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### **Features of the Political-Legal Activity of Youth Under Conditions of the Transformation of Ukrainian Society**

The article analyzes the relevant political-legal situation in a country, was defined the specificity of this situation, raised questions about the evolutionary and revolutionary ways of social development. On the basis of focus group research were analyzed representations of young people about the situation, about the country and about the power and its impact on youth representation on the possible form their own political-legal activity. Is ascertained the presence of preparedness of young people to realize the revolutionary scenario of solving social contradictions.

The author stated, that in an environment of students of the humanitarian profile common indication of passivity, detachment from socio-political reality, the reluctance to avoid taking any decisions; delegating the solution of urgent social problems to volunteers or more active members of society. Along with this, there are ideas about the possibility of using revolutionary scenario of resolving the situation of «uncertainty» and «chaos», and its political and legal activities will depend on the level of economic well-being at the time of implementation of such a scenario.

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