

Abstract:

This bachelor thesis summarizes the most important personalities who devoted to the topic social stratification in the last twenty years. In the first chapter, the term social stratification is explained and other important terms are defined. The next part of the work analyses stratification researches in the period of the dominance of the communistic regime in the Czechoslovakia. This period is mainly connected with Pavel Machonin who executed an important sociological research in 1967. The most extensive part of this thesis is devoted to the period after the Velvet Revolution in the Czech Republic. In this chapter are compared themes that authors devoted to the topic social stratification during several years after the Velvet revolution with the contemporary reflection of social stratification.

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