

PHILOLOGY

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Specificity of the communicational behavior of the scammer in “Letters of happiness”

The communicative behavior of a blackmailer in "letters of happiness" is considered. The main invariant characteristics of blackmail are singled out, which are realized through various direct and indirect speech acts. The recurrent means of implementing the communicative model of blackmail, in "letters of happiness", are determined to achieve the main goal – obtaining personal gain.

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