IGOR' PETROVICH MITYUK (1928–1995).
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I. P. Mityuk was an internationally known expert in the field of geometric function theory. He founded the Krasnodar mathematical school and had been leading it for many years. The scientific works of I. P. Mityuk had significantly influenced the development of classical aspects of the theory of multivalent functions. Pioneering investigations on the development and application of symmetrization methods in the theory of conformal and quasiconformal mappings were his merit. Kuban' scientific school-conferences on function theory headed by I. P. Mityuk have contributed to the professional education of many young mathematicians of the entire country, and they remain in the participants' minds as a model of creative and humane communication. Among the direct disciples of I. P. Mityuk are M. N. Gavrilyuk, V. N. Dubinin, B. E. Levitskii, N. N. Mavrodi, A. Yu. Solynin, V. V. Tul'chii, Yu. V. Chernykh, V. A. Shlyk, and L. A. Yaremenko. Scientific achievements of these scholars predetermined, to a great extent, the progress in symmetrization methods and related areas of geometric function theory in Russia and abroad.

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