

## **Abstract**

Graduation Level of Proficiency Paper

Specialist's degree

**Title:** Tendencies in Violation Speech Postulates in the Novel "The Moving Finger" by A. Christie

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**Topical Importance:** is determined by the importance of analyzing communicative situations from the point of view of compliance with the postulates of speech communication and their violence not only in terms of their pragmatic organization, but also as seen from consideration of politeness phenomena as strategies in social interaction.

**Goals:** The main purpose of this investigation is studying pragmatic parameters and factors that have a key influence on the choice of linguistic means used by communicators in different speech strategies, as well as working out the tendencies towards violating Maxims/speech postulates in the process of communication.

**Task:** The main tasks are:

- to perform the analysis of speech communication theories; define general trends and differences in famous linguists' points of view;
- to perform the analysis of kept to and violated postulates to work out the tendencies towards violating Maxims/speech postulates in the process of communication;
- to make up a set of linguistic means used when keeping to and violating speech postulates.

**Theoretical value and practical applicability:** is in the application of an integrated approach to dealing with keeping to and violating speech postulates as well as the identification of the factors affecting the selection of linguistic means used by communicators to carry out effective and successful communication.

The data obtained can be used in practice when developing courses on intercultural

communication, pragmalinguistics, socio-linguistics, discourse analysis. The results of the current research can be also used by students when writing their research papers.

**Results:** The results of the study are interesting and compelling. The conclusions are well-designed, robust and solid.

**Implementation advice:** courses on intercultural communication, pragmalinguistics, socio-linguistics, discourse analysis. The results of the current research can be also used by students when writing their research papers.