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# **POLITICAL PRAXEOLGY AND METHODOLOGICAL EVOLUTION OF POLITICAL SCIENCE**

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System of Political Science is divided into three major groups sciences: theoretical (theory and history of political thought, theory and history of law, political philosophy, political history, political ideology, and so on.), Praxeological (political management, political marketing, information – communicative management) and theoretical prakselohichni (political psychology, political sociology, political communication, political anthropology, political culture, ethnic gosudarstvovedenie and so on. al.). Political management and marketing are considered as the sciences that governs the political market. Types of political marketing: public opinion research, electoral engineering, political advertising and image study. Types of political mamagement: campaign management, government management, management of political campaign of particular importance is the system of political communication. Types of political communication: through the media, organizations, informal contacts.

**Key words:** government, political market, political praxeology, political management, political marketing, political communication, methodology, method.

**THE ELEMENTAL COMPOSITION OF STATE FORMS:  
THEORETICAL AND LEGAL ANALYSIS**

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The authors elucidate the essence of the form of the state as a whole, as well as coverage ratio of total relevant aspects of the concept of "form of government" and its structural elements in modern state-legal theory. Much interest in the outlined problems are not confined to a scientific and practical sense, given the need to find the optimal model of the Ukrainian state.

**Key words:** form of state, form of government, form of state system, political regime, state regime.

# POST-SOVIET TRANSFORMATIONS THROUGH THE PRISM OF TRANZITOLOGY

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The problems which arose before transitology taking into account contradictory course of post-soviet political transformations are considered in the article. The overview of main approaches is given. Proposals on modernizing the transit paradigm and ways of future researches are given. Sure, the paradigm of democratic transit played the positive role, however obviously, that realities of postsoviet space do not coincide with positions of this model. Absolute majority of postsoviet countries which examined by transit within the limits of the “third waves of democratization”, did not move up considerable appearance in the construction of democracy. Part from their re-consolidated authoritarian modes on new basis, and majority presently is in an indefinite phase between authoritarianism and democracy. Accordingly, useful to research of the modes of postsoviet space is concept of delegate democracy, and also scientific attention to efficiency and stability of the state in transit societies.

**Key words:** transitology, democratization, democratic transit, political regime, transformation, post-soviet space.

**REFORMATION OF THE PUBLIC AUTHORITIES TERRITORIAL  
ORGANIZATION IN CZECH REPUBLIC IN THE CONTEXT  
OF REALIZATION EUROPEAN INTEGRATION COURSE**

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In the article the author analyses the stages of reforming and the tendencies of development of the territorial public administration in the Czech Republic. The author draws a conclusion that the reform of the public administration in the Czech Republic secured the formation of the multilevel territorial administration according to the demands of the European Union.

**Key words:** public administration, reforming, Czech Republic.

# UKRAINIAN-SLOVAK TRANS-BORDER COOPERATION: NEW PRIORITIES OF DEVELOPMENT IN XXI CENTURY

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The author researched the basic principles of the implementation of the Ukrainian-Slovak trans-border cooperation in whole and analysis of the specifics of the modern development. The article considers theoretical and juridical European aspects of the trans-border cooperation of Ukraine and Slovakia. The role and place of strategic principles in formation new system of the trans-border cooperation are defined.

**Key words:** Ukraine, Slovakia, European Union, integration, region, strategy, trans-border cooperation.

# NATIONALIZATION OF THE PARTY SYSTEM OF UKRAINE: RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

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In the article is being researched the rate of nationalization of the party system of Ukraine according to the results of parliament elections of year 2014. There were characterized factors, which promote\impede nationalization of party systems. The traits of regional parties were emphasized. The analysis of the nationalization rate of Ukraine was made based on the empirical parameters: index of nationalization of Jones-Mainwaring, index of fragmentation, indexes of effective number of parties, index of volatility of Pedersen. There were characterized local special aspects of parliament elections of year 2014, results of voting for the main subjects of elective process in general state electoral district. The calculated index of nationalization according to the results of elections of year 2014 is 0, 76. There were made corresponding conclusions about specification of nationalization of Ukraine's party system.

**Key words:** party system of Ukraine, index of party system nationalization, index of volatility of Pedersen, parliament elections of year 2014, political parties, regional parties.



**THE IMPACT OF MILITARY-POLITICAL CRISES  
ON THE TRANSFORMATIONAL PROCESSES  
OF UKRAINIAN PARLIAMENTARISM**

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The article explores modern Ukrainian parliamentarism as an object and political practice of the functioning of the highest representative and legislative body of state power. The author analyzes the domestic and foreign scientific developments in the sphere of studying the influence of the legislative power on the military-political crisis. A separate emphasis is placed on the need for a theoretical rethinking of the concept of "parliamentarism", taking into account its anti-crisis function and Ukraine's experience. Through the study of the theoretical and methodological foundations and practical experience of the functioning of the institution of parliamentarism in stable democracies, perspective directions for improving the Ukrainian version of parliamentarism are proposed.

**Key words:** parliament, political party, folk deputy, legislature, acceptance of political decisions.

# INFLUENCE OF THE POLITICAL CULTURE ON THE FORMATION OF THE PUBLIC AUTHORITIES IN THE CZECH REPUBLIC

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This article is devoted to studying the impact factors of political and cultural nature of the formation of public authorities in the Czech Republic. It is shown that the political culture of the Czech society is high. During the post-socialist period in the Czech Republic confirmed attitude to democracy as the best political regime. The activist political culture evidenced by high participation to the national and local level, and the overall level of satisfaction with the system of public administration can be confirmed by increasing confidence to the relevant authorities and agencies. The author makes the conclusion that the process of the civil society formation in Czech Republic is not finished but the potential opportunities for the civil society consolidation in this country is rather high.

**Key words:** civil society, democracy, political culture, public authority, Czech Republic.

# FEATURES OF FORMATION OF POLITICAL CULTURE IN UKRAINE

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The features of forming of political culture in Ukraine. The features of forming of political culture in Ukraine was analyzed in this article. The main features and peculiarities are considered here. It is concluded, that the development of political culture in Ukraine will be possible only under conditions of consolidation of citizens, creating of the activity political culture and overcoming the fear to go forward, despite the past mistakes and failures.

**Key words:** political culture, civil society, democracy and political participation.

## THE PLACE OF TRUST IN THE SOCIAL CAPITAL SYSTEM

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A concept «Social capital», his forming and accumulation through the presence of general norms and values, mutual trust and social networks is analyzed. Grounded, that a social capital, incarnate as norms and traditions of social solidarity and ramified network of civil participation, is important pre-condition of successful community development. It is rotined that in the conditions of instability role of trust as a resource which is directed on providing of order and stability of the public system on the whole and its separate spheres – ponderable and meaningful, that is why it is necessary to develop the culture of trust on principles of mutually beneficial collaboration, social responsibility.

**Key words:** social capital, trust, stability, order, civil society, responsibility, collaboration.

# **SOCIO-POLITICAL FACTORS OF FORMING OF POLITICAL PARTICIPATION**

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The article is devoted to the analysis of ideological principles and essence descriptions of political participation of the Ukrainian citizens in the process of democratic transformation of society. The article of analysis are the newest tendencies of forming of protest activity of citizens and directions of its bringing in to the processes of state building.

**Key words:** democracy, political participation, protest activity, ideology of political participation.

## ON INNOVATIVE FACTORS OF THE RENEWAL OF SOCIETY'S LIFE

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The growth of the power of information and communication processes generates a new type of culture in society. Any information and communication activity is a complex process for establishing mutual understanding and interaction between at least two participants, and it is not always appropriate to reflect it as a self-organizing system with certain active elements, even when it as a necessary condition declares the principle of feedback.

**Key words:** information, innovation activity, information and communication technologies, national information legislation.

# **SPECIFIC OF THE SYSTEM OF TRADE-ECONOMIC COOPERATION BETWEEN UKRAINE AND POLAND**

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The aim of this study was to analyze the trade-economic cooperation system between Ukraine and Poland. Trade cooperation between neighboring countries has become the most important element of European policy. Thus, the development of trans-border cooperation between the bordering regions is a vital issue for the border territories of Ukraine and its first-rate neighboring countries. In the article the important component of the of trans-border cooperation focusing in the instituanalization of cooperation between Ukraine and Poland.

**Key words:** Ukraine, Transcarpathia, region, Poland, European Union, cooperation.

# EUROREGION: TEORETICAL AND METHODOLOGICAL BASIS OF THE RESEARCH

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The article analyzes the theoretical and methodological problems of the euroregions. The theoretical and methodical approaches to the substantiation of the role of trans-border cooperation of regions are researched. Euroregion – is the higher institutional form of the trans-border cooperation in Europe. The role and place of euro-region in the system of the trans-border cooperation are defined. The scientific work is devoted research of the problems and the perspectives of the development of the euroregional cooperation of Ukraine in the context of European integration. The article considers theoretical European aspects of the euroregional cooperation.

**Key words:** Ukraine, European Union, Euroregion, trans-border cooperation, integration, geopolitical situation, border.



# CONCEPTUAL ISSUES POLAND-UKRAINIAN EUROREGIONAL COOPERATION

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The aim of this study was to conceptual analyze the European regional cooperation in the Poland-Ukrainian context. In the article the important component of the European regional cooperation focusing in the questions of strategic planning of development of Ukrainian-Poland trans-border cooperation. Conducted analysis of the role of strategic programming in social and economic development of border region Ukraine – Transcarpathian region. The scientific analysis of theory and practice of European regional and cross-border co-operation the European Union has a particular importance in the context of EU enlargement to the east.

**Key words:** Ukraine, Poland, European Union, European regional cooperation, trans-border region, concept, integration.

**STATE-CHURCH AND INTER-CONFESSIONAL RELATIONS  
IN UKRAINE (POLITICAL AND LEGAL ANALYSIS)**

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The current religious situation in Ukraine has its own peculiarities, because it is influenced by the policy regarding religion and the church, which was conducted in the past, in particular, during Ukraine's stay in the Soviet Union.

**Key words:** religion, state, church.