

Work Network Research Theme Changes – December 2004

Regular visitors to the site may have noticed that we recently re-organized some of the Work Network’s research themes. This document is designed to help website visitors navigate through these changes to find past research and publications.

The most significant change involves combining two previous research themes *Creating Tomorrow’s Workplace* and *Developing Tomorrow’s Workforce* into one theme, now called *Job Quality*. We also made some additional modifications to the research sub-themes now found under the *Job Quality* theme.

We made these changes to more accurately reflect the Network’s past and future research agenda. Under the new *Job Quality* theme, you will find publications previously listed under the old research themes of *Creating Tomorrow’s Workplace* and *Developing Tomorrow’s Workforce*. Similarly, our past research on education and training related issues, previously found under the sub-theme of *Education, Learning, and Skills* in *Developing Tomorrow’s Workforce*, can now be found under *The Learning and Work Nexus* theme.

The table below summarizes the changes.

Old Themes and Sub-themes	New Theme and Sub-themes
<p><i>Theme:</i> <u>Creating Tomorrow’s Workplace</u></p> <p><i>Sub themes:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Employment Relationships ▪ Quality Jobs ▪ Healthy and Supportive Workplaces <p><i>Theme:</i> <u>Developing Tomorrow’s Workforce</u></p> <p><i>Sub themes:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Human Resource Renewal in Government ▪ The Non-profit Sector ▪ The Ageing Workforce ▪ Education, Learning, and Skills 	<p><i>Theme:</i> <u>Job Quality</u></p> <p><i>Sub-themes:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Ageing Workforce ▪ Employment Relationships ▪ Healthy and Supportive Workplaces / Work-life Balance ▪ Human Resource Renewal in Government ▪ Job Quality in the Non-profit Sector ▪ Quality of Employment Indicators – www.jobquality.ca <p><i>Theme:</i> <u>The Learning and Work Nexus</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All previous research from Education, Learning, and Skills can be found in this research theme.

Interested in partnering with us or sponsoring this area of research? If so, please contact Ron Saunders, Director, Work Network at rsaunders@cprn.org