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# RIMSKA I VIZANTIJSKA DALMACIJA NA PROSTORU CRNE GORE DO SREDINE XIII VIJEKA

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### **ABSTRACT:**

The paper shows the territorial expansion and administrative-ecclesiastical organization of the Roman province of Dalmatia and the Byzantine themes of Dalmatia and Upper Dalmatia on the territory of present-day Montenegro. A special segment is made up of relations between Byzantine Upper Dalmatia and the state of Duklja. Their intense ties led in the middle of the 11th century to the intertwining of the two national traditions. This was also reflected in the relations between the Archdiocese of Dukljan-Bar and Dubrovnik. The paper also shows the relations between the Byzantine Duchy of Dalmatia and Croatia with Duklja, as well as the Dukla-Dalmatian state heritage in the state of

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Nemanjića and in the Catholic Church until the middle of the 13th century. The work was created on the basis of relevant literature and published sources.

#### **KEY WORDS:**

Roman Empire; Byzantium; Dalmatia; Upper Dalmatia; Duklja.

## SAŽETAK:

U radu je prikazano teritorijalno prostiranje i upravno-crkvena organizacija rimske provincije Dalmacije i vizantijskih tema Dalmacija i Gornja Dalmacija na prostoru današnje Crne Gore. Poseban segment čine odnosi vizantijske Gornje Dalmacije i države Duklje. Njihove intenzivne veze dovele su sredinom XI vijeka do preplitanja dvije državne tradicije. To se odrazilo i na odnose Dukljansko-barske i Dubrovačke nadbiskupije. U radu su prikazani i odnosi između vizantijskog dukata Dalmacije i Hrvatske s Dukljom, kao i dukljansko-dalmatinsko državno nasljeđe u državi Nemanjića i u Katoličkoj crkvi do sredine XIII vijeka. Rad je nastao na osnovu relevantne literature i objavljenih izvora.

# KLJUČNE RIJEČI:

Rimsko carstvo; Vizantija; Dalmacija; Gornja Dalmacija; Duklja.