

The purpose of this study is to examine migration flows in the Russian Far East. It defines regional characteristics, key migration flows, Russian migration policy specifics and interrelated geopolitical implications. Study is divided into three sections. The first two sections are both descriptive and annalistically oriented, focused on empirical dates interpretation. The third section is based on functional analysis of migration, a specific phenomenon with a potential to affect all sorts of related processes. The hypothesis is built upon the presumption that migration flows in the Russian Far East, namely the Far eastern emigration a Chinese immigration, their direct relation to the regional demographic crisis and their international character, are one of the determining aspects of the Russian migration policy, Sino – Russian relations in the Northeast Asian region, and Far eastern perspectives predictions.