

Search for unpublished Data for a Meta-Analysis of Emotional Intelligence

I am a graduate student at the Southwest University in China. I am conducting a meta-analysis of the factor structure of the Mayer-Salovey-Caruso Emotional Intelligence Test V 2.0 (MSCEIT) for my doctoral dissertation under the supervision of Prof. Jinfu Zhang.

I am writing to ask for your assistance in locating any unpublished data. Some researchers reported his major findings with not all the raw data printed in their papers. For example, some published paper just printed the matrix of the four-branch of the MSCEIT, not the raw correlation matrix of the eight-task of the MSCEIT. Or, they only presented the correlation of the consensus scoring, although the expert scoring was recorded.

My study is expected to contribute to the EI field by synthesizing evidence for the construct validity of the MSCEIT via Meta-analysis technique. This work is similar to what Judith M. Collins and John E. Hunter did in 2001 focusing on the WAIS Intelligence Test.

Studies that fit my study would include the following:

- correlation research methodology (with correlation matrix);
- the MSCEIT used as measure tool of the ability EI model ;
- the correlation matrix of the consensus scoring, or the expert scoring. It is better if both;
- the correlation matrices of the eight-task, not the four-branch.
- Or the covariance matrices of the eight-task of the MSCEIT, based on either the consensus scoring or the expert scoring, if presenting their Means and Standard Deviation.

To have the more accurate result and reduce the publication bias, I would greatly appreciate it if you could send me a copy of (email or hard copy) the data on which any related unpublished (and published) research articles, thesis, working papers and conference papers based. These may be ones that you personally have written, or ones written by a fellow colleague. It will be great if you could send me your work on or before 10 Nov. 2009.

Thank you very much for your help in advance. I can be reached by email or the address below.

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