

From the Editor

There are twelve articles in this issue of *WORK* and the Knowledge Transfer column by To-Miles and Shaw. Soklaridis, Cassidy, van der Velde, Tompa and Hogg-Johnson provide an employer's perspective on the economic cost of return to work. Farooq and Khan investigated the effect of shoulder rotation, upper arm rotation and elbow flexion in a repetitive gripping task.

Kerr, Dattilo and O'Sullivan conducted a study which explored the use of recreation activities as positive coping with chronic stress and mental health outcomes associated with unemployment of people with disabilities.

WORK Board member, Menéndez and colleagues, conducted an important validation study comparing two self-reported upper extremity symptom surveys with clinical examinations for upper extremity musculoskeletal disorders.

Nasser and Carifio wrote an interesting article about belief in a just world and depression in elderly nursing home residents, while Dr. Soeker discussed the development of the Model of Occupational Self Efficacy: an occupational therapy practice model to facilitate return to work after a brain injury.

Our student paper by Bowman looks at work assessment in rural industrial settings.

Hallqvist and Hydén describe learning in occupational transitions – a study of the process following job loss.

Gadinger, Schilling, Litaker and Fischer discuss *The Work-Health-Check (WHC)* which is an innovative brief new tool for assessing psychosocial stress in the workplace. Çavus provides a window into the socialization and organizational citizenship behavior among Turkish primary and secondary school teachers. Langerak and colleagues provide an interesting article on a validation study of the four-dimensional symptom questionnaire (4DSQ) in insurance medicine, while Albin adds to the body of knowledge about measuring the validity and reliability of ergonomic checklists. Finally, the issue ends with the Knowledge Transfer column about knowledge transfer with children and adolescents in technology use.

As always, I welcome hearing from you about topics you would like published in *WORK*; and look forward to your submission of a manuscript to *WORK*. Learn more about the Editorial Board Members, authors and articles published in *WORK* by following us on Twitter @WORK_Journal.

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