



Honorary Figure of Russian Geodesy and Cartography, Laureate of the Krasovsky Prize, Doctor of Science, Professor Gleb Viktorovich Demianov died on June 1, 2014.

His scientific activity was closely related to the Central Research Institute of Geodesy, Aerial Survey and Cartography named after Feodosy Krasovsky (TsNIIGAiK) for more than half of the century.

Gleb Demianov was the internationally recognized scholar, one of the leading scientists of Russia in the field of figure and gravitation field of the Earth, geodynamic research with the use of gravimetric, geodetic, and satellite data.

He was the Chairman of the Cathedra of High Geodesy of MIIGAiK from 2005 to 2010 and the Professor of the Cathedra from 2010 to now.

The known scientists Andrei Mayorov and Artiom Vitushkin have written their theses under the research guidance of Gleb Demianov.

Gleb Demianov was a member of a working group of IAG, a leading executor of international projects and programs. He took part directly in joint projects with scientists of geodetic surveys of foreign countries in the fields of precise geoid (quasi-geoid) creation, study of the recent crustal movements, united height system foundation.

The development of conceptual and theoretic foundations and realization of modern Russian reference frame on the basis of satellite technologies were performed under his direct participation. The results of the effort were state coordinate systems SK-95 and GSK2011.

He was the author of more than 100 scientific articles and issues.

Gleb Demianov was a winner of state and agency-level prizes.

For his devoted service to the motherland, long and dedicated work, great contribution to creation of the state geodetic network and country mapping Gleb Viktirovich Demianov was awarded the title of the Honorary Figure of Geodesy and Cartography of Russian Federation by the Edict of the President of the Russian Federation from May 17, 1999 No 595.

He was a prizeman of honors “Excellent Worker of Geodesy and Cartography” and “Honored Geodesist”. He was awarded the Honoris Causa medal by Federal Service for State Registration, Cadastre and Cartography.