

Abstract

In the present study, previous empirical studies that examined antecedents, correlates, and consequences of organizational trust are summarized using the method of meta-analyses (Hunter et al., 1982). 37 meta-analyses were conducted, including 24 variables classified as antecedents, 7 variables as correlates, and 6 as consequences. Type of trust- trust in management and interpersonal trust, was used as a moderator variable. Definitional issues and previous theoretical development of the topic were examined qualitatively. Directions for future research are highlighted as well.