

Policy Research Center Research Project Accomplishment Report

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Project Leader:	Dainn Wie	Associate Professor	GRIPS

Research Project Title:
Gender Issues in the Labor Market of Developing Countries

Project duration:
April 1st 2015 ~ March 31st, 2017

Project Participants:

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Leader	Dainn Wie	Associate Professor	GRIPS
Participant 1	Yoko Oishi	Ph.D Candidate	GRIPS
Participant 2	Jong-Wha Lee	Professor	Korea University
Participant 3			
Participant 4			
Participant 5			

Project aims and goals:

"The gender issues in the labor market of developing countries" project aims to investigate gender wage gap and female labor force participation in developing countries. The issue of gender inequality is considered as major impediment to economic development. However, gender gaps in the labor markets of developing countries have received relatively less attention from scholars so far. Our goal is to measure the gender disparity in the labor market of developing countries and understand the underlying sources of gap and its evolution. Our project will provide important implications for gender relevant policy design in developing countries.

Accomplishment of Project(in 400 words):

In this fiscal year, we finished most quantitative analyses. We generated reports, tables, and graphs. We also investigated more literature to understand our findings and provide proper interpretation and policy implication. We also started to work on writing an article and one chapter of thesis. We also attended academic conference to disseminate our findings and receive good feedbacks from various scholars.

I and Jong-Wha Lee submitted our paper "Wage Structure and Gender Earnings Differentials in China and India" to World Development and received minor revision request in last November and re-submitted in January. The working paper version of this paper is also published as GRIPS discussion paper series (DP 16-25). We expect that our article would be finally accepted by journal, so we can disseminate our findings further.

I and Yoko Oishi worked on the "Female Labor Supply in Indonesia" project together. She is now working on writing all our findings and its implication as her second chapter in thesis. She also presented this chapter in Japan Economic Association's Annual Meeting and will have her defense on April 14th, 2017.

List of Accomplishment
(including forthcoming)

Article
Academic papers (including those published in general journals)

0 in total		The number of referred article		0		0		0		
Author	Title	Publisher	Vol/No/Pag	Date of Publication	Start page	Finish page	Referee Report	International joint	DOI	Open Access
1										
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Book
*For collaboratively edited or authored books, please underline your name.

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Author	Title	Publisher	Date of Publication	Total pages	
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Verbal Report
*Please report peer-reviewed academic conference papers in "Article" category. Please report non-peer-reviewed academic conference

1 in total					
Name	Title	Name of the workshop	Report Date	Venue	
1	Yoko Oishi Gender Issues in Indonesian Labor Market	Japan Economic Association Annual Meeting	2016/9/10	Waseda University	
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