

Research Activity of Department of Animals' Anatomy named after acad. V.G. Kasyanenko

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Analysis of scientific activity of representatives of Kyiv School of veterinarian morphologists was made. Results of research work in department, which was started by famous Ukrainian morphologist B.O. Dombrovskiy, were recognized on III All-Union congress of zoologists, anatomists and histologists in Leningrad in 1927 as school of Professor B.O. Dombrovskiy.

Based in this period principles of conducting of educational process and research work became traditional for next periods, which undoubtedly were improved. Researches of V.G. Kasyanenko based on studying of ventral body muscles of vertebrates, and since the beginning of 1936 foundations of new functional-morphological direction of studying of mammals' locomotor apparat are formed. V.G. Kasyanenko together with assistants G.O. Himmelreich and F.M. Volkoboy continued scientific researches on topic 'Ventral body muscles'.

In 1952 Kasyanenko left his department work, and in 1953 this department was headed by his follower G.O. Himmelreich, who in 1960 defended a doctor thesis. Professor G.O. Himmelreich continued traditions of department research work and together with colleagues of department worked on topic 'Influence of age and ecology on structure of mammals' locomotor apparat and main intestine'. Honored worker of national education S.K. Rudik continued traditions of veterinarian morphologists on anatomy department. 31 doctors of science and more than 100 candidates of science went out from Kyiv School of veterinarian morphologists.

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