ABSTRACT

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**Title:** Compliments in Russian and English linguocultures.

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**Topical Importance** is determined by the fact that the author analyses compliment as an aspect of courtesy, researches similarities and differences in the ways of expressing compliment in British and Russian linguocultures.

**The Goal of the research work** is to depict and comparatively analyze the characteristics of etiquette models of behavior n form of compliment in British and Russian linguocultures.

**Tasks:** 1) to identify the notions *compliment, praise, etiquette model of behavior*; 2) to make up a typology of the compliment expressing; 3) to show linguistic and cultural peculiarities of expressing compliment for British and Russian communicative behavior.

**Theoretical value** of this research work is in its contribution in the development of contrastive linguoculturology and theory of intercultural communication, specifying and giving characteristics for the notion *compliment*.

**Practical applicability** of the work is in the opportunity of using conclusions reached in the courses of intercultural communication, probably, in the courses of lexicology and stylistics of English and Russian languages, in the course of linguoculturology, in Teaching practice of English and Russian as foreign languages..

**Results:** 1) analyzed compliment in communicative aspect; 2) contrastive analysis of the peculiarities of the compliment in Russian and English linguocultures.

**Recommendations.** Summarized theoretical materials, introduced in this research work, can be used in the work with students, in working out special courses and methods of foreign language teaching.