ABSTRACT

MILITARY SCIENCE - MILITARY AFFAIRS

Tibor Ács: ABOUT THE LITERATURE OF MILITARY SCIENCE LIFE WORKS OF SANDOR TANÁRKY Constants and variables in the biography of eminent scientists in research (Part II.)

Tanárky Alexander at the pantheon of Hungarian science. The HSS regular member of the first military science careers 1837–1842. Cultivate the memory of Alexander Tanárky in the nineteenth century. Tanárky remember the darkness of oblivion in the twentieth century. The scientific research Tanárky's biography of renaissance, and commemorating the twentieth. century. Tanárky's military science and memory of the XXIth century. Alexander Tanárky first major final qualification of the year the 1837th Military.

Tamás Csiki: HOMELAND DEFENSE, TERRITORIAL DEFENSE

AND THE VOLUNTEER ARMY The conference organized by the Military Sciences Plenum of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences (May 19, 2012)

The conference "Homeland defense, territorial defense and the volunteer army" organized by the Military Sciences Plenum of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences on May 19, 2012 discussed some fundamental trends – like the constraints and opportunities born from the current transformation of the strategic environment – that determine the present and future tasks of the Armed Forces.

SPECIAL DOCTORAL REQUIREMENTS OF THE COMMITTEE OF MILITARY SCIENCE

The home defence, the history and the development of armies, the social science aspects of military sphere, the questions of military technical development, the complex problems of defence appertain to the scope of authority of the Committee of Military Science of Hungarian Science Academy. The special requirements are based on the Doctoral Regulations of Hungarian Science Academy.

SECURITY POLICY

János Tomolya – József Padányi: CHALLENGES OF TERRORISM

In order to understand current events related to terrorism as well as possible, it is essential to explore all aspects of the topic, such as the history, background, and structure of a variety of terrorist organizations, and terrorist tactics and strategies. Our study is dealing with the most recent events happened on the field of transnational terrorism, and gives an outline picture on its last year changes and in light of this, it emphasises the latest development of actual terrorism and points out shifts occurred in the field of international terrorism.

Petra Kiss: CHANGES OF THE HUNGARIAN STRATEGIC THINKING IN THE ADOPTED NATIONAL SECURITY STRATEGIES

The Hungarian Government adopted the new National Security Strategy in 2012 which is different in many ways from the previous strategic documents. Compared to the preceding strategies adopted in 2002 and 2004 a western, more precisely analogous approach to the strategy construction of the United States can be noticed, as much in its structure as in its content. The most considerable point of the three documents is the system of challenges, risks and threats, and the changes and the shift of emphasis occurred in them.

József Kis-Benedek: GLOBSEC CONFERENCE BRATISLAVA 2012

The Slovac Atlantic Commission organised this year the eighth conference on Global Security which is considered as the biggest security policy conference in Central Europe. During one week four hundred representatives from forty countries attended the conference, among them heads of state, ministers, under-secretaries, research fellows, representatives of NGO's and journalists. The essay summarizes the most important opinions of the conference. These are as follows: NATO from Prague to Chicago, the economic crisis in Europe, the transatlantic cooperation, the changes in the Arabic world and the situation on the Western Balkans.

C3 PREPARATION

Gergely Németh: THE EVOLUTION OF THE NATO DEFENCE PLANNING (1949–1967)

The aim of the study is to provide a comprehensive picture on the establishment and development of the NATO Defence Planning System, along with all the crucial internal and external factors which bore significant influence on the defence planning. This evolutionary process is presented first and foremost through the scope of the strategic planning documents. Furthermore, beyond the illustration of the defence planning, historical, those of the cold war strategic decisions will be evaluated which were influenced by strategic planning necessities.

CARTOGRAPHER, MILITARY GEOGRAPHIC

Klára Kecskeméthy: ERASMUS WITHOUT BORDERS. GUEST LECTURERS AT THE CZECH DEFENCE UNIVERSITY

Department of Military Geography and Meteorology of the Czech Defense University offers courses leading to Bachelor, Masters (Eng). and Ph.D. degrees for qualified individuals in areas of geography and meteorology. The graduates are prepared for Geographical and Hydrometeorological Service of Czech Army and for geographical and meteorological profession in civilian world. The department conducts research related to the influence of terrain and hydrometeorological conditions on the activity of armed forces.

HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

János Krizbai: HUMAN ASPECTS OF ARMED COMBAT, THE SPECIFICITY OF MILITARY PROFESSION

This study analyzes the challenges of modern society in terms of the armed forces and armed combat. Examine the public views on the army and the war. By the end of the 20th century shows the changes concerning the role of the war and armed forces. It analyzes the impact of these changes on the place of modern armed forces in society and its operating conditions. It presents the impact of the new NATO strategy, organizational principles of staff of the armed forces. Describes the structure of the voluntary forces personnel, staff recruitment. About today's military career characteristics and dilemmas of the human resources strategy.

Henrik Hegedűs: A DEVELOPING THE RESOURCES OF COMPTENCY OF A SERVICE MEMBER (skill – knowledge – personality – motivation)

A while developing the personality of an individual, a service member we need to find the strong point, and based on them we need to address the weaknesses as well, by developing them selectively. The 'talent management' needs to be centered on the harmonic, balanced, stable personality model. A service member can be considered healthy if his/her skills are in harmony with his/her performance and has developed adaptation ability. In his way of life he/she realizes and keeps himself/herself to the golden mean. He/she is a communicative individual, who is ready and able to sense the events of the outside world, notice the beauty and good as well, and is a positive, emotion-rich personality. Besides, as a consequence of the above mentioned ones, he/she is empathic as well. The lack of any of these characteristics can result in failure, which might lead to the loss of the balanced state of the human organism, forcing the psyche to compensate, and may induce even an illness.

FORUM

Sándor Kolossa – József Lajos – László Zsigovits: SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE SERIES AT THE NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF PUBLIC SERVICE (NUPS)

This article presents an important and considerable part of scientific activities at the National University of Public Service (NUPS). This scientific activity is related to international and national conferences. For our university a considerable support was given to organize high-standard conferences through the opportunities given by the project called "TÁMOP-4.2.2/B-10/1-2010-0001 Risks and answers in the talent care (KOVÁSZ)". The above mentioned project is executed with the co-financing of the European Union and European Social Found.

Zsigmond Tömösváry: RUSSIAN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS COUNCIL (RIAC) (A relative young but very remarkable institute in the Russian Federation)

Russian International Affairs Council (RIAC) is a non-profit social organization, established by a presidential decree, and participates in formulation and realization of the Russian foreign policy's ambitions with its organizational structure and task system as well as its projects. Its first realised project is a collection of studies and documents in six volumes with the title: "Russia in the global world: 2000–2011."

Gyula Takács: PARAGRAPHS OF MILITARY HISTORY

This article is a review of a book based on the lectures of the Military History Evenings lecture series from 2006 to 2010. After the prologue, which tries to outline the circumstances of the beginning of the series, the paragraphs briefly summarize the studies one by one. The article gives some information about the authors and the similar initiations of some foreign universities.

László Kassai: REMARKS, COMMENTS

Remarks and comments to the parts of the Lőrincz Kálmán's book "Menetben Egy katona gondolatai" published int he journal Hadtudomány

Zágon Csaba: CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE PROTECTION AND ECONOMIC SECURITY

Seaport security plays a vital role in the trade supply chain security's point of view. World Port Security Summit (WPSS 2012) was held in Hamburg with participation of port security experts from four continents where the situation of the sector and the security improvements were analysed in details. In relation to their researches in Critical Infrastructure Protection, Members of the Defence Economy and Logistics Section of the Hungarian Association of Military Sciences participated in the conference and its follow-up study visits at the Port of Hamburg. This article summarises its results in brief.