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CURRENT RESEARCH

Organization and Talent Strategies in Emerging Markets

Operating profitably across national boundaries has always been a challenge for organizations. Operating in both developed and emerging markets creates additional challenges and complexity. Developed markets typically have high labor costs and skills, mature financial and legal systems, well developed infrastructure and logistics industries, and large middle classes. Emerging markets tend to have the polar opposite. The end result is that the talent strategies needed for success in developed versus emerging markets can be very different. As a consequence, multinational companies often have to choose between consistency and adaptability of their organization and talent strategies when operating in both worlds simultaneously. The issues to be addressed in this action research agenda include:

- Under what conditions do organization and talent strategy adaptability pay off for multinational firms operating in both developed and emerging markets?
- What are the organization and talent implications of managing multiple business models and orchestrating changes when operating simultaneously in both types of market?
- Should multinationals build in-country operations with a talent focus that is domestic-only, international-only, or both? What are the implications of choosing one over the other?
- How can talent recruitment, development and management structures and processes be built that effectively and flexibly serve emerging markets in their current state of development, and also position the company for success as the economy and middle class grow rapidly?

Engaging the New Generation – Global Study

This study builds off the US pilot study and expands the scope of investigation to 18 countries worldwide in both developing and developed economies. Over 40,000 employees of a large professional services firm were interviewed and surveyed to investigate the importance of generational versus career stage and life stage in determining the factors that impact employee satisfaction, thriving, commitment and retention. Joint research with George Benson, Jennifer Deal, Sue Mohrman and Maritza Salazar.

Aligning Sales Compensation with Productivity

This study examines the productivity impacts of changing sales incentives to more closely align effort with compensation. The methodology uses before-and-after surveys and sales data at both treatment and control sites in a consumer products company. Joint research with George Benson, Cindy Zoghi and Michael Gibbs.

Maximizing HR's Strategic Impact

This research agenda combines insights from scientific research and applied work with companies to develop frameworks and tools both to measure the impact of HR and organizational processes on strategic and financial objectives, and to increase the HR function's capability to do the design, optimization and measurement work on its own.

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