

This work describes the development of the leisure research in the Czech society and compendium of the significant publications about this theme. The fundamental part is preceded by the summary of the progress of the human-being relation to the time category, including leisure, and short note about time sociology. It is followed by the list of the famous world literature about this time dimension. Next chapter is dedicated to theoretical resource of the research. The chapter focused on the Czech research, begins by the description of methodological issues of the research and by the description of the factors influencing on the leisure (home facilities, working hours...). The description of the research is divided into two main complexes according the time of origin – first part dwell with the time from the 60th to 80th, second part from 90th up to now. In the conclusion is the summary of the findings and the recommendations to the leisure research.