JILPT Research Activities

International Workshop

The Japan Institute for Labour Policy and Training (JILPT), the Chinese Academy of Labour and Social Security (CALSS), and the Korea Labor Institute (KLI) held a research forum on the theme "Comparative Research into the Best Approach to Support Workers in their Capacity Building and Career Development amidst the Changing Economy and Society" on September 15 in Tokyo, Japan. The three institutes hold a forum once every year with a common theme and present their research results with the aim of promoting mutual understanding among the three countries and raising the standards of research. This was the ninth forum held with the collaboration of the three research institutes. The research papers presented at the forum will be released shortly on the JLPT website (http://www.jil.go.jp/institute/chosa/).

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Takahiko Kusano (Executive Director, JILPT), Evolution of the Policy for Vocational Ability Development in Japan

Makoto Fujimoto (Vice Senior Researcher, Labour Quality Management and Career Development, JILPT), Actions Taken by Japanese Businesses for Human Resource Development and Capacity Building: Focusing on the Service Industry

KLI

Soon-Hie Kang (Senior Research Fellow KLI), Current Situation, Achievements Made Thus Far, and Challenges for the Future Regarding the Public Vocational Training System in Korea

Hong-Guen Chang (Research Fellow, KLI), Reorganization and Challenges of the Training System for the Unemployed: Cases in Korea

CALSS

Jing Wang (Vice President, CALSS), Evolution of the Policy for Human Resource Development in China

Jun Liu (Director of Foreign Labour and Employment, Institute of International Labour and Social Security), *Current Situation of Vocational Training in China*

Research Reports

The findings of research activities undertaken by JILPT are compiled into Research Reports (in Japanese). Below is a list of the reports published in 2010 and 2011. The complete Japanese text of these reports can be accessed from the JILPT website (http://www.jil.go.jp/institute/pamphlet/). We are currently working on uploading abstracts of

reports in English onto the JILPT website as well (http://www.jil.go.jp/english/).

Research Reports

No.139 Career Path, Style of Working, and Awareness among Temporary Workers Registered with Temp Staff Agencies: Based on the Results of Interviews with 88 Temporary Agency Workers (1. Analysis and Data, 2. Case Study) (November 2011)

Research Series

- No.89 General Survey on Employment in Japan in FY2009 (Volume 1: Main Survey, Volume 2: Employment Data) (November 2011)
- No.88 Results of the Survey on Part-Time Workers: Situation after the Enforcement of the Revised Part-Time Workers Act (October 2011)

Research Material Series

- No.96 Employment Situation of Fixed-Term Full-Time Employees: Based on the Results of Interviews with Individual Employees (December 2011)
- No.95 *Job Creation and Job Destruction Indicators* (October 2011)
- No.94 Report of the 11th Japan-Korea Joint Workshop: Comparison between Japan and Korea on Long Working Hours and Policy Measures to Reduce Working Hours (September 2011)
- No.93 Research into the Employment Situation of the Elderly: Actions Taken by Businesses Toward Further Employment of the Elderly (September 2011)