

Promotion of FIOH and Information Service Centre

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FIOH in the nut shell

- 13 departments and 6 regional institutes
- Four basic functions of FIOH are:
 - Research
 - Services
 - Education and training
 - Dissemination of information

FIOH in the nut shell

- Approx. 600 permanent posts
- Academic staff according to field of expertise
 - Medicine 68
 - Technology 46
 - Chemistry, biochemistry 40
 - Sociology 40
 - Psychology 38 etc.

FIOH in the nutshell

- Over 600 research articles published
- Over 500 popularized articles published
- Over 300 presentations at the congresses
- The dissemination of information is one of the four basic functions (research, training and education, services)

The dissemination of information

- Activities are decentralized and taken care of four units, which cooperate closely:
- Two units in the Administrative department : the office of information and international affairs and the publication office
- Two departments : The Work Health Safety Journal and the Information Service Centre
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The dissemination of information

- A channel for informing workplaces about the results of research carried out in Finland and elsewhere in the world
- Dissemination of information is carried out several different ways

Visits and visitors

- The Central Institute was visited by 87 groups (1,382 persons),
- the visitors were members of Safety Committees, student groups and other interested groups
- special days for visitors organized 3-4 times a year

The Office of Information and International Affairs

- Arouses public interest in occupational health and safety matters
- One of its target group is media
- It launched 12 press conferences and 21 press releases in 2002 : the titles of those were:
- The effects of fair leadership on the workers' health, the effects of work stress on cardiovascular diseases, indoor air problems, work in the IT-sector, and workers' welfare in municipal work and in hospitals

International level

- The office of information takes care of journal publishing activities such as:
- the African Newsletter
- the Asian Pacific Newsletter
- Both are produced in collaboration with ILO
- Also Barents Newsletter is produced
- Finnish language journal: Työterveiset (special issues in English) - information on the research projects and the other activities of the FIOH



African Newsletter on Occupational Health and Safety

Volume 12, number 2, August 2002

NETWORKING



Dissemination of information in electronic form

- The production of Web-pages is decentralized - all departments are responsible for the web-contents of their subject areas
- Separate editorial staffs are nominated for each of the subject areas such as the information intensive work, work ability, chemicals etc.
- The production of web-pages is coordinated by the office of information



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- Work environment

FIOH in action



Research



Information



Training



Advisory services



Publishing office

- Publishing office markets and sells textbooks, handbooks and booklets written mostly by FIOH experts.
- 43 new books came out in 2002 such titles as coping with working in the cold, how to measure work load, and how ergonomics has to be taken into account in VDT work
- One serial was published: People and Work



Publications in English

Publications of The Finnish Institute of Occupational Health 2002

This publicatio catalogue lists the English-language publications of the FIOH which are for sale. All the publications in the catalogue can be ordered from the Publication Office on an electronic [order form](#). (The prices may be subject to change.)

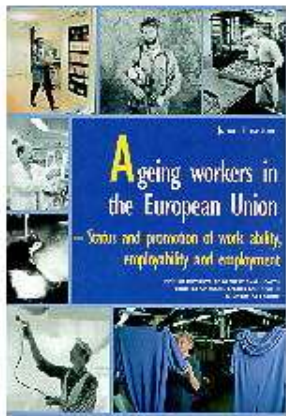
Ageing workers in the European Union

– Status and promotion of work ability, employability and employment

Ilmarinen J

The first part of the book depicts the status of workers over 45 years of age, and the second describes measures to help improve the status of this group of workers on the labor market. A holistic model has therefore been used to depict factors that affect the work ability of workers.

274 p., ISBN 951-802-306-9, 1999, EUR 31.90



Mental Well-being at Work

A Sign of a Healthy Organisation and a Necessary Precondition for Organisational Development

Waris K

The dissertation focuses on the importance of job satisfaction as a general indicator of perceived working conditions. Emotional and cognitive factors were found to be functionally intertwined, constituting a common factor. Organisational functioning and the characteristics of work were related to a person's health, as measured by sickness absenteeism.

People and Work, Research Reports 28, 169 p., ISBN 951-802-308-5, 1999, EUR 18.50

Muscle Mass and Age as Factors Influencing Physical Work Capacity and Strain in Dynamic Exercise

Aminoff T

The study examined the influence of the size of active muscle mass and of age on physical work capacity and strain during dynamic exercise. The results show that increased age is not necessarily associated with a decline in physical work capacity in dynamic exercise with relatively small muscle groups.

People and Work, Research Reports 29, 92 p., ISBN



Work Health Safety

- Is a significant periodical from the whole field of occupational health and safety. It deals with topics of current interest. It reaches the people working with the field of OSH but also many other readers
- It is provider of information at the national level
- It contributes to the improvement of the work environment and development of work organisations

Work Health Safety

- Practical ideas and useful hints provide the most important ways of influencing.
- According to the readership surveys :
- The readers held the view that the articles had led to improvements at their workplace.
- Some of the themes : sexual harassment, relations between fellow workers and conflicts at work, balancing of family and work life, time management, stress, the act of occup. health

Work Health Safety

- One English language issue of Work Health Safety was published, with an edition of 8,000,
- It was distributed in over 100 countries.

The last but not the least

- The Information Service Centre - with library and information services
- It has external and internal users
- Thanks to the Internet the ISCentre has become more visible and can be approached more easily than ever before

The promotion of the ISCentre

- we don't have marketing strategy, but my view is that every contact with a customer is marketing
- we don't have a brandmark or logo of our own, but we use common logo of the FIOH
- we have common activities with the other information units such as common exhibition stands
- we offer customers the information products of all information units
- our common goal is to make FIOH known

The reputation of the FIOH

- A reliable research institute with quality information and facts. The image of the FIOH is important for the ISCentere.

The promotion of the ISCentre

- Information on the ISCentre is available in the web and in the Intranet
- Our databases are accessible via web
- Our website has renewed quite recently, we try to keep it up-to-date and interesting to users
- The layout of the FIOH site is assigned by the informing office



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Cooperation is also a channel of promotion

- Worksafe project funded by the EU
- a pan-European database on occupational cancer risks and degenerative diseases is created together. The Information Service Centre is mainly responsible for developing the contents and usability of this Internet database (<http://www.euroworksafe.org>).

WORKsafe


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WELCOME TO WORKSAFE!

Dear user you have just entered into the brand new WORKSAFE website!



WHY TO BE HERE?

WORKSAFE is a EU project focused on the **European OHS context** for all that concerns study, evaluation and prevention of health risks related to the exposure of dangerous substances, with particular attention to cancer and degenerative diseases.

Being here and becoming a member of our community you can expand your knowledge and be always aware of the latest news, events and advancements in the OHS context.

WHAT TO FIND HERE?

The **scientific partners** participating to the project have provided a large amount of original, assessed and relevant contents on the OHS context related to cancer and degenerative diseases prevention including: statistics, epidemiological data, studies, researches, guidelines, good practices, bibliographic references, surveys...

...but also pertinent legislation and regulation links, consulting information, training possibilities and many others!



HOW TO GET IT?

All the contents included in the WORKSAFE knowledge base can be accessed entering the database through many different point of views characterized by the different **Thematic Areas** you can find on the left navigation bar. This links allow you to access all our contents from different entry point, focusing on the OHS aspect you are most interested in! Just try a Thematic Area, search for the data

Welcome

A default account is available in this Jetspeed installation.

Generic Profile:

Login : **Visitor**

Password: **Generic**



IARC's mission: Cancer research for cancer control. IARC coordinates and conducts both epidemiological and laboratory research into the causes of cancer.



The Finnish Institute of Occupational Health is a research and advisory institute whose main tasks are research, training of occupational health and safety professionals, provision of advisory services, and dissemination of information.



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