

A detailed topographic map of Sakhalin Island and the surrounding regions of the Far East of Russia. The map shows the island's coastline, major cities like Khabarovsk and Yuzhno-Kuril'sk, and various geographical features. Overlaid on the map is text in black, red, and blue. The text includes the title of a research program, the name of a participant, the name of the university and its research center, and the name of the university in Japanese characters.

Personals results of RJE3 program. (09.2015-03.2016)

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My research thesis

- **«Formation and development of customs control in Sakhalin region in XIX - XX centuries».**

Keywords: customs house, regional economics, customs policy, Sakhalin region, cargos, free trade, protectionism, smuggling

Sources:

1. Russian and international archive
2. Monographers and books, related to the subject of research
3. Science articles
4. Periodicals

Russian archives:

- Russian State Historical Archive (St. Petersburg)
- State Archive of the Russian Federation (Moscow)
- Russian State Archive of the Economy
(Moscow)
- Russian State Historical Archive of the Far East
(Vladivostok)
- State Historical Archive of the Sakhalin region
(Yushno-Sakhalinsk)

Publications:

- History of the Soviet customs house in North Sakhalin in the 1920-30th., *Vestnik Moskovskogo Universiteta*. (2016)
- Some aspects of formation and activity of the national customs in the northern Sakhalin in 1920-1930th., *VI Riskovskiye chtenia. Digest*. (2015)
- Features of the traditional Russian statehood on the example of a protectionist policy in the Far East in the late XIX - early XX century, *Sakhalinskie Kirillo-Mefodievskie chteniya: to the 700-th anniversary of St. Sergius of Radonezh. Digest*. (2015)

Sources in Hokkaido:

- Internet based access to the historical archives:
 - Japan Center for Asian historical records (<http://www.jacar.go.jp>)
 - National archives of Japan (<http://www.archives.go.jp>)

Sources in Hokkaido:

- Hokkaido University library and archive

- Books in English
- Periodicals in Japanese
- Books in Japanese



- Hokkaido archives

(<http://www.pref.hokkaido.lg.jp/sm/mnj/index.html>)

First results

Article: State regulation of economic activities in Sakhalin and the establishing of customs control in the XIX - early XX century.

Keywords: custom house; Sakhalin region; international agreements; a free port; fishery; smuggling.

State regulation of economic activities in Sakhalin and the establishing of customs control in the XIX - early XX century.

In the article the author examines the peculiarities of the regulation of economic activities of Sakhalin in the early years of affiliation of the new territory to the Russian Empire:

- questions of economical relationships with foreign countries
- -ways of supplement of the island
- local management systems
- the impact of protectionist policies in Russia on the legislative changes in regards to Sakhalin
- reasons for the establishing of the customs in Aleksandrovsk and problems it faced in the beginning of its functioning

State regulation of economic activities in Sakhalin and the establishing of customs control in the XIX - early XX century.

Using of Hokkaido University library sources:

- J.J. Stephan. Sakhalin. A history. – Oxford: Glarendon press, 1971.
- J.J. Stephan. The Russian Far East. A History. – Stanford: Stanford University Press, 1994.
- S. M. Corrado. The “End of the Earth”: Sakhalin Island in the Russian imperial imagination, 1849-1906. – Urbana: UMI, 2010.
- E. Greey. Young Americans in Yezo, and the island of Karafuto (Saghalin). – Boston: Charles E. Brown, 1892., etc.

- Using of Russian sources:
 - Russian State Historical Archive (St. Petersburg)
FF. 1276, 1265, 21, 1149, 1622, etc.
 - Russian State Historical Archive of the Far East
(Vladivostok)
FF. 1133, 1446, 702, etc.

Participation in International conferences, seminars and meetings

Venues:

- Graduate school of letters
- Slavic-Eurasian research center
- RJE3 program office

Study courses in Hokkaido University

1. Culture and history of Slavic Eurasia (Professor Katoh)
2. Northern Culture studies (Professor Katoh)
3. Economic geography (Professor Nihei)
4. Special lectures on international relations (Professor Chi, Professor Nakamura)
5. Politics and Economics of Slavic Eurasia (Professor Tabata)
6. Special topics in Slavic-Eurasian studies (Professor Wolff)

Study courses in Hokkaido University

Basic courses

- Valuable skills
- Experience
- Knowledge
- International connections

Japanese courses

- Japanese language courses
- Basis for the future study



Future perspectives

- **Work with new sources**
 - Improvement of my thesis
 - New publication
- **Continue to study Japanese**
 - Access to the new sources
- **Observation of a new study programs in Hokkaido University as a new opportunity**

Thank you for your attention!