sociological analysis/ Популярные в Великобритании командные и индивидуальные виды спорта: социологический анализ

The project is devoted to the sociological analysis of popular team and individual sports in the UK. The number of people in the United Kingdom who play sports has increased significantly in recent years. Some sports attract a minority or only certain classes of society, while others appeal to the vast majority of Britons. The most popular team sports are football, rugby, polo, and cricket. Popular individual sports are golf, equestrian sports, tennis, and boxing. Almost all members of the royal family are involved in sports to some extent. They are the personification, the example

for their subjects. So, it's possible to conclude that playing sports is a part of British culture and way of life.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

4. Maria Tigieva/ Тигиева Мария

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

London as “the divorce capital of the world”/ Лондон как «мировая столица бракоразводных процессов»

The project is intended to highlight a special dimension of the image of London – London as the divorce capital of the world. Such a norm of the UK law as ‘needs must always be met’ can be very friendly for wives seeking divorce. It's not a rare case when husband has to support ex-wife until she reaches financial independence. When it's not possible, alimony is paid for the ex-wife's entire life. This can be taken as one of the reasons for the fact that, according to Office for National Statistics, in 2018 divorce rate in the UK fell to its lowest level for almost half a century.

Консультант по английскому языку: Казимова Галина Александровна

5. Sukhorukova Arina, Zelenina Veronica/ Сухорукова Арина, Зеленина Вероника

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Social stratification in Canada: factors of the formation/ Факторы формирования социальной стратификации населения в Канаде

The study is devoted to the problem of poverty in Canada and its circumstances. Even though Canada is one of the wealthiest countries worldwide, poverty is quite severe there. The effects of poverty can be expressed in various aspects of people's lives, including food security, health, and housing. As with the rest of the world, this issue was compounded during the COVID-19 pandemic. The investigation focuses on poverty statistics in Canada. It examines the income level of the population around the country. Various manifestations of poverty in Canada and the government programs aimed to solve this problem are also under consideration in this research.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

6. Gefen Natalia/ Gefen Наталия

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The problem of racial inequality in South Africa as a result of the apartheid of 1948-1994/ Проблема расового неравенства в ЮАР как результат апартеида 1948-1994 годов

Racial discrimination is an essential topic and is widely discussed today. This issue may even reach the point of ethnic cleansing, genocide, or the planned exercise of a racist political program. History knows many cases of the oppression of various peoples, infringement of their rights and discrimination. In South Africa racial discrimination was institutionalized with the enactment of apartheid laws in 1948. Nelson Mandela's electoral victory in 1994 signified the end of apartheid in the country. This research considers the situation of social inequality in South Africa in 1948-1994 and also its consequences, which still exist.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

7. Novozhilova Darya/ Новожилова Дарья

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Hobo: American vagrant subculture as a 21st century social phenomenon/ Хобо: американская субкультура бродяг как социальный феномен 21 века

History shows numerous examples of subcultures, covering a remarkable range of subcultural forms and practices. This study focuses on the Hobo culture - American subculture of the late XIX century. This research considers the origin of the term, the reasons and motives of the subculture members to lead a homeless lifestyle, and its impact on individuals. Hobo culture itself is significant as a social phenomenon and is not typical behaviour for most people. Hobos are associated with deviant behaviour and are not attributed to any other subculture.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

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

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

**Upward mobility in the modern US higher educational system: problems and solutions/
Социальные лифты в современной высшей образовательной системе США:
проблемы и решения**

This research analyzes social lifts' role in modern American society. There are significant problems in terms of keeping these social lifts functioning. Various factors that determine unequal access to higher education for representatives of different social strata in American society are considered in this work. Special attention is given to the fact that education is a source for subsequent social development. The research also compares social education in American society to other equally popular elevators such as the business army and others. Moreover, this work is also aimed to identify the advantages and disadvantages of this social elevator.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

9. Minkin Artem, Sabadin Arkadiy/ Минкин Артем, Сабадин Аркадий

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

**The emergence of subcultures in the United Kingdom due to the economic crisis/
Экономический кризис как причина зарождения субкультур в Великобритании**

World War II left a deep trace in the history of many European countries, including Great Britain that had to overcome the severe economic crisis, the political schism and the formation of new Social and Political movements that still exist. This work is aimed to consider the most widespread and influential subcultures of the UK that originated at the turn of the 60s and 70s of the XX century. There are many reasons for the emergence and development of such movements as skinheads, punks, hippies, teddy boys, rockers, goths and many others. In this work, we take a closer look at the causes and consequences of social movements' formation in the UK.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

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

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

**The impact of environmental issues on the life quality in the Philippines: a sociological analysis/
Влияние экологических проблем на качество жизни населения на Филиппинах: социологический анализ**

The Philippines, an island nation in Southeast Asia, is located in the western Pacific Ocean between Indonesia and Taiwan and includes 7,107 islands. It is one of the most favourite tourist destinations all around the world. Nevertheless, few people know about the environmental problems in this country. The Philippines is suffering from the degradation of the natural environment. This study analyzes such issues as the risk of natural disasters, water and air pollution, deforestation, climate change, etc. The research also considers the consequences of these environmental problems and their impact on the population's health. As a result, such diseases as dengue fever, malaria, and cholera have increased throughout the years.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

11. Lapshina Kseniia/ Лапшина Ксения

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

**Living conditions of people with disabilities in the United States: a sociological study/
Условия жизни людей с ограниченными возможностями в США: социологический анализ**

Disabled people are a rather vulnerable group of people as they are more dependent on external conditions. The United States is actively engaged in the development of an accessible environment for the people with disabilities. Raising this issue at the legislative level and taking measures to

support people with disabilities changes their self-esteem and the attitude of other people. It was relevant and interesting to analyze the history of this issue and the ways of its solution.

Консультант по английскому языку: Ильина Галина Алексеевна

12. Zarembo Diana and Tiranova Arina/ Зарембо Диана и Тиранова Арина

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The impact of social experiments by American scientists of the 20th century on the development of social sciences and humanities/ Влияние социальных экспериментов американских ученых XX века на развитие социальных и гуманитарных наук

In this research, the role of social experiments conducted by American scientists of the 20th century in the formation and development of social and human sciences is analysed and revealed. The contribution of leading scientists of the last century to the development of modern psychology, social psychology, sociology of organisations and social technologies is traced. The Hawthorne studies of Elton Mayo, the Asch Conformity Experiments and the bystander effect studies of John Darley and Bibb Latané are presented. The possibility and prospects of theoretical and practical application of the results obtained in the course of social experiments are presented.

13. Tafintseva Olga and Safronova Varvara/ Тафинцева Ольга и Сафронова Варвара

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

**Public reaction to the death of Princess Diana or the tragedy of Great Britain /
Общественная реакция на смерть принцессы Дианы или трагедия Великобритании**

Princess Diana was the first wife of Prince Charles. She won the hearts of the nation, as well as international recognition. Her death was one of the most important events in the history of Great Britain in the 20th century. People are still coming up with new theories. This work is devoted to the analysis of the reaction of society to this tragedy, which influenced the attitude of the people to the royal family and to the political regime. Today, Diana remains the Princess of the people's hearts and millions of people remember her.

Консультант по английскому языку: Ильина Галина Алексеевна

14. Yaroslavskaya Liza and Voronkova Polina/ Ярославская Лиза и Воронкова Полина

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Myths and the formation of the Irish worldview/ Миф как ресурс формирования мировоззрения Ирландцев

We analyze the impact of such a mysterious phenomenon as Celtic myths on the Irish worldview. The study of mythology has always been of interest in the light of its vast substantive amplitude, including the most diverse forms of manifestation from archaic myths to modern ones. Myth has always represented the character and the way of thinking of people, reflecting their everyday life, beliefs, and rituals. Undoubtedly, the formation of the current culture of Ireland was greatly influenced by its ancient myths. But this work is not just about Irish cultural heritage: it is based on a much more pressing problem of the formation and development of man, touching on the question: "how can myth influence the consciousness, the way of thinking, and the worldview of the people?"

Консультант по английскому языку: Ильина Галина Алексеевна

15. Margarita Shavykina and Ekaterina Bezverbnaya/ Маргарита Шавыкина и Екатерина Безвербная

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The influence of Celtic mythology on contemporary Irish and Scottish culture/ Влияние кельтских мифологических традиций на современную культуру Ирландии и Шотландии

This project is devoted to the main Celtic myths of Ireland and Scotland. We compare the influence of this culture on the lifestyle of Scottish and Irish population groups living in Scotland and Ireland today. We also identify social practices and lifestyle features of the analyzed social groups.

Консультант по английскому языку: Ильина Галина Алексеевна

16. Lisina Elena/ Лисина Елена

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

“The miracle of Singapore”: a history of an Asian dwarf-state/ «Сингапурское чудо»: история маленькой азиатской страны

Singapore turned 55 on August 9, 2020. This small region has become an economic giant and one of the most advanced states of the modern world in just half a century! In addition, Lee Kwan Yew, the leader of Singapore, in a short time stopped what the leading states of the world have been struggling with for hundred years – corruption. The amazing history of Singapore, its multinational culture, perfectly mixed ancient traditions and digital technologies cannot be ignored by people all over the world: from those making a fresh start to the experienced adventurers.

Консультант по английскому языку: Ильина Галина Алексеевна

17. Gilmutdinova Aigul/ Гильмутдинова Айгуль

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The history and enigma of Stonehenge: a socio-cultural analysis/ История и загадки Стоунхенджа: социокультурный анализ

The research analyses the history and secrets of the origin of Stonehenge. This monument of ancient architecture attracts tourists from all over the world. Historians, archaeologists, geologists, and physicists have been studying the origin of Stonehenge for many years. Today, Stonehenge forms the heart of a World Heritage Site, with a unique concentration of prehistoric monuments.

Консультант по английскому языку: Ильина Галина Алексеевна

18. Lazareva Ekaterina/ Лазарева Екатерина

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Historical and natural monuments of North America: a socio-cultural analysis/ Историко-культурные и природные памятники Северной Америки: социокультурный анализ

The investigation is devoted to the objects of cultural and natural heritage of North America, namely the United States and Canada. Our research is about the main national parks and monuments of these countries, and then we compare their general characteristics, such as the area of the occupied territory, tourist flows, and others. The author also considers the impact of the Coronavirus pandemic on Tourist flows in these national parks.

Консультант по английскому языку: Ильина Галина Алексеевна

19. Vasileva Anna/ Васильева Анна

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The participation of the British people in the modern political life of the country: a sociological analysis/ Участие граждан Великобритании в современной политической жизни страны: социологический анализ

The study is devoted to the factors affecting the internal political situation and social life of the British population. These factors include: political participation and orientation of citizens and the level of trust in political organizations. The data of the European Social Survey (9th wave -

November 2018 - February 2019, sample size - 2416 interviews) were used for this analysis. The following conclusion was drawn: a low level of trust in political organizations and, on the contrary, a high trust in law enforcement form the strategies for the participation of the British citizens in the process of political governance.

Консультант по английскому языку: Павлова Елена Касимовна

20. Bazakov Alikhan/ Базаков Алихан

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Social problems in the latest cartoons of the American studio Disney/ Социальные проблемы в последних мультфильмах американской студии Дисней

The research considers the visibly expressed forms in which the latest cartoons of the studio “Disney” pay attention to the topical problems of modern society. This cultural phenomenon has tremendously wide impact on the socialization processes of the growing generation. Cartoons can introduce children to some negative or positive aspects of adult life -the aspects presented in Disney cartoons become a meaningful topic, it is focused on the creation of attitudes in those who, in ten years’ time, will actively participate in social life.

Консультант по английскому языку: Рассошенко Жанетта Викторовна

21. Khlynin Andrey/ Хлынин Андрей

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Educational trajectories of elites in Russia and the UK/ Образовательные траектории представителей элит в России и Великобритании

The research presents a comparative analysis of the educational trajectories of representatives of the political elite in modern Russia and Great Britain. The main purpose of the research is to specify the role of education in the creation and maintenance of elite communities. The comparative analysis conducted is based on a sociological study of secondary data: on the one hand, and investigation of 635 structured biographies of the political and administrative elite of Russia, on the other hand. The positions of 85,000 graduates of elite universities in Great Britain were also analyzed. Based on these data, the author concludes that although in Russia the idea of the existence of a pool of elite universities is questioned because the process of its formation is incomplete, in Great Britain there is a distinct stratification of results by universities. The significance of a geographically concentrated group of elite universities in providing access to top positions in British society is shown.

Консультант по английскому языку: Рассошенко Жанетта Викторовна

22. Peredkova Margarita/ Передкова Маргарита

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The history of urbanization and de-urbanization in the USA: a sociological analysis/ История урбанизации и дезурбанизации в США: социологический анализ

The purpose of the research is to study the development and current state of urbanization and de-urbanization in the United States. Secondary data from Russian and foreign sources such as research results, scientific articles and publications in scientific journals were analyzed in this study. Sociological research made it possible to identify the drivers of urbanization in the 20th century and the reasons for de-urbanization in the late 20th and early 21st centuries. The intensification of de-urbanization caused by the coronavirus pandemic will lead to significant changes in social interactions and social structure of the US society.

Консультант по английскому языку: Павлова Елена Касимовна

Секция 2
20 марта 2021 г., суббота,
09:30 – 12.10
На платформе Zoom

Ведущие: Крошкина Мария, Подбуцкая Ольга

1. Parshina Liudmila/ Паршина Людмила

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The changes in the value structure of society due to Covid-19-related social limitations: a case study of Canada/ Социальные ограничения, связанные с коронавирусом, как фактор изменения ценностной структуры общества (на примере Канады)

The ongoing coronavirus pandemic is spreading across the globe, threatening lives and upending the world economy. More and more countries are placing restrictions on the movement of their citizens. Most of them were not ready to face the deadly virus spreading. Governments are taking necessary steps to protect their citizens from the new coronavirus disease. In some countries, tough measures have been taken to avoid the collapse of the country's healthcare system. Canada is one of those countries where social measures are very strict. This study is aimed to analyze the social limitations due to the new coronavirus and their impact on Canadian society.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

2. Schastlivy Sergey, Tsygankova Ann/ Счастливый Сергей, Цыганкова Анна

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

A critical review of invisible privilege theory in the USA/ Критический обзор теории невидимых привилегий в США

The invisible privilege theory is of great importance for sociological studies. The concept of privilege is essential; it means that a special advantage is given only to one person or group of people. The invisible privilege theory refers to such important notions as gender, race, social and economic inequality, religion, and others. In this research, we consider some types of privileges being debated in the USA nowadays: class privilege, gender privilege and white privilege.

Консультант по английскому языку: Поцыбина Елена Павловна

3. Khusanova Gulshoda / Хусанова Гулшода

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Environmental pollution in Australia: a comparative analysis across regions/ Загрязнение окружающей среды в Австралии: сравнительный анализ по регионам

In recent years the number of environmental problems has increased dramatically, which is affecting our planet severely. Unfortunately, Australia is encountering significant environmental problems both on land and in its marine area. The Australian ecology still suffers from the recent massive bushfires, deforestation, and climate change. This research undertakes a comparative analysis of the environmental situation in different regions of Australia and provides an overview of the extent of institutionalization of public participation in Australia's environmental governance. It also discusses the environmental state of river systems, lagoons and coastal lakes, the environmental impacts of human settlements, and other aspects.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

4. Sokolova Olya, Imennych Vladimir/ Соколова Оля, Именных Владимир

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

The Education System in Canada: Immigrant Student Achievement/ Система образования Канады: академическая успеваемость студентов-иммигрантов

Canada is one of the few countries with large number of immigrant population. More than a third of young adult in Canada are from families where both parents are from another country. A thorough understanding of the relationship between immigrant student academic achievement and education policy in Canada is critical to the survival and prosperity of Canada. In our research, we deal with key data of immigrant student achievements. These data taken from PISA (the Program for International Student Assessment) illustrate that there is nearly no gap in academic performance between immigrant students and their native counterparts. In conclusion, we highlight that this incredible success is due to the equality and fairness for migrant students that is seen throughout schools in Canada.

Консультант по английскому языку: Поцыбина Елена Павловна

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

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Cultural heritage of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland: community organizations and government support/ Культурное наследие Соединенного Королевства Великобритании и Северной Ирландии: общественные организации и государственная поддержка

Culture and cultural heritage are essential tools that bring people together and play an indispensable role in society. Cultural heritage is not only limited to material objects, but also consists of immaterial elements. Therefore, the importance of preserving cultural heritage, which lies in the sense of belonging and unity that it offers, remains a high priority for humankind. In this study, we describe different instruments and methods that the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and various civil organizations use to preserve cultural heritage. This work also analyzes the Cultural Heritage System in the UK and its effectiveness.

Консультант по английскому языку: Хачатрян Гаяне Самвеловна

6. Belova Julia, Vasilenko Elizaveta/ Белова Юлия, Василенко Елизавета

Faculty of Sociology/ Социологический факультет

Canadian multiculturalism policy/ Политика мультикультурализма в Канаде

In our research we are dealing with the phenomenon of multiculturalism in Canada. It can be represented both as an ideology and as an official government policy in Canada. In the research we have used different data to illustrate the effectiveness of multiculturalism as a state policy. We have discovered that multiculturalism promotes the full and equitable participation of individuals and communities of all origins in all aspects of Canadian society.

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Loneliness of older people in the UK: problems and solutions/ Одиночество пожилых людей в Великобритании: проблемы и решения

In this research we deal with to a very acute social problem, the problem of ageing. According to official statistics, the global share of individuals aged 60 years or over is expected to reach 21.1% by 2050. Up to 50% of those aged over 60 are at risk of social isolation and approximately one-third of older people will experience some degree of loneliness later in life. The problem of loneliness in older people is a very pressing one in the UK as about half of the elderly people in the UK aged 75 and over live alone, that is, about 2 million people. A thorough analysis of a number of social works provided us with data that allowed us to supply with some

recommendations: how to reduce social isolation and loneliness, and how to increase opportunity for social interaction in this age group.

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Healthcare system in the USA: its structure and limitations/ Система здравоохранения США: структура и ограничения

In this project we consider the United States health care system. In the USA the health care system is well-developed: it is the largest employment area in the country, about 7 million people work in it, but it has some serious problems. Firstly, the US health system does not provide health care to the country's entire population. Instead, most citizens are covered by a combination of private insurance and various federal and state programs. Secondly, in the USA most medical practices are organized as business, medical practice profit-making corporations are playing an increasingly large role in providing medical care, and chains of private, "for-profit" hospitals are growing. In our research we highlight the main limitations of the US healthcare system.

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The history of the kilt as a national costume in Scotland/ Шотландский килт как национальный костюм: история

The project is devoted to the history of the Scottish kilt. The Scottish kilt is a symbol of bravery, freedom, courage, and the severity of real highlanders. The first mention of a man's skirt dates back to the VII century AD, but written confirmation appeared only in the XVI century. Today, if we meet a person dressed in a kilt, the first question will be: "Why?". But for those who remember and honor the culture of Scotland it is not just an item of the wardrobe. This is a national dress referring to an entire era.

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Covid-19 pandemic and its influence on the English language/ Влияние пандемии Ковид-19 на английский язык

The project is based on the recent lecture by prof. David Crystal "The Future of English, Revisited" and its discussion at the international conference "Linguistics of Distancing". According to prof. Crystal, not so many pandemic-related coinages have come into English but these updates show us how language can quickly change in the face of unprecedented social and economic disruption. A part of the new vocabulary adopted by the language are previously obscure medical terms. It's worth mentioning that there are some regional differences for the written name of this pandemic, e.g. "COVID" is dominant in the US, Canada and Australia while "Covid" is more common in the UK, Ireland, New Zealand and South Africa.

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American fashion of the 1990s: a socio-cultural analysis/ Американская мода 1990-х гг: социокультурный анализ

The general purpose of this project is to examine dominant styles in the US fashion of the 1990s taking into consideration socio-cultural development of the country and its manifestation in fashion trends. Among the fashion styles under scrutiny there are grunge, hip-hop, glamour, preppy, and high fashion. The findings of the study reveal how fashion styles serve an ability to

express one's identities like social status, sex, ethnicity, etc. Further research in this area of studies could provide more valuable information about society and its culture.

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Final exams in the UK and Russia: a comparative analysis/ Сравнительный анализ выпускных экзаменов в Великобритании и России

Both in the UK and in Russia, schoolchildren take exams to confirm the level of knowledge gained at school. But, of course, there are certain differences due to the cultural and educational characteristics of each country.

In Russia, it is required to spend at least 9 years at school. After that, the final exams must be passed; two main and two additional ones. According to the results of the exam, one can go on to University.

In the UK students must take exams for a certificate of general education – GCSE. As a rule, 6 to 8 subjects can be chosen for studying. In any case 6 positive exam marks are required.

Despite some similarities in the final examination systems, there are important differences between them, which largely affect the procedure for admission to university.

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Value orientations of primary school children of generations X and Z: a comparative analysis through the lens of an intergenerational approach/ Сравнительный анализ ценностных ориентаций младших школьников поколений X и Z: межпоколенческий подход

The most important strategic issues of the society are to define the concepts: "what is good and what is bad", "good education", "educational program on new sciences, technologies and lifestyle", as well as the accompanying issues – "interaction with different people", "communication with children and adults". The education system does not always meet the requirements of modern schoolchildren. The research includes the following parts: the main theoretical approaches to the definition of the concept of "value orientation"; the methodological basis of the study; the main results of empirical research aimed at identifying the dominant value orientations of generation X and Z primary school children.

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