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In article the author considers time and the reasons of emergence of Pan-Slavist ideas in Russia. He notes that the Pan-Slavist idea among the Slavic people arises and develops within those processes which took place to Europe from the first quarter of the XIX century when ideas of people's sovereignty and self-determination of the people – extend from the empire to the empire, lifting an ethno-national wave which finally destroyed the multinational states.

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Key words: Pan-Slavism, Slavophiles, Slavic committees, I.S.Aksakov.

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The article contains an overview of the Treaty on Eurasian Economic Union and analysis of the political aspects thereof. Notwithstanding the fact that the Treaty is focused on the economic integration the author comes to a conclusion that the Treat covers wide variety of political issues. The author analyses the key challenges and perspectives of the forming Eurasian Economic Union.

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Key words: Treaty on the Eurasian Economic Union, EEU, V.V. Putin, N.A. Nazarbaev, A.G. Lukashenko, Eurasian integration, economic integration, political integration.

BRICS as new architecture of multipolar world order

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This article discusses the global development and its manifestation in the modern world. BRICS is viewed as a form of integration with special geographical and functional parameters, which allows considering it as a new type of interstate cooperation. The main focus is concentrated on the interaction of BRICS member states and their role in contemporary international relations.

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Key words: BRICS, integration, international organizations, new world order, globalization.

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The article describes processes of realization of the technologies of «colour revolutions» in events of the «Arab spring» and then in Ukraine. The analysis of a situation and those prerequisites which have influenced the course of events in each region is given.

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Key words: Color revolutions, Arab spring, Euromaidan, Overton’s window.

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The author tries to find an answer to the following question: “How does religion way of life, values and doctrine work as an element of the formation of power and of the social structure?” Serious attention has been paid to the correlation of religious traditions and the appearance of a rigidly hierarchical domination model.

The author makes an especially thorough analysis of the symbolic capital of Orthodox Christianity and its influence on the development of social realities.

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Key words: power, state, legitimization, democracy, values, religion, Orthodox Christianity.

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The article studies the counterterrorism experience of secret services and law enforcement bodies of the USA, Great Britain, France, Spain and a number of the Near and Middle East states. It shows the approaches and specific measures to counter terrorism.

The author analyzes the phenomenon of “counterterrorist operation” in the context of political stand-off in the modern world. The article studies the contradiction between the practice used by the US federal bodies to counter extremist and terrorist activities and the principles of the international public and humanitarian law.

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Key words: secret services and law enforcement bodies, terrorism, extremist organization, joint military and police operations, Europol, counterterrorist operation, the 6-th generation wars.

**Evolution of the exam’s for migrants in Russia module.
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E. Kiseleva

Starting from January 1, 2015, certain categories of migrants in Russia will be obliged to pass an exam in the Russian language, history of Russia and the basics of the Russian legal system.

The article reflects a development of the legal module of the exam that took place in process of the exam’s elaboration and approbation. The examples used illustrate what was left aside in course of discussions and sample testing, what elements, on the other hand, were included. The changes of module’s structure, as well as transformation of the examination tasks’ language is also demonstrated.

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Key words: migration, integration of migrants, integration test, the Russian legal system for migrants.

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The article examines the relationship between Russia and the European Union in the context of the political situation in Ukraine. The author analyzes the foreign policy of the Russian Federation in the energy sector.

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Key words: Russia, European Union, Ukraine, USA, energy partnership, “South Stream”.

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During last twenty years the Caspian region has to face some difficult times, connected not only with the development of the energy potential, but also with the uncertainty of the legal status and the conflict of interest of some extra-regional participants. Until recently, Caspian regional countries were not ready to solve old familiar aches without the biggest international players, such as the USA, China, EU etc. However the safety of the region requires decisions for the benefit of the region in the whole and each country separately.

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Key words: the Caspian region, energy policy, transportation of energy.

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Paper provides comparative analysis of economic trends and indicators of Kosovo region before and after actual separation from Serbia as well as matching two simultaneously functioning sectors – legal and illegal – for contemporary part; it brings to light dominant character and potential of the “shadow” sector and poor development and prospects of the legal sector.

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Key words: Kosovo’s economy, Kosovo’s investment climate, Albanians.

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In Memory of Natalia Evgenyevna Bazhanova

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The material is dedicated to the memory of one of the leading Russian experts on Korea and Orient – Natalia Evgenyevna Bazhanova.

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