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Editorial

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Семидесятилетие журнала «Военно-технический вестник» 70 година "Војнотехничког гласника"

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ABSTRACT:

This Editorial marks the jubilee which the scientific journal Military Technical Courier celebrates in 2022 - 70 years of regular and continuous publication. On this occasion, the Editorial Office expresses gratitude to institutions and individuals who have contributed most to the progress and success of the Journal.

KEYWORDS: Military Technical Courier, scientific journal, jubilee, seventieth anniversary, acknowledgments.

Резюме:

Данная редакционная статья представляет обзор, посвященный юбилею научного журнала «Военно-технический вестник», который в 2022 году отмечает 70-летие непрерывной редакционно-издательской и публицистической деятельности. В связи с этой знаменательной датой редакция журнала выражает глубокую благодарность организациям и лицам, которые способствовали прогрессу и успеху журнала на протяжении его существования.

Ключевые слова: Военно-технический вестник, научный журнал, юбилей, семидесятилетие, благодарность.

ABSTRACT:

Уводник представља осврт на јубилеј који научни часопис "Војнотехнички гласник" обележава у 2022. години – седамдесет година редовног и непрекидног излажења. Тим поводом Редакција се захваљује установама и лицима која су допринела напретку часописа у протеклом периоду.

KEYWORDS: Војнотехнички гласник, научни часопис, јубилеј, седамдесета годишњица, захвалност.

In 2022, the Military Technical Courier, a scientific journal of the Ministry of Defence and Serbian Armed Forces, marks the 70th anniversary of its regular and continuous publishing.

The Journal was founded by a decree of the Chief of the General Staff of the Yugoslav Army in August 1952 in order to continue the tradition of five reviews of military branches and services (Artillery Courier, Tank Courier, Military Engineering Courier, Courier of Communications in the Yugoslav Army and Logistics and Support of the Yugoslav Army) which had been covering tactics and technique issues from 1947 to 1952. Chief of the General Staff's decree of 16th December 1952 founding the first editorial board that "has a directive to be responsible for the review editing" was followed by the first issue of the Military Technical Courier in January 1953.

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The Military Technical Courier follows in the footsteps of the outstanding military technical publications published in our previous countries (in the Kingdom of Serbia and Kingdom of Yugoslavia): Artillery and Engineering Courier (1905-1906), Artillery Courier (1926-1932), Infantry and Artillery Courier (1933-1941), Engineering Courier (1929-1940), Aviation Courier (1927-1941) and Nautical Courier (1933-1940). (Gaćeša, 2012), (Gaćeša & Jovanović, 2012)

Today, the Journal has an international character. It covers scientific and professional fields within the educational-scientific field of Natural-Mathematical Sciences, as well as within the educational-scientific field of Technical-Technological Sciences, and especially the field of defense sciences and technologies. It publishes theoretical and practical achievements leading to professional development of all members of Serbian, regional and international academic communities as well as members of the military and ministries of defence in particular.

It is indexed in important world databases: DOAJ - Directory of Open Access Journals, Redalyc - Scientific Information System, RINC - Russian Index of Scientific Citation, ISC - Islamic Citation Index, etc. It is a member of OASPA (Open Access Scholarly Publishers Association) and COPE (Committee on Publication Ethics). (Gaćeša, 2017)

The Ministry of Education, Science and Technological Development of the Republic of Serbia categorizes "Military Technical Courier" with the categories M51 (reputed national journal) and M52 (quality national journal). The Center for Evaluation in Education and Science (CEON/CEES) categorizes the Journal with category A3 (journal of global potential and top publishing quality).

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