

ASTROGEODETTIC WORKS OF STEVAN P. BOŠKOVIĆ

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Abstract. The singularly long military and scientific career of Stevan P. Bošković began in late XIX century in the Kingdom of Serbia, was continued in the Kingdom of Yugoslavia, to be closed in the Federative People's Republic of Yugoslavia. His fruitful activity was devoted to geodesy and cartography in the framework of which a large part concerns the astronomical determinations of time, latitude and of azimuth at points on the soils of Serbia and Yugoslavia, along with the longitude determination. A special importance attaches to his efforts at establishing a continuity of these works in the region of Balkan Peninsula and a link between our networks and those of Europe.