

Abstract:

The purpose of this bachelor's thesis is to analyse the development of the far left in inter-war period Japan and identify the causes of its' societal refusal. First part of the thesis is focused on chronological description of the development of far-left movement, especially that of the Japanese Communist Party. In the second part individual factors working outside and inside of the movement's development are described. In conclusions, these factors are evaluated based on their importance in the failure of the far-left movement.

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