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**REVIEW OF THE MONOGRAPH BY N. V. BASCO «PHRASEOLOGISMS  
IN THE LANGUAGE OF CONTEMPORARY RUSSIAN MEDIA»**

**Abstract**

The review highly appreciates N. V. Basko's monograph «Phraseologisms in the language of modern Russian media», devoted to the problem of the behavior of phraseological units of the modern Russian language in the space of the Russian media and their corresponding lexicographic description. The innovative approach to the context analysis and the use of the statistical method enables the author to establish a number of the most active thematic groups of phraseological units, intensively used in the space of the modern political context. The author's innovation includes the identification and detailed structuring of phraseological domains of modern business discourse, actively involved in the media space. The relevance, novelty, theoretical and practical significance of the book make it possible to use it not only for scientific but also for linguistic and pragmatic purposes.

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