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Socio-economic consequences of futuroshock: philosophical analysis

The article examines the consequences of E. Toffler's theorizing about futur shock that occurred in the social and economic spheres. Arguments are given in favor of the multivariate manifestation of this process in the modern world. Critical lines in relation to the concept of futuroshock are presented. A. Toffler's forecasts, which were partially realized and did not find their objectification, are analyzed. The essence of the emerging "industry of sensations" is revealed. Emphasis is placed on theses regarding the disappearance of some professions. It is indicated that, despite pessimistic scenarios, a number of types of professional activities still exist.

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