

## **Historical and Pedagogical Aspects of the Activity of the Academy of Sciences Commission for the Development of V. I. Vernadsky's Scientific Heritage (1945 – 1985)**

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**Abstract:** The historical and pedagogical aspects of the activities of the Academy of Sciences Commission for the preservation and popularization of the scientific heritage of Academician V.I. Vernadsky in the period 1945 – 1985 are considered. The organizational stages of publication and popularization of the scientist's works, their leaders and main participants are highlighted, and a list of the most important published works is given. The understanding of the authorities and the scientific community of the theoretical, applied and educational significance of the works of V.I. Vernadsky is presented.

It is concluded that the Commission for the Development of the Scientific Heritage of Academician V.I. Vernadsky at the USSR Academy of Sciences played an important role in the development of the domestic ecological branch of scientific knowledge, the establishment of a system of specialized professional education and the popularization of the fundamental concept of sustainable development.