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I EDITIONS:

1. History of higher technical education in Latvia. Part 4. Riga Technical University. 1991-2008. Ed. by J. Briedis *e. a.* Concluding chapter by J. Stradiņš “Traditions of higher technical education and role of RTU during centuries” (pp. 645-671). Riga, RTU. 2011. 708 pp. (in Latvian).
2. The oldest technical university in the Baltics – ages and personalities. 1862-2012. J. Stradiņš, I. Knets *e. a.* Foreword by Rector L. Ribickis. Riga, RTU. 2012. 155 pp. (in Latvian and English).
3. J. Klētnieks. Geodesic Education and Science in Latvia. Riga, RTU. 2012. 309 pp. (in Latvian).
4. J. Stradiņš. The beginnings of higher education and science in Latvia. 2nd edition. Riga, 2012. 639 pp. (Latvian; English and Russian summaries; *Baltic Assembly Award, 2010, Jelgava City Award, 2011*).
5. Domeschool in Riga and the beginnings of education in the Baltics. Ed. by A. Krūze *e.a.* (Materials of the international conference, Riga, Dec. 2-3). Riga, RAKA. 2011. 276 pp. (Latvian, German).
6. A. Zigmunde. Die Beziehungen Johann Heinrich Pestalozzi zu Lettland. Riga, RTU. 2010. 128 S. (German edition).
- 6a. A. Zigmunde. Johans Heinrihs Pestalocijs un Latvija. Riga, RTU. 2010. 124 pp. (in Latvian).
7. A. Zigmunde. Hugo Gaudig. Pädagogische Konzeption und seine Besuch im Baltikum im Herbst 1922. Eine historische Momentaufnahme. Riga. 2010. 139 S.
8. A. Vīksna. Medical Faculty of the University of Latvia. 1919-1950. Riga, LU. 2011. 499 pp. (in Latvian).
9. 50 years of Salaspils Nuclear Reactor. Compiled and ed. by V. Gavars. Riga, Zinatne. 2010. 359 pp. (in Latvian).
10. Physical Organic Chemistry. The Latvian Institute of Organic Synthesis. A half century of laboratory 1961-2011. Compiled and edited by J. Stradiņš and E. Liepiņš. Riga, Zinatne. 2011. 407 pp. (Latvian, English). Dedication of Latvia to the UNO International Year of Chemistry, 2011.

11. J. Keruss, I. Lipša, I. Runce, K. Zellis. The Faculty of History and Philosophy during Soviet times. Personalities, Structures, Ideas (1944-1991). Riga, LU. 2010. 351 pp. (in Latvian).
12. A. Bankavs, I. Jansone. Linguistics in Latvia: Data and Biographies. Riga, LU. 2011. 326 pp. (in Latvian).
13. I. Šuvajevs. Traces of Psychoanalysis in Latvia. Riga, LU. 2012. 251 pp. (in Latvian).
14. I. Kļaviņš. The becoming and growth of Riga Radio Factory. (RRR – 80, 1928-2008). Riga, RAKA. 2011. 246 pp. (in Latvian).
15. E. Hrščenoviča, D. Leimane, D. Ivans. My beloved Zoological Garden.[Archive – based research of the centenary of Riga National Zoological Garden, 1912-2012; afterword by J. Stradiņš]. Riga, 2012. 302 pp. (*Honorary diploma of Riga – Award, 2012*). (in Latvian).
16. I. Grosvalds, U. Alksnis, I. Meirovics. The development of chemical production in Latvia (1918-1944). Riga, RTU. 2011. 113 pp. (in Latvian).
17. M. Pormale. The Green Refugee. Prof. Arvīds Kalniņš according to his archive materials and recollections of the contemporaries. Riga, 2012. 383 pp. (in Latvian).
18. Professor Emīlija Gudriniece. Collection of articles and recollections to 90th birthday of Prof. E. Gudriniece [1921-2004]. M. Jure, J. Stradiņš, R. Valters (editors). Riga, 2010. 216 pp. (in Latvian).
19. M. Rudovska. The building of the Latvian Academy of Sciences. Riga, 2009. (appeared 2010). 24 pp. (in Latvian, parallel edition Russian).
20. Personality (Personība, Личность) Recollections on Academician – hepatologist Anatoly Blyuger. Riga, RSU. 2011. 382 pp. (Latvian, Russian).
21. From University to University. The history of academic activities of Riga Stradins University in documents and recollections, Forewords by J. Gardovskis, J. Stradiņš, J. Vētra. Ed. by J. Vētra. Riga, RSU, 2010. 670 pp. (in Latvian).
22. The Courland scientist Professor Dr. Magnus Georg Paucker. 1787-1855. Riga, RTU, 2012. Ed. by J. Klētnieks and A. Zigmunde. 163 pp. (German and Latvian).
23. Science, Society and National Identity. III World Congress of Latvian Scientists in Riga, Oct. 24-27, 2011. Plenary Sessions. Ed. by T. Jundzis. [Plenary lectures on science and its history, by Prof. V. Viķe-Freiberga and J. Stradiņš, pp. 34-60]. Riga, 2012. 496 pp.
24. The Language in the Epoch and Space of the Culture (Conference devoted to Atis Kronvalds 175 years commemoration, Riga, April, 28, 2012. Ed by Turaida Museum). Riga, Zinatne, 2012. 79 pp. (Latvian, Engl. summaries) [History of Pedagogies and Linguistics).

25. Karl Mühlenbach. Selected Works in two volumes. Vol. 2. Riga, 2011. Ed. by Prof. I. Druviete. 416 pp. (Latvian, German).
26. Daina Zemzare. Selected Works. Riga, 2011. Ed by Prof. I. Jansone. Riga, 2011. 558 pp. [D. Zemzare, 1911-1971, Latv. linguist].
27. Vallija Dambe. Selected Works. Riga, 2012. Ed by Prof. I. Jansone. Riga, 2012. 486 pp. [V. Dambe, 1912-1995, Latv. linguist].
28. Apals Jānis. Araiši Lake Fortress (Selection of papers and friend's memories). Comp. by A. Caune and Z. Apala, Riga, 2012. 639 pp. (Latvian, English) [international reknown archeologist, the founder of hidroarchaeology in Latvia J. Apals, 1932-2011].
29. Brūvelis E. The history of aviation in Latvia, 1919-1940. 2nd revised edition. Riga, 2012.
30. V. Ščerbinskis. True to the friend. Academical student organizations [corporations and academic fraternities] in Latvia. Riga, 2010. 200 pp. (in Latvian).
31. Academic Fraternity "Austrums" in 125 years (1863-2008). Ed. by A. Lerhis. Riga, 2011. 991 pp. (Latvian; English summary).
32. A. Janicki, M. Laszczowski, E. Jakobsons. Riga Polytechnikum and the Polish academic life. Warszawa, 2012. (in Polish). (Presented by State President of Poland B. Komorowski with opening of renovated Karzer in RP, Nov., 23rd 2012).
33. Griņevičs I., Grosvalds I. Ignacy Moscicki (1867-1946) – Scientist and President of Poland (1926-1939). Riga, 2010. 20 pp.

II PERIODICAL EDITIONS

- 1.-2. Acta Medico-Historica Rigensia. Vol. IX (XXVIII) Riga, 2010. Ed. by J. Stradiņš, J. Salaks. 487 pp. (English, Russian, Latvian); Acta Medico-Historica Rigensia. Vol. X (XXIX) Riga, 2013. Ed. by J. Stradiņš, J. Salaks. pp. (English, Russian, Latvian) (in preparation). (year – reviewed edition).
- 3.-4. Scientific Proceedings of Riga Technical University. Ser. 8. Humanities and Social Sciences. History of Science and Higher Education. Vol. 18. J. Briedis (Chief Editor). Riga, 2011. 91 pp. (Latvian, English). Vol. 19. H. Guļevskis (Chief Editor). Riga, 2012. 99 pp. (Latvian, Russian).
- 5.-6. Acta Universitatis Latviensis. Vol. 763. History of Sciences and Museology. Ed. by I. Vilks. Riga, 2011. 231 pp. (Latvian, English, German); Vol. Ed by A. Vīksna. Riga, 2012. (in press). (year – reviewed edition).

III CONFERENCES

- 1.-3. Th. 68, 69, 70. International Scientific Conference of University of Latvia (Section of History of Science and Museology) – 2009-2012 (takes place each year in January, February, about 50 participants).
- 4.-6. The 52, 53, 54. International Scientific Conference of Riga Technical University (takes place each year in October), Section of Technical Sciences) about 40 participants.
7. International Conference on History of Space Investigations, devoted to 50th anniversary of In. Gagarin flight and 100th anniversary of birthday of Acad. M. Keldysh (Latvian Academy of Sciences and P. Stradiņš Museum of History of medicine, 2011, March (participation of Russian Cosmonaut A. Solovyev and a direct contact conference with international Space shuttle directed by I. Kaleri).
8. International Scientific Conference “Onomastic Investigation” to commemorate the 100 anniversary of Valija Dambe (1912-1995) (Riga, 2012, May, 10-12) [history of onomastics].
9. Pauls Stradiņš Memorial Lectures (each year in the Museum of History of Medicine, with academic lectures of the laureates of P. Stradiņš Award, in 2011 – Prof. of Tartu University Allikmets).
10. Celebration of 800th of Riga Dome Cathedral and Riga *Domschule* (festivities and exhibition in July, international scientific conference in December 2011).
11. 7th International P. Walden conference on Organic Chemistry and Opening of the plaque “for breakthrough in chemistry” (by American Chemical Society) – Sept. 12, 13, 2011 (opening address by J. Stradiņš, RTU, Faculty of Material Sciences and Chemistry).
12. 3rd World Congress of Latvian Scientists (Oct. 24-27, 2011) in Riga (1200 participants from 15 countries, a lot of reports on history of humanities and sciences, session of European Academy of Sciences and Arts in Rundale Palace, presided by Prof. F. Unger).
13. International Conference in memory of M.G. Paucker (1787-1852) to his 225-birthday (Jelgava, Nov. 23th, 2012, with an exhibition of old geodesic instruments, 10 reports from Latvia, Russia, Germany, Estonia).
14. International Conference devoted to the founder of asepsis in surgery E. von Bergmann (1836-1907) to his 175-birthday, opening of his birth-house memorial plaque in Riga (P. Stradiņš Museum of History of Medicine), 16 December, 2011.
15. *Domus – Rigensis* Tage, in honour of 20th anniversary of the German – Baltic and Latvian Society “*Domus Rigensis*” and 150 anniversary of Riga Polytechnicum (July, 2012, lectures by Prof. J. Stradiņš and Prof. Spring) (German speaking audience, Embassy of FRG), cf. “*Baltica*, 2012, Heft 1, S. 4-17 (Hamburg).

16. Opening of a Memorial Plaque to the Baltic – German lawyer and politologist A.D. Loeber at his birth house (May, 2010, *Domus Rigensis*, Latvian Academy of Sciences, German Embassy),
17. Reopening of the Memorial Plaque to N. Pirogov at the former building of Riga Military Hospital and celebration of Pirogov's 200-birthday in Riga (July, 2011; P. Stradiņš Museum of History of Medicine, Russian Embassy, speakers – Prof.. V. Kalnbērzs and J. Stradiņš).
18. Alfreds Ieviņš and Emilija Gudriniece Memorial Lectures (M. Jure, J. Stradiņš *e. a.*), Riga Technical University, October, 4th, 2010.
19. Gustavs Vanags and Oskar Lutz Memorial Lectures (G. Duburs, J. Stradiņš *e. a.*), Institute of Organic Synthesis, May, 2011.
20. Memorial Session in honour of the 75th anniversary of foundation of the Institute of Latvian History (1936-2011), May, 2011.

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