
HISTORY OF ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESEARCH OF KESH OASIS IN ANCIENT AND EARLY MIDDLE AGES

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ABSTRACT

This article deals with the study of the history of the Kashkadarya oasis and the scientific discoveries made as a result of many archeological researches. The study of the Kesh oasis has been extensively studied since the early twentieth century to the present day. When talking about the history of the oasis, the works of scientists such as M.E.Masson, S.K.Kabanov, V.D.Jukov, N.I.Krasheninnikova, R.H.Suleymanov, V.Rtveladze, A.S.Sagdullaev, A.A.Raimkulov and M.X.Isamiddinov are briefly mentioned. The successes and shortcomings of the scientific conclusions on this issue are analyzed below.

KEYWORDS: *Sogd, Kesh, Gava, Gau, Gavdara, Gavtepa, Oltintepa, Kosontepa, Arabtepa.*

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