

SUMMARY

ROUND TABLE «QUALITY OF EDUCATION: WHERE WE ARE GOING?»

The quality of secondary and high education in Russia was under discussion. The possibilities of its objective evaluation, its recent condition, and the trends of development and perspectives. The participants noted the lack of unambiguous evaluations, and such problems as the absence of clear demand from the state and employers, vagueness of the goals of the permanent educational reforms, and also the attempt to bring the Russian educational system nearer to the «Western» models in the absence thereof the «Western conditions».

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Key words: quality of education, demands for education, Single State Exam, reform of education, culture.

ROUND TABLE «THE PROBLEMS OF TEACHING HUMANITIES IN THE TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY AND THE ROLE OF SCIENTIFIC JOURNALS»

The problem under discussion is the significance of philosophy for the teaching activity at the system of high education, methods of the organizing communication, and the role played by the scientific journals in this process.

Key words: scientific journal, philosophy, objectivity, universe of communication, training for engineers.

DIALECTICS OF THING AND PROCESS: RELATIVISTIC MODEL OF THE REALITY

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Clause is devoted to the comparative characteristics ontologic of the circuits, variants of conceptual constructions. Further is submitted relativistic model of a reality from positions of the diachronic analysis. Within the framework of the offered model the definitions of a matter and being in a specifically ontological context are given.

Key words: reism, atributivism, relationism, thing, process, diachrony, relativism, matter, being.

ABOUT DIALECTICS OF FREEDOM AND DESTINY

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The paper presents interpretation of classical philosophical theme of freedom and destiny mutual connection. The main contents of investigation is analysis of destiny idea, its different meanings as cosmic fate and personal destiny and also in the aspect of subject/object notional opposition.

Key words: freedom, fate, destiny, self-consciousness, subject, object.

HISTORY AND MEMORY

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History and memory are different ways of constructing the past, but with their own methods and objectives, and authors and audiences. They are not adequately distinguished, and both are confused with myth and tradition. Yet they are distinct and must remain so.

Key words: history, memory, myth, tradition, historicism, truth, relativity.

IN WHAT SPECIFICITY OF A MYTH CONSISTS?

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The purpose of given article consists in definition of intrinsic features of a myth. It is shown that narrativity, rituality, symbolical and archetypical character should be considered as intrinsic and myth peculiar features.

Key words: Myth, narrative, archetype, symbol, ritual.

RUSSIAN PROSE: TWO BACKBONE COURSES

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The author suggests the theory of two backbone courses of the Russian fiction of the last two centuries. Taking into account the works of the most important prosaic writers the author characterizes these two courses as the «Sun» (mostly realistic, directed towards the comprehension

of the beauty of the world) and the «Moon» one (fantastic, linked with the infernal mysticism and the dark images of the unconscious). The general tendency is demonstrated of the increasing role of the «Moon» style and its supremacy in the recent time.

Key words: man, style, realism, creativity, literacy, infernal mysticism, epoch of Sodom.

ALCHEMY: ELIXIR VITAE AND ART TO DIE

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Article is devoted to the phenomenon of alchemy, purpose which was the reception of Philosopher's stock and Elixir Vitae. The search of Philosopher's stock or Elixir Vitae inevitably supposes change self subject. For the reception of Elixir Vitae alchemist should be to master art to die. Describing stages of its art alchemists widely use the various forms of allegories, of metaphor, of legend, one of which is considered in article.

Key words: alchemia, Philosopher's stock, vas Hermeticum, death, Opus magnum, elixir vitae, lapis, vitriol.

INSURANCE SYSTEM IN RUSSIA IN 1992–1998

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The insurance system is regarded as the most important institution of the capitalistic economics and as the indicator of its maturity. From this point of view it is demonstrated that Russian insurance system was extremely weak and non-effective, which reflected the character of Russian economics at this period. The overwhelming majority of the operations of the Russian insurance system was financial schemes and compulsory insurance.

Key words: insurance system, Russian capitalism, assets, financial schemes, insurance payments, foreign insurance companies.

PRIMARY PRE-PROFESSIONAL MUSICAL EDUCATION (Wind and percussion instruments)

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The new understanding of the goals of education as a service has resulted in a situation where the education accommodates the demands of different layers of the population, ignoring

the established academic traditions. The article presents the project of Federal State demands of the educational program in the musical art sphere «Wind and percussion instruments». This project, for the first time in the history of primary musical education offers an approach to education from the point of view of the formation of specific competences.

Key words: musical education, FSD (Federal State Demands), musical art, wind and percussion instruments, standards, competences.

THEORY OUT-OF-SCHOOL EDUCATION IN RUSSIA IN THE FIRST YEARS OF SOVIET POWER

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This article analyzes the development of theoretical perspectives on the process of organization and purpose of out-of-school education in the first years after the establishment of Soviet power in Russia, analyzes the approaches of V.A. Zelenko and E.N. Medinsky.

Key words: school education, personal development, cultural and educational activities.

CONCEPTS OF MASCULINITY AND FEMININITY IN LINE WITH THE GENDER APPROACH

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Article is devoted to the concepts of masculinity and femininity in terms of the social construction of gender and gender systems. Multiple concepts of masculinity and femininity are analyzed both in theoretical and empirical aspects. Author provides a typology of masculinity and femininity.

Key words: gender, gender system, masculinity, femininity.

INSTITUTIONAL REGULATORS OF ORGANIC MODERNIZATION: VIRTUAL PRACTICES AND SOCIAL REALITY

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In the article offered to analyze the problems of contemporary Russian's modernization on the basis of exposing specific institutional regulators as «virtuals». «Virtuals» consider as stable, expected models of social practice, which integrate actual and potential threats of every day's

behavior in the united picture of future society's condition. Management of «virtuals» let to overcome the break between social reality and social actuality.

Key words: institutional regulators, «virtual», social reality and social actuality, social space, informational resonance, modernization.

THE FIFTIES ...

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The article forms the part of the study «Artistic life in XX-th century Novosibirsk» designed to analyze the organizational forms of the professional and amateur art as well as the easel and monumental kinds of the artistic work in their evolution and interaction during the course of the hundred years. The article continues the published earlier articles from «Ideas and ideals» The chronological boundaries of the article are 1950-1953

Key words: The Eighth Regional Exhibition, folk art, Siberian Artist's Conference, Tyutikov's jubilee.

SCIENTIFIC STATUS OF THE DARWIN'S THEORY OF EVOLUTION

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SIN OF LIE: FACT AND OBJECT

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Article contains a methodological substantiation and experience of empirical research of lie as sin by means of sociology.

Key words: axiological deformation; sin; deproblematization; intention of condemnation; lie; sociocultural echo; problematization.

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