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## Governing territories: perspective of Dmitry Medvedev's institutional reforms

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The article is devoted to one of the main topical issues of modern political process in Russia: perspective of the institutional reforms, initiated by Dmitry Medvedev. The main emphasis is placed upon particular considerations relating to the functioning of the president's representatives in the federal districts (polpredy) and the Federal Council and also possible measures to improve their efficiency.

Key words: political institutions, government, efficiency, federal reform, polpredy, Federal Council.

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## State Ideology in the struggle with extremism and terrorism

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The article examines the origin of ethnically-based religious extremism and terrorism spread among young people in Russia and provides effective solutions to the problems in question.

Key words: Radical Islam, radicalism, ideology of extremism and terrorism, extremism, terrorism, ethnically-based terrorism, xenophobia, reasons, conditions, factors.

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# The «Sustainable development's» myths: the «Global getting warmer» or the global «creeping revolution»?

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The fourth part of the article is devoted to the critical analysis of the «Sustainable development's» conception. The author pays his opinion to the different variants of the UN's reform, including the transformation of its institutes and structures. This problem is investigated in the connection with the UN cooperation with the another world policy's subjects. The author marks formal and non-formal ties between the institutes of states, international, non-governmental and private organizations. The higher level of the global governance's structure is discovered in the article due to the interaction of those institutes. The model of this phenomenon, which is offered by the author, includes seven levels.

Key words: «Sustainable development», global governance, global power, UN, Millennium Development Goals, Council on Foreign Relations, the Bilderbergs, Trilateral Comission, SI, non-governmental organizations.

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## Forms of the Political struggle

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In article forms of the Political struggle, their classification are considered; such forms of the political strike, as elections, parliamentary activity, public actions, war, revolution, counterrevolution, terrorism, guerrilla movement are opened.

*Key words:* peace (nonviolent) forms of political strike, unpacific (violent) forms of political struggle, revolution, counterrevolution, revolution, guerrilla movement.

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# Deadlocks in the water-capacious products trade. Theoretical issues of water-capacious products trade

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The first part of the article considers theoretical aspects of water-capacious products trade broadening, in order to solve the problem of water and food shortage. The authors made a review of methods developed in the UN, to define a real role of present and future water shortage to be a factor in forming export-import flows of agricultural products on the world market. Russian water potential to solve those problems is considered.

Key words: Water abundant Russia, foreign and Russian studies of water-capacious products trade, water use in agriculture, methods to assess water-capacious products flows, water productivity.

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#### Forecasting of a energy policy

#### V.Artushkin

Procedure of forecasting an economic and political situation connected with current situation at the world oil market is offered in the article. The procedure contains compact mathematical model of a cycling economic processes. The model allows to split the dynamics of the current situation and compare caused economic and political factors. The statistical interrelation of political and economic processes and cyclic pattern are offered as a basis for a scenary method of a energy policy forecasting.

*Key words:* the energy policy, current situation at the world oil market, modeling, economic forecasting, political forecasting.

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### Politics of security in Russia and European Union: perspectives of cooperation

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This article is devoted to the cooperation between Russia and European Union in the sphere of security in conditions of globalisation. The most important factor is globalisation of the modern world in XXI century, which forms new threats to security, which define as well the features of changes in the theory and strategy of the politics of security. The main strategy of Russia and European Union to stand against the threats of globalization seems to be mutual cooperation with the aim to provide security in European continent.

Key words: globalization, politics of security, threats of security, integration, priorities.

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## Obama's National Security Strategy: has the radical renewal happened?

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The new Barak Obama's national security strategy is examined. It is compared with analogical documents of the George Bush, Jr. It is concluded that in spite of some innovations the Strategy-2010 continues the course of previous administrations and reflects Washington's aspiration to provide the idea of American leadership with a more attractive image for foreign partners and find new ways to return the U.S. world domination.

Key words: National security strategy, Barak Obama, American world leadership.

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## OIC and konflict in Nagorno-Karabakh

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The article contains an analysis of the role of the Organization of the Islamic Conference (OIC) in resolving the conflict in Nagorno-Karabakh. The Author examines the strengths and weaknesses of the organization, its effectiveness as the largest Muslim international intergovernmental organization. Particular attention is paid to the contradictions in the geopolitical and geo-economic interests of member states of the OIC in the South Caucasus region.

Key words: Organization of the Islamic Conference (OIC), Nagorno-Karabakh, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Turkey, Iran.

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## Tajikistan-China Cooperation: formation, development and potential

#### R.Alimov

The article analyses current situation and prospects of the development of the whole range of Tajik-Chinese relations. It is highlighted that the bilateral cooperation, trade in particular, is dynamically developing. China has become the first and so far the only neighbor state, with which Tajikistan has resolved its border issue. The article is rich in examples, data and facts which emphasize the level of cooperation between two neighbor states, including in the framework of Shanghai Organization of Cooperation.

Key words: Tajikistan, tajik-chinese cooperation, good neighborliness, Kulma-Karasu, SOC.

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### Who is the master of the Amazon region?

#### T.Petrova

The article is devoted to the problems of using biological and water resources of the Amazon River. The author considers positions of Latin American countries, as well as the positions of USA and other countries. The author correlates difficulties in achieving positive results with deep disagreements of all parties concerned in the development of this region, as well as lack of a clear legal basis both at regional and global level.

*Key words:* climate change, forest conservations, biological and water resources of the Amazon River, Indian population, the programs of territorial development.

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## The Army of "new world order"

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Reviewing the monography, written by well known politolog, professor V.V.Schtol «Army of "the new world order"», the author said that the book draws attention of the reader to the role and position of North Atlantic Alliance (NATO) in the World policy as a key element of strengthening the Western leadership and global expansion.

Key words: Army, new world order, North Atlantic Alliance, world policy, Western leadership.

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