

## SUMMARY

**Subject of the thesis:** Russian-American Relations in the Modern Period of Time.

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**Relevance of the research issue:** Russian-US relations are one of the most important directions as in the United States foreign policy, and foreign policy of Russia. This is due to the fact that the nature of the interaction of these countries depends on solving the problems from the Middle East to the world of arms control. This situation requires more concentration on both sides, because the deterioration of relations between them can lead to a new global conflicts and problems that is observed in recent years.

There are several factors that actualizes the problem of complex analysis of Russian-American relations.

Firstly, the Russian-American relations are recipients of relations between the USSR and the United States at the present stage of history. The world has been transformed, and the only superpower which had been remained is the USA.

Secondly, these relations have a significant impact on the processes taking place in Russian Federation.

Thirdly, the aspiration of the US ruling circles in recent years to impose to other states its leadership and its values can lead to the disappearance of democratic norms in international relations, which are enshrined in the UN Charter.

Due to the fact that Russia tends to define its future development strategy, as well as to restore the political and economic power, it is necessary to find a vector of development, which will allow it to take the appropriate position in the international system. That is why the decision of the problems of the internal nature are directly related to the implementation of improved RF conditions in the global market, of the formation of a new partnership with central forces in the international arena in various fields. These tasks will also depend on the nature of Russian and Western relations.

**The purpose** of the work are the contemporary international relations.

**Research objectives:**

- reveal the role of the main actors of contemporary international relations and the basic tendencies of their development;
- to identify the place of states as the main actors of contemporary international relations and mechanisms of their interaction;
- to determine the state and problems of bilateral relations between Russia and the United States;
- to identify the prospects of development of Russian-US relations.

**Scientific novelty:**

– it was determined the importance of bilateral relations between Russia and the United States as a condition for strengthening strategic stability in the world, and analyzed the prospects of development of Russian-American relations within the world political system.

**Structure:** the two chapters, containing two paragraphs each, the conclusion and the 152-reference bibliography (61 of which are in foreign languages) and the 5 Appendixes. The total volume is 75 pages.

**Summary:** Considering the state of affairs between the two countries today, the United States and Russia are set for further confrontation, so expect better relations between them in the near future is not necessary. Proof of this can serve the events in Ukraine, criticism of the West and the USA against Russia, which supports the regime of the ruling elite in Syria and also the recent extension of sanctions against Russia.

Russian-US relations in a short period passed from the policy of cooperation for mutual disappointment. At the moment, the Russian Federation and the United States failed to pave the way for joint political and economic interests, contributing to further resolve the contradictions in bilateral relations.

The differences in these countries will continue in the short to medium term, because given the level of Russian-American cooperation, it is difficult to say that these relations will soon become friendly. Despite this, countries should strive to establish a constructive dialogue and selective cooperation, given their needs, and interact in those areas where the interests of both the US and Russia intersect.