### SCIENTIFIC AND PEDAGOGICAL SCHOOLS "REGIONAL, NATIONAL AND UNIVERSAL LEVELS IN LITERATURE AND FOLKLORE: SPIRITUAL HERITAGE OF THE BELARUSIANS IN THE INTERNATIONAL CONTEXT"

# **Description**

Scientific school is focused on the following areas of research:

• Spiritual Heritage of the Belarusian Polesie.

• Genre as a sign system in the aesthetic tradition of national and European cultural and artistic practice.

- Literary theory issues.
- Study of Belarusian literature in the world context.

#### **Advantages**

An integrated approach of scientific and pedagogical research school covers the main directions of development of Belarusian literature, reveals its national feature in the Slavic and European cultural dialogue and identifies ways of further development of the national

verbal art in the new millennium. Attracting wide factual material is aimed at the introduction into the literary i scientific context of new names, sometimes unrenowned not only to the readers but also to the professionals: as well as promotion of creative achievements among the writers of Gomel region and Francisk Skorina graduates of Gomel State University. At the department there is a museum "Alma mater" and educationalscientific laboratory "Literary local history"



# **Originality**

Scientific originality of complex research in the designated areas is to determine the role of the regional spiritual factor in the development of the national way of artistic interpretation of reality; demonstration of the multiple-level dimension of Belarusian literature genre system in the all-Slavic and European contexts and innovative trends in modern literary process; identifying features historysophical, ethical and anthropological problems of Belarusian literature of XX – beginning of XXI centuries.

#### **Cooperation**

Lecturers of the Belarusian Literature Department of the educational establishment "Francisk Skorina Gomel State University" having many years of experience, carry out the following activities: excursions (virtual and real) on the works of Gomel writers, famous graduates of Francisk Skorina Gomel State University, writing a monograph on the history of literature of Gomel region and individual articles for particular authors, creation of poetic anthologies, revealing the beauty of nature and the people of the region.

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