

THEORY AND HISTORY OF CULTURE

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To the question of the development of the notion «activity»

The problem of activity was of great importance for the researchers since antic times. It should be noted that activity has always played a key role in the development of a man as an individual. The author makes the etymological analyses of the notion “activity” and its development in the science. The ethnocultural phenomenon is often left without any attention on the side of authors. The author underlines the similarity between lexemes “activity” in the Russian, English and German languages. The peculiarities of conceptual side lead to divergention in the philosophical conception and are of great importance for the understanding of national philosophic-cultural traditions.

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