SUMMARY


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Relevance of the research issue: Globalization and integration processes are part of the modern world. It is part of the modern political and geopolitical picture of the world. This is explained by the fact that the existence of any state always presupposes interaction with others, which is a fundamental principle of international relations. The process of rapprochement of independent States in various regional communities is an important element in global politics. Thus there is a need for a comprehensive analysis of the phenomena of globalization and integration. Also globalization and integration has become one of the tendencies of the development of economic and political processes in the Latin American region. The relevance of the topic is associated with the search of optimal variants of subregional and regional integration in the region.

The purpose of the work is status and prospects of development of processes of globalization and integration in Latin America.

Research objectives:

- to analyze the theoretical foundations of globalization and conceptual approaches to the definition of "integration";

- to consider the essential characteristics, peculiarities and various kinds of integration and globalization as factors of world politics;

- to give a General characteristic of development of integration processes in Latin America;

- to identify trends and to outline prospects of further development of globalization in Latin American region and enhance its political status in the international arena.

- to identify the most promising areas of development of modern Russian-Latin American relations.
Scientific novelty: This graduation thesis presents one of the first comprehensive interdisciplinary researches of globalization and integration processes in Latin America:

- formulated conditions of the successful development of integration processes in the region of Latin America;
- researched the questions of the situation in Latin America in modern multipolar world, the issue of cooperation with various countries of the world and especially with Russia.

Structure: the two chapters, containing five paragraphs, the conclusion and a 60-reference bibliography (twenty two of which are in foreign languages). The total volume is 72 pages.

Summary: Currently, globalization and integration are two of the complex and contradictory process, which are interconnected. Globalization promotes the integration noticeable. In this process the role of the state is changing, borders are porous. But if integration is the result of a conscious effort, political will, globalization covers a range of historical phenomena arising and developing, regardless of intentions and desires of the individual or collective subjects.

These processes have a direct impact on the political, economic and cultural issues in each country. In Latin America, globalization has led to numerous structural changes in the region, whether new forms of participation in global production, the restructuring of the economic model (with import substitution to export-oriented), high labor migration and the influx of transnational capital. But these processes are also greatly weakened the U.S. role as a regional leader in the region. Despite numerous integration associations formed in the Latin American region, considered two main groups - MERCOSUR and UNASUR.

Now the cooperation between Russia and Latin America are developing, after the collapse of the USSR political and economic relations between Russia and Latin America has changed, evidenced by the numerous economic and political agreements at the moment. Despite the preserved nature of the relationship between Latin America and Russia, restored ties in engineering, energy, raw materials, and develop cooperation in the sphere of high technology and private investment in the economy, as it is an interest of the Latin American region and Russia.