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Training of swordsmen in 15. and 16. century and its comparison with training of historical fencing today

Abstract:

This diploma thesis "Training of historical fencing in 15. and 16. century and its current conception" compares training of historical fencing in the past and today. It describes historical fencing with eyes of today swordsman, who is interested in technique of fencing in 15. and 16. century, training of noble men, the way of life and moral values of warriors. It shows useful historical sources (like chronicles and manuals) which are useful for research. It shows use of historical fencing today.

Key words:

Fencing, cold weapons, masters of fencing, fencing schools, fencings manuals, duel, Middle Ages, Modern Times