Abstract
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2. **Title**: Linguistic portrait of an individual in a series of short stories by I. A. Bunin «Dark Alleys».
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**Topical Importance**: The relevance of the research topic lies in the fact that at present the phenomenon of "linguistic personality" is quite new. To date, this concept has not been studied to the fullest extent. It requires detailed consideration and analysis. In this regard, there is a need to study the linguistic portrait of the personality of I. A. Bunin on the material of the cycle of short stories "Dark Alleys".

**The purpose of the work** is to identify the features of the linguistic portrait of I. A. Bunin on the material of the cycle of novels "Dark Alleys".

**Tasks:**

- To study the theoretical material that determines the specificity of the phenomenon of linguistic personality.
- To identify the characteristic features of I. A. Bunin's prose.
- To compare the features of the author's biography and the facts of the history of the cycle "Dark Alleys".
To identify the specific speech of the characters in the novels.

To consider how the texts of novels show the image of the author.

**The theoretical value of the thesis.** The research presents a description of the problem, which has not been previously considered in detail in the framework of literary studies, especially on the chosen material.

**The results of the study:** 1) we have studied the theoretical material that determines the specificity of the phenomenon of linguistic personality; 2) we have marked the characteristic features of I.A. Bunin’s prose; 3) we have compared the features of the biography of the author and the history of the cycle "Dark Alleys", 4) we have identified specific speech heroes of the short stories under study; 5) we have developed educational methodical complex on the topic "Ivan Alekseevich Bunin in emigration».

**Recommendations:** the results of the study can be used in the work with students of the University during classes on the history of the Russian literature and style, as well as in the process of explaining the features of the analysis of the literary text.