



## **Survey on Basic Vocational Competencies in Korean Construction Industry**

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### **ABSTRACT**

The purpose of this study was to investigate basic vocational competencies that construction industry demands by analyzing on-site professionals' opinions in Korea. The survey questionnaire administered to the on-site construction professionals has 12 areas which are based on the previous research on the basic vocational skills needed for construction technicians. However, only eight core basic vocational competencies that have been selected which include self-management, job understanding, human relations, technology application, problem-solving, communication, organization, and foreign language abilities.

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