

Abstract

The subject of the thesis is teaching of French language and its lecturers in the territory of Czech lands during the period of 1848-1989. The thesis describes development of conditions of teaching French, transformation of methods of teaching foreign languages and changes in the position of French language in Czech environment. It also outlines personal changes in the headship of Romance Studies at Czech universities. The thesis treats French lecturers at universities, particularly in the period of 1960-1989, and portrays their characteristics, position, objectives, work and attitude towards Czechoslovak Socialist Republic by individual examples.