

Abstract

The thesis deals with the privatization of state-owned enterprises in Ukraine, specifically a case study of the privatization of Kryvorizhstal steelworks. The work covers the period of Leonid Kuchma's presidency until the privatization of Kryvorizhstal. It focuses on the influence of the political establishment that was in power, the influence of individual oligarchic groups on privatization. The work is based on analyses and comparisons of monographs on selected problems and on electronic sources.