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Scientific activity of the school. The school carries on the scientific patterns of functional grammar that was launched in Ukrainian linguistics by academician O. Mel’nychuk and by Professor I. Vykhovannets, a correspondent member of the Ukrainian National Academy of Science and a Doctor of Philology. Other representatives of this line of study are Professor A. Zahnitko (Donetsk National University), Professor M. Skab, Professor N. Hujvaniuk (Ivan Fedkovych Chernivtsi National University), Professor K. Shulzhuk (Rivne University of the Humanities). It was the first time in the history of Ukrainian linguistics that a category division in the range representation was established. A complex description of the sentence categories that reflect the Ukrainian language grammar system was formulated. Two editions of the manuscript “Syntax categories structure” (2001, 2004) have been published.

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