ELITE EDUCATION IN UKRAINE: MODERN STATE AND PROSPECTS OF DEVELOPMENT

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Abstract

The organizational forms of work with the gifted young people in Ukrainian higher educational establishments are presented.

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Аннотация

Представлены организационные формы работы с одаренной молодежью в украинских высших учебных заведениях.

During historical development of society term “elite” interpreted variously depending on the valued orientations which prevailed in a that or other epoch. But ordinary individuals were always interested by extraordinary possibilities of the gifted personalities, them higher successes in the different spheres of activity. With the acceleration of rates of scientific and technical progress unusual qualities of the gifted people induced society to this more careful study the phenomenon. The article of the special attention was become by infant prodigies – young talents which periodically give birth and on condition of correct studies and education arrive at an exceptional level in development of cognitive and creative capabilities.

A lot of historical events and people influenced on becoming and development of specific components of education for the gifted young people. The selection of the gifted children for different from their ordinary studies supported yet Plato [1]. To take away and intensively teach the gifted children Confucius offered also. Thus the sign of gift was consider faultless memory and logical thought. Of that time teachers turned the special attention also on creative fantasy, capacity for writing of poetic and prosaic works. In the practical plan of infant prodigies specially took away and supplied to emperor's, royal court and others like that, where their capabilities supported and developed [2]. In more late periods, in particular in Renaissance, children, age and young people, which demonstrated creative talent in an art, architecture and literature, supported state and different private structures [3].

At the beginning of 90th of the last century an educational process in higher educational establishments of Ukraine yet had knowledge elucidative character. The considerable span of educational time was taken not on development of student as a subject of studies, but on achievement by him only certain standard which would answer the standard of specialist. However in modern terms more actuality is become by the problem of forming of active personality which would be able in the future creatively to realize the educational potential. Therefore inevitable is passing to the new model of preparation of specialists, which would combine in itself educational and personality creative constituents. Such model engulfs in a greater degree solidity, integrity and orientation, on satisfaction of necessities of personality.
And it means that for the gifted young people more variants appear for the choice of education taking into account capabilities, interests, aspirations which are the first advancement on a way to to introduction in the country of elite education.

A term is a “elite” of the French origin. At first it was named them seed are better in all selected, розсаду and animals which were got as a result of selection and intended for subsequent reproduction or breeding. Also quickly enough this term began to spread on the most prominent representatives of human society. At the end of XIX item, and especially in the last century, humanity clearly, that intellectual elite, or, as it is named by some researchers, aristocracy of spirit, has a determining influence on the, technical, social and cultural advance of science of society. An intellectual elite is a thin layer of people, intellectual and spiritual potential and the values of which coincide with the humanism values of humanity.

In scientific literature term “elite education” utilize formations of the greatest sort for denotation (in the American sources – high quality education). Also name education which is directed on preparation of intellectual elite elite education. Is there a question of practical character – who is presently taught and who does need to be taught in elite higher educational establishments? These can be people from elite families, which use high prestige and own riches and copulas, or young people are gifted regardless of its socio-economic position.

It is possible to draw a conclusion, that elite education historically arose up and developed in the environment of elite education. Next to young people from aristocratic families the gifted representatives of poor layers studied populations, which got to educational establishments due to own capabilities, persistence and necessity to get knowledge. Elite education, education for gifted in the whole world, in particular in the USA, Australia, is based Large Britain on strategies of speed-up or enriched studies.

To the speed-up studies it is possible to take individual employments, distance and externat form of studies. It is possible to mark in relation to individual employments, that this form of studies in educational establishments of Ukraine is utilized in the cases when a student must in an individual order prepare and make tests or examinations from one or to the row of disciplines, to execute terms for a translation on the next course of studies. The types of individual lessons, form, and methods of current and final control (except for state attestation) are determined the individual curriculum of student. Such employments which are organized after individual the graph can engulf both part and complete amount of employments from one or row of educational disciplines [4].

The controlled from distance education in for some time past got wide distribution. Its development in Ukraine restrains a temper the insufficient providing of population, absence of train aids and materials, off-grade public-call connection and row of other factors a computer technique. Technologies are studies which are utilized in the controlled from distance education divide into three categories:

- case-technology, at which educational methodical materials, up-diffused in obedience to an individual plan, form “case”. Students independently work with these materials, and in the case of necessity apply for help to the teachers-tutors which are fastened after each of them;

- TV-technology, which is known yet from the years of soviet school, when in time of employments on one of the central TV channels the educational programs which after the subject answered on-line tutorials were translated. For today students can get all of course of certain discipline on mediatransmitters, independently with him to familiarize, and then appeal to the teacher after consultation, how at once to go in for an exam;
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– network technology, which foresees the wide use of network of Internet during a search, analysis and passing to information. It allows the gifted students in the mode of online to meet with educational material and get necessary explanations from teachers-tutors.

Eksternat is the special form of studies of persons which have the proper educational, educationally qualifying level, for a receipt by them certain level of higher education by the independent study of educational disciplines and drafting in higher educational establishment of tests, examinations and passing of other forms of final control, foreseen a curriculum. A student-extern after the display of desire visits laboratory practical and seminar employments only, and theoretical material seizes independently, sometimes coming running to consultations with teachers. An idea of extern is not new, before taught the young people of worker by extern through the shortage of time on fundamental education, and also children, with a weak health – through frequent admissions of employments. During such organization of studies student-extern, having more thorough knowledges, simultaneously with the students of daily form of studies concludes higher educational establishment.

The forms of speed-up studies are marked enable to economize time due to the independent working of educational material under the direction of experimental tutor. Time is disengaged the gifted student can point at the deep capture of questions which interest most, on acquisition and mastering of practical skills in-process with educational methodical manuals and laboratory equipment, and also on registration of current material in the proper form (abstract, theses of lecture and others like that).

For deepening of knowledges and development of own creative capabilities the gifted students are engaged in one of forms of the enriched studies, which are widely enough presented in domestic higher educational establishments.

Beginning from 1967 year in educational establishments of Ukraine, as a form of the differentiated studies was inculcated facultatives. For their organization the row of on-line tutorials was developed, the proper educational methodical literature is produced, it is attracted for the leadthrough of employments of high quality teachers, figures of scitech and specialists of different industries of financial and spiritual production.

By a large variety both after an orientation, and on maintenance, scientific groups are characterized on the base of departments. They create favourable terms for development of interests and capabilities of the gifted students, assist development of positive attitude toward studies, help to specify the done choice of future profession, activate intersubject copulas and promote quality of studies.

To the forms of the enriched studies it is possible also to take excursions. Educational excursions are planned both from separate objects and on intersubject basis. For successful achievement of purpose of excursion a teacher must to perfection familiarize with the object of visit and route, develop the detailed plan, taking into account the educational material passed students.

Consultation also can be considered the form of the enriched studies. In the process of consultation a teacher sends activity of student to that he independently walked up to understanding of question which arose up during the independent prosecution of certain educational material or task. Consultation also enables a teacher to find out blanks in knowledges of student, to turn his attention on present пропихи.

In practice of soviet higher educational establishments, especially polytechnic and agrarian, student designer bureaus were widely enough widespread (SKB). It is known that yet in 1918 in Moscow under the direction of A.P. Modestov Association of naturalists (Asnat), which supported talents from people, inventors-self-taught persons, was organized. Such inventors over 3 thousand persons were counted. Much from the ideas pulled out by
them found material and technical and engineer-methodical support from the side of public institutions [5]. For today this form of the enriched studies regenerates in higher educational establishments of Ukraine. In such bureaus the gifted students can realize own creative projects during the decision of the put problem, and the most interesting developments are then applied in serial industry on the enterprises-partners. Teachers here are in a position to find out strong and weak places in knowledges of student and pay a regard to lacks of him designer development.

There are other forms of the enriched studies. To them it is possible to take preparation and participating in olympiads and competitions for certain disciplines, preparation and appearances on scientific student forums, stay in summer camps (educational-experimental stations) for the deep study of certain cycle of disciplines and participating in practical researches and others like that. All are marked the forms of the enriched studies positively influence on development of intellectual and creative capabilities of the gifted students, at the same time they require the far of time which can be freed due to studies on the speed-up program. Therefore the logical decision of situation is combination in an educational-educate process of elite higher educational establishments of forms of speed-up and enriched studies.

In connection with tacking of our state to Bologna Process terms are created, when every person will be able independently to choose terms for the studies in accordance with own necessities, capabilities and put aims. At such terms most modern Ukrainian educational establishments it is needed it will be to conduct serious transformation for providing of high-quality education in the conditions of the European competition, and establishments which are striven for a rank “elite” are guilty to be the first, who will take on an armament the newest forms and methods of work with the gifted young people.

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