Labour Market Study - High School Strategy

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Abstract

Nowadays the most important question is which institution of higher education the student will choose to apply to his future career. Which university will provide him with the adequate knowledge to meet the increasing demands of labour market and eventually become a valuable asset of the society.

Research shows that according to the employment of the graduate students Gori Teaching University has a medium rating among other universities of Georgia (about 30%).

How do we achieve such results? there are several factors, such as:

- Modern and technically fluent infrastructure;
- Properly selected team working with students;
- The latest teaching strategies and methods enabling the students to gain theoretical knowledge and practical skills at the university;
- Administration's efforts are directed to organizing learning process and ensuring the quality of the environment;
- Permanent labor market research and analysis of results;
- Close relations with alumni and potential employers.

This time, we want to pay attention to one of these factors, it is – permanent labor market research and analysis of the significance of the results.

Nowadays the competition in the labour market is increasing. This concerns to both international and local or regional markets. Many important things have been done for our country, for the state formation. But we still face one of the most important problem – employment. In this regard the direction which the Gori Teaching University has chosen is very important, namely to take special steps to employment. This means giving the viable knowledge for the labour market.

With the purpose, the University has been conducting various kinds of researches among which the job market research appears prior aimed at indicating the most demanded professions for the further employment of our students.

The job market research is still continued at public and private institutions covering the entire Region.

During the last academic year 2010-11 the University conducted the research and identified the age and the quantitative indices of teachers and administrative-technical staff in 120 schools covering the entire Shida Kartli Region. Having considered the research results, the University has added some new specialties.

Besides extensive researches, periodically conducts interuniversity enquiries. The main purpose of such inquiries is to study the learning and working environment at the University to provide it later with improved infrastructure and professionally qualified staff.