

SUMMARY

Subject of the thesis: “Migration processes in the modern Europe as a threat to European security”

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Relevance of the research issue: Nowadays the European Union is facing the need to optimize its migration policy, to develop regulatory mechanisms, management and control of migration flow, threats and challenges to security which are result of mass migration to Europe. However, at this moment of time all the efforts to resolve the situation in the majority of cases remain unsuccessful. The growing flow of migrants to Europe prevents the solution of existing problems of migration and also creates a lot of new ones. In this case, topical issues are the identification of possible ways to improve the efficiency of migration management with the help of all european and world community which is able to reduce the mass migration to Europe and to stabilize the situation on the continent.

The purpose of the work is to identify the key problems of European migration policy, to evaluate its effectiveness in terms of security and to forecast the possible ways of improving the governance of migration processes in the EU.

Research objectives:

- to compare the conceptual approaches to the definition of "migration process";
- to describe the nature of the migration process as a political phenomenon, to determine its forms and factors of influence on the contemporary political processes;
- to systematize the main threats to national and supra-national security of the modern states, caused by migration;
- to reveal the historical background and to confirm their impact on the current trends of migration processes in Europe in the case of changing political situation;
- to analyze the key directions of the EU migration policy and to evaluate their effectiveness in the context of European security;
- to identify the systemic problems of the European migration policy and to propose the ways of improving the management efficiency of the migration process as the base of the EU security.

Scientific novelty: It is specified the key forms and factors of the migration influence on the contemporary political processes, national and international

security. It is systematized the current trends of migration processes in the modern Europe in the case of changing political situation. It is proposed a set of measures for improving the effectiveness of the migration management in the European countries. It is developed the multi-level program for the long-term getting out of the migration crisis.

Structure: the two chapters, containing six paragraphs, the conclusion and a 106-reference bibliography (26 of which are in foreign languages) and five apps. The total volume is 96 pages.

Summary: In the modern conditions the migration processes are getting out of the self-organizing system. Their spontaneous development inevitably leads to a variety of negative outcomes. The most dangerous of them are ones that caused by migration, which today become a supranational and even global.

Today the problem of migration particularly acute is facing the countries of the European Community. The factor of uncontrolled illegal migration has become a serious challenge to European and international security. It has a negative impact on the economic and social welfare of the EU countries; promotes the growth of terrorism, extremism, separatism, crime; contributes to the spread of dangerous infectious diseases; causes the deformation of the ethnic and demographic structure of the European population and determines the rise of political instability. So further politicization of the migration processes in the modern Europe has a significant potential for the conflict development and threatens the European identity and stability on the continent.

Nowadays the European Union is facing the need to optimize its migration policy, to develop regulatory mechanisms, management and control of migration flow, threats and challenges to security which are result of mass migration to Europe. The main measure in this question should be a complex, multi-faceted program for the long-term getting out of the migration crisis. The process of its realization requires the best efforts and close attention from all participants – European and also the world community.