

Consumer Cooperatives Urgent Problems

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The article deals with the management of working capital in district level of consumer cooperatives through the diversified nature of economic and financial activities.

Key words: working capital; working capital structure; receivables; total volume of district consumer cooperatives activities; economic accounting.

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The article analyzes the departmental reporting of business contracts concluded by organizations of consumer cooperatives, including ones with suppliers, in relation to the terms of transactions payment, as well as the dynamics of claims under contracts in the context of regions from the point of their number and amount for the 2015–2017 period. There have been main trends identified and conclusions made on the need for further improving the content of economic contracts respectively to each region.

Key words: contract; claim; consumer cooperatives; claims; terms of the contract; penalties; contractual discipline; contracts effectiveness.

Labour Market and Personnel Management

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The article discusses the national and world experience in the formation of the conceptual framework for achieving a rational employment structure; global and national documents are shown as one of the institutions in the labor market, the tightness of their relationship is determined, and development paths in their interaction are identified.

The purpose of the article is to develop the conceptual foundations of the formation of a rational structure of employment in the labor market in the conditions of sustainable development of the Republic of Belarus based on the author's fundamental approaches to rational employment, an institutional model, and a mechanism for the interaction of the main actors in the labor market.

The novelty of the study is that the conceptual foundations of rational employment have been studied and scientifically substantiated. The author comes to the justified conclusion that it is necessary to form a matrix of current and potential jobs with characteristics of technical and technological parameters, to define a platform of skills and abilities that need to be matched in a different time lag according to the prospects for the national and cross-border labor market.

Key words: rational employment; the maximum possible value of the workforce at the workplace; the preventive formation of skills for the workforce of various skill levels, age and gender in accordance with the technical and technological parameters of jobs; skills economy; skills matrix.

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The article deals with the impact of life quality indicators on human capital on the basis of statistical data. The comparative analysis of forming the human capital in the Republic of Belarus and the Russian Federation is presented and the tendency of its change is reflected. For carrying out the comparative analysis of living standards in the Republic of Belarus and the Russian Federation there have been the most important indicators used, namely, human development index, life expectancy index, education index, income index, population income. The category of life quality is becoming the most important part of the state policy for society developing.

Key words: life quality; life quality indicators; human capital; human development index; life expectancy; population income; education.

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Key words: gross domestic product; gross regional product; types of economic activity; labor productivity.

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Key words: external environment; macroeconomic factors; regional factors; sector factors; economic risks; competitors; counterparties.

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The article deals with the types of companies' bankruptcy, causes and factors affecting their occurrence, audit tasks according to the International Standards on Auditing. Special attention is paid to improper actions caused by bankruptcy, signs of fraudulent and deliberate bankruptcy, methods and stages of its audit. There have been given comparative characteristics of the advantages and disadvantages in national and foreign models of assessing bankruptcies probability. There are some recommendations how to make the comprehensive analysis and how to get the financial recovery of tourism companies.

Key words: the essence and varieties of bankruptcy; factors, causes and signs of bankruptcy; improper actions within bankruptcy; procedures and stages of auditing bankruptcies; methods and models for assessing the bankruptcy probability; tools for companies' financial recovery; comprehensive diagnosis of bankruptcies causes.

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Key words: reinvestment rate; capital structure; speed of adaptation to the target capital structure; critical reinvestment rate.

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Key words: deposits; macroeconomic indicators; analysis of indicators; model.

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Key words: e-business; problems; adverse consequences; social production; digital economy; labor; macroeconomics; microeconomics; production factors.

Modern Technologies

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The article results the study how finishing processes and variously temperatured moisture influence on the shrinkage of semi-wool worsted fabrics and threads that they are obtained from. A comparative analysis of the obtained shrinkage values was carried out when the threads and fabrics were moistened with 20, 50 and 90 °C water and when the samples had the treatment corresponding to the washing and welding stages of finishing. It has been revealed that water temperature influences on shrinking half-woolen worsted threads and fabrics as well as their properties: composition, weaving (structure), surface density for fabrics; composition, linear density and twist for threads.

Key words: shrinkage; worsted fabrics; threads; wet-heat processing.

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