

JILPT Research Activities

Research Reports

The findings of research activities undertaken by the Japan Institute for Labour Policy and Training (JILPT) are published in Japanese in the form of research reports. Below is a list of the reports published from June to August 2008. These reports can be accessed in full on the JILPT's website,* to which we are also in the process of uploading the English-language abstracts.

Research Reports

- No. 103 *Skills Development and Human Resource Development at Small and Medium Enterprises: A Preliminary Study* (July 2008).
- No. 102 *A Study of Job Creation in the Provinces* (July 2008).
- No. 101 *A Study of Employment Support for Single Mothers* (June 2008).
- No. 100 *Employment of Older People: An Interim Report on Research into Promoting the Employment of Older People* (June 2008).
- No. 99 *Limited-term Labor and Parental Leave: The State of Continued Employment and Obstacles to the Popularization of Parental Leave* (June 2008).
- No. 98 *Survey of Support for Development of Corporate Dispute Resolution Systems* (July 2008).
- No. 97 *Transformation of the Japanese-style High-school Graduate Employment System and Recommendations* (June 2008).

Discussion Papers

- DPS-08-09 Hori, Haruhiko. *Segmentation of the Labor Market and the Gender Wage Gap* (June 2008).
- DPS-08-08 Nakamura, Ryoji. *Measures to Support the Work-Life Balance Viewed from a Corporate perspective: Present and Future with a Focus on Compliance with the Next Generation Education and Support Promotion Act* (June 2008).

Research Series

- No. 49 *New Indices Using Business Statistics 2008* (August 2008).
- No. 48 *Follow-up Survey of Visions of Employment and Personal Life among the Baby-boom Generation: What "This Year" Means to Permanent*

Employees Retiring at the Mandatory Age of 60 (June 2008).

Research Material Series

- No. 46 *Institutions for Migrant Workers in Foreign Countries and Actual Conditions 2008* (August 2008).
- No. 45 *The Work-Life Balance in Europe* (August 2008).
- No. 44 *Groundwork Study for Development of Urban Function Index and Zone Classification Using City and Employment Data* (July 2008).
- No. 43 *Career Consulting Training Research: Project Study on “R&D to Enhance Supply and Demand Adjustment Functions and Career Support Functions of the Labor Market”* (June 2008).
- No. 42 *State and Characteristics of Operation of External Individual Labor Dispute Prevention and Resolution Systems* (June 2008).
- No. 41 *Survey of Diversification of Work Styles and Working Hours in Europe* (June 2008).
- No. 40 *Empirical Study of Matching Efficiency* (July 2008).
- No. 39 *Transformation of the Japanese-style High-school Graduate Employment System and Recommendations: Sources* (June 2008).
- No. 38 *Regional Employment Policy and Trends in Number of Employees by Region* (June 2008).

*JILPT website: URL: <http://www.jil.go.jp/english/index.html>

International Workshop

The JILPT held a research workshop on the theme of “Regional Employment Development in Korea and Japan” in cooperation with the Korea Labor Institute (KLI) on June 17 in Tokyo, Japan. The reports in Japanese presented during this workshop can be viewed on the JILPT’s website.