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PROF. KRAJA'S "THE PEDAGOGY", A WORK OF AUTHENTIC SCIENTIFIC VALUES

Lately was in circulation the book "The Pedagogy" of the well known specialist of this field, Prof. Dr. Musa Kraja, author of 33 socio-pedagogical books and didactic and historic editions, etc, is the author with "the school presence", theoretical and applicative capacity with some decades of the authentic education activities, practices in every level of education, as a teacher, headmaster and scientist at ISP, as the professor of pedagogy at Tirana University for more than two decades.

The edition expands in 22 chapters. The first two chapters present historic development of the world's and Albanian pedagogical education and thought. Hereinafter, the pedagogy is treated as a science, with its object, pedagogical disciplines, our educational system and others, the school as an institution, the education as ever individual and social category, educative spaces, milieu, self-education etc. A new chapter is presented at curricula, bases, its creative executants etc. The didactics and "the learning", constitute two important chapters of the text going on with other ones as "learning", "The teacher, the pupil and their personality", "difficult pupil", etc.

The measurements, knowledge check, the evaluation, extra curricular activity is treated in separate chapters and compose strong columns of this work. "Non-public education, as an education alternative" and "The globalization of the education" Chapters constitute special treatments in line with European integration and in education and school field.

The attention paid to the rural areas and its problems occupy a special place in this original work, is a product of a deep scientific observation in the rural areas in country and in some other European developed ones.

It is widely dealt with the pedagogy of family and that of people with their respective specifics, the former as a scientific

theory and practice and the later not as such, by leaving room to a bibliography of the main sources on which the author was referred for scientific consultation. It gives the vision of a grandiose work, of a general pedagogy that fulfills the requirements of the University's programs in this field as well as to the increasing needs of teachers for further qualifications, students of the Faculty of Pedagogy, Albanians Universities at home and abroad and scholars interested on the educational issues.

The author, Prof. Musa Kraja was based on the best experience of Albanian schools on both sides of the border, already acquired during his qualifications without being detached by the contemporaneous literature.

Thus, "the Pedagogy 2006" is a fundamental work of the Albanian pedagogical thought, which occupies its own important place in our pedagogical library as an official text not only of the UT curricula, but of the other high schools that train teachers.