

Life strategies of the far-eastern youth

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Abstract. *Formation of the life strategies of young people is influenced by many factors, among which one of the most influential is regional specificity. The subjects of the Far-Eastern federal district have a number of features that predetermine special approach to their development, declared a national priority of the XXI century, and create a request for preservation and development of human capital in the regions. Youth is the labor and population potential of the Far-Eastern region, on which the effective development of the territory largely depends. In this regard, life strategies of the Far-Eastern youth are of particular research interest, including in order to prevent the emergence of migration moods of young people. Analysis presented in the article is based on the results of a sociological study conducted among young people living in the border regions of the Far-Eastern federal district. The results of analysis showed that young people find opportunities to implement the strategy of life well-being, the strategy of life success, family self-realization, including outside the Russian borders, including in China. Desire of a number of young Far-Easterners to leave the country temporarily (for the period of study) or for permanent residence is caused, in their opinion, by insufficient opportunities for self-realization and realization of their life plans in the Far East. The study confirms that the frontier factor has a direct impact on formation of life strategies of the Far-Eastern youth along with the others. Existence of a request for preservation and consolidation of the indigenous population in the Far East as a necessary condition for its effective development requires study and understanding of this contradiction in order to find productive solutions implemented, including in the regional youth policy.*

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