



Career Development Services, Training, and Credentialing Around the World

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Career Services are hot in many parts of Asia, where workers are beginning to expect a sense of personal satisfaction from their work. A shortage of trained professionals leads to questions about standards and what training is needed. In other countries, career planning is primarily for the upper class. Awareness of career planning is so lacking, that career planning professionals need to hold a regular job in order to support themselves. Australia is one of the countries that has a mature relationship with career development practices and theories. The National Career Development Association (USA) just completed a book about career planning practices around the world and the results of this study will be shared.