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# The personality dimensions research self-esteem, self-control and self-efficacy on creative government accountants in Yazd

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#### **ABSTRACT**

This study examines the relationship between financial structure and economic growth in the Tehran Stock Exchange's Company. The purpose of this study is communication the fact that the economic growth company with the financing of internal and external and fund the company's impact on economic growth. This hypothesis was tested in a model mix that 165 company picked up during the period 2007 to 2012. This study is a descriptive regression, theoretical literature was library data from the Stock Exchange and corporate reports are obtained. Experimental results show that external financing - short-term debt - significantly impact on economic growth, however results in the total sample is weak while more significant results in various industries. The results showed that short-term debt and longterm car industry is more important and more important in cement industry retained earnings and changes in retained earnings. The results also showed that the company's size and age also affect the company's growth. The results of this study can be used in financial and economic policy makers, decision makers in the capital market, companies listed on the Stock Exchange and financial institutions and individual investors will be invested. This study aimed to investigate the relationship between personality traits (self-control) in Yazd province executive creative accountants. This research as applied research and in terms of data collection, descriptive and correlational study. The populations of this research are all accountants executive Yazd province whose number is 500. Using a sample of 164 was selected. To collect data from questionnaires creativity, Rosenberg Self-Esteem Scale, a questionnaire Tanjny control, GES self-efficacy questionnaire was used. According to the analysis of the collected data, the following results were obtained. Efficacy influence on Yazd Province executive creative accountants, control over influence on Yazd Province executive creative accountants.

#### *Keyword:*

- ✓ communication
- ✓ Creativity
- √ self-control
- ✓ self-efficacy
- ✓ self-esteem

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#### INTRODUCTION

The life of any organization depends on effective use of human resources. Intellectual capital of each organization, it is considered one of the most important capabilities assets that can organize, create and share knowledge has helped create sustainable organizational advantage in comparison with other organizations. Organizations need people who can provide the ground for improving work efficiency. Employees with a good value, ability to perform the duties of his control will be in the ground for proper effectiveness. Therefore, it is important to study the factors that influence employee creativity. Forcing government agencies including organizational units that are associated with creative accountants and innovation to advance the goals of great importance. Therefore, the factors that affect their creative and innovative is more important. In this study was to investigate the personality dimensions of Yazd province's executive creative accountants. The character's personality, characteristics and behavioral patterns that every person, consciously or unconsciously, just as his style and lifestyle shows. The word is said to be the ancient Greek theatrical mask on his face was the domain of personality psychology, various theories have been proposed, each character has a special dimension analyzed. Psychologists disagree about the nature of personality, a lot of personality led to controversy. Campbell personality traits as emotional and behavioral predictors for each person applying is relatively constant. He believes that personality is made up of two main factors: genetic characteristics, life experiences, especially early childhood commerce.

Rogers character of a self (Self) individual permanent structured knows that the experience of the. Watson (father of behaviorism) character thinks organized collection habits.

Freud in terms of growth during the first six years of life and is formed in five steps. If the person does not have a fixed place in the process of solving conflict and the desire to preserve some of the habits and characteristics of its infancy any problem at any stage of growth, long-term effect on the personality of the individual.

Imagination and attitude personality have an important role in life. The image on the feedback obtained from the behavior and opinions of others are formed so that one of its properties in such a way understand that others the characteristics attributed to him. For example, self-esteem caused by the reflection of the others in the inner person. James was among those who for the first time in The Principles of Psychology to the need for self-esteem and that determines the multiple forms of human behavior is emphasized. Self-esteem is to feel valued. This sense of thoughts, feelings, emotions and experiences of human life is due to a set of thousands of impressions, its assessment of the experience that makes her feel valued or vice versa to be incompetent discomfort(Safarian, Ashori, 2014)

The self-control term was developed first in 1974 by Schneider. This means that a person in your position, how much is flexible and stable. He believes that the people in a general discussion will be divided into two categories: People with high self-control and Low self-control, each with characteristics that some people are sensitive to social status and appearance are adjusted to fit the current situation called people with high self- control. In contrast, those with

low self-control tend to express their thoughts and feelings so that it fits their organization's position. People with high self-control with high behavioral health and quality of life of people with the highest social skills, so they often choose managerial positions (Todehi at el, 2014)

On creativity and innovation in the workplace, little research has been done from the standpoint and each have studied Self-esteem, self-control, self-important component of personality and creativity that can be taken if a high level of growth and personal prosperity. People with these characteristics can be operated with high productivity in the workplace and the underlying growth, progress and efficiency in the workplace. In this study, the effects of personality dimensions in terms of self-esteem, self-control and self-efficacy on creativity of accountants agencies Yazd province differences are discussed and finally the context of strategies for enhancing the personality characteristics of individuals to establish and nurture thinking skills are provided it is possible, research of behavioral science in general and organizational behavior in particular, shows that the optimum use of human resources based on measures in the light of the spatial organization to each employee, with a feeling of satisfaction for maximum security his quest for utility duties to do. Personality, psychological concepts of management, which in the past has attracted the attention of management to this matter that a person's character traits and values, attitudes, feelings and behavior influence is quite rational logic(Khaefolahi At El,2011)

The three dimensions of personality (self-esteem, self-control and self-efficacy) in Yazd province accountant executive, then the impact will be studied to determine the amount of creativity that employees are in what level of these three dimensions and this feature to what extent the process affects their work and creativity in the workplace.

#### **History Research**

In a study as ((the self-esteem of the students covered by the Imam Khomeini Relief Committee in South Khorasan Province 2010)) that the Imam Khomeini Relief Committee. The subjects covered in South Khorasan province with a sample of 250 people was conducted. The analysis of data showed that the committee supporting role, an effective role on the self-esteem of students covered(Sadat Jalil At el,2010)

In a study titled ((self-control relationship between locus of control and organizational commitment to employee education and Sabzevar)) that the population of Sabzevar education staff of 70 people (by random sampling) was conducted. Analysis of the data showed that those with a high external locus of control and self-control were more committed than those who have self-control, internal locus of control and external locus of control was low (social) locus of control and restraint of power forecast high of commitment and self-control have a high ability to resolve conflicts and organizational problems(Todehi At el,2011)

In a study titled ((Relationship between quality of learning experiences and feelings of self-efficacy and academic burnout Allameh Tabatabai University)) in the second semester of postgraduate students to high population 2010-2011 years of Allameh Tabatabai University with a sample size of 233 patients stratified random sampling was carried out. Analysis of the data showed that people with high

levels of self-efficacy will not stop trying to kill and useful for dealing with academic problems sought appropriate solutions (Hayati At el,2012)

In an article titled ((relation between self and commitment to the work and its impact job satisfaction) survey among CPAs ()), the Statistical Society of Certified Public Accountants in Kocaeli, Geb in Turkey with a sample of 161 people was conducted. Results The data showed that its operating efficiency and commitment to work on job satisfaction affect job satisfaction Society of CPAs indirectly, efficiency and commitment to work is funded(Yakan Vardil,20120

In an article titled ((relationship between body dissatisfaction and eating regularly - the mediating role of self-esteem and depression)) in the population of university students do not go after (Norway) with a sample of 320 students (65 women) was conducted. The result of data analysis showed that women eating than men to escape the negative emotions are focused on therapeutic mechanisms such as self-esteem and decreased depression(Berchan and Vael, 2015)

In an article titled ((self-confidence among students: the level of education and gender differences in self-esteem, self-efficacy and theories of intelligence implied)) in the population of students in sixth (11 years old) and students in eighth (13 years old) schools with a sample of 961 people was conducted. The results showed that a positive correlation between self-esteem, self-efficacy and gradual intelligence (EQ), but there was a negative association between intelligence and intelligence slow despite better academic achievement at the eighth grade female students' self-esteem, self-efficacy and perceived intelligence than boys Finally, the implementation of self-critical evaluation (self-esteem, self-control, and the difference in the level of education) are related but separate executive, however, there are differences in the age and sex of the theoretical and scientific importance(Melan and Berd Bilk,2014)

In an article titled ((Creativity in science teams)) that the population of Thomson and Royterz research was conducted with a population of 9428 emissions. Analysis of the data showed an inverse relationship between the size of the team and shaped a u(Nael and Jing Vang,2015)

#### **Hypotheses:**

A) The main hypothesis

there is a significant relationship between personality traits (self-control) and the amount of accounting creative.

B) sub-hypotheses:

1. There is a significant relationship between self-control and the amount of accounting creative.

#### Research methodology

The method used in this study for the purpose, application and the method of data collection is survey and the way is descriptive and correlation method. In more than one variable correlation with both checked and result in significant correlation in the sample can be generalized to the community. Descriptive study what is described and includes descriptions, registration and analysis of existing conditions. Data research utilizes standard questionnaires already obtained validity and reliability of data collection and data Spss analysis of the results is discussed.

#### The population

A sample, consisting of a collection of individuals or entities that have at least one common trait. The study population consisted of a sample, the researcher wants to study about the quality of variable(Sarmad and Bazrgan, 2004)

Community: The study population consists of all accountants agencies Yazd province in 2013, the number of about 500 people.

#### Sample

For example, a smaller group of society that has been selected for viewing and analysis. View sample with that of a community is selected; it can be to provide certain deduced from the profile of the whole society. Sampling is the percentage of a population as representative who shall be selected at random from the population in question.(Sarmad and Bazargan,2004)

The following formula is used to determine the sample size.

$$n = \frac{NZ^2 S^2}{(N-1)d^2 + Z^2 S^2} = \frac{500 \times (1.96)^2 \times 0.159}{499 \times (0.05)^2 + (1.96)^2 \times 0.159} \approx 164$$

n=164: Represents the sample size

N=500: Size of population

=  $0.05 \alpha$ : Percent of acceptable confidence standard error

 $s^2 = 0.159$  obtained Sample variance from a pilot questionnaire

d = 0.05 = Reliability or potential efficiency

#### **Data collection**

Data collection in study is library and field. First, the data collected by standard questionnaires distributed in the sample collected after removal of irrelevant data used for the analysis. A conceptual model to explain opinions and backgrounds library method has been used.

#### The data collection tool

The instrument used in this study, a standardized questionnaire creativity, Rosenberg Self-Esteem Scale (RESE), comprising Tanjeny self-control, self-efficacy

questionnaire GES-10, which in previous studies has confirmed its validity.

#### **Descriptive Statistics**

In this part of the analysis was to determine the distribution of samples with respect to variables such as gender, marital status, education level, work experience and age are discussed. As well as the related tables and graphs are presented in Appendix

Table 1:details of the demographic population

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|---|-----------|-------------------------|--------------------|--|
| Percent                                       | Frequency | Group                   | Variable           |  |
| 45/1  | 74        | man                     | generic            |  |
| 54/9  | 90        | women                   | generic            |  |
| 25/6  | 42        | single                  | marital status     |  |
| 74/4  | 122       | Married                 | maritai status     |  |
| 5/5   | 9         | Diploma                 |                    |  |
| 15/2  | 25        | Skill                   | , , ,              |  |
| 50/6  | 83        | Expertise               | Level of education |  |
| 26/8  | 44        | M.S                     | education          |  |
| 1/8   | 3         | PHD                     |                    |  |
| 4/9   | 8         | Under 25 years          |                    |  |
| 47  | 77        | Between 26 to 35 years  |                    |  |
| 34/8  | 57        | Between 36 and 45 years | age                |  |
| 9/8   | 16        | Between 46 and 55 years |                    |  |
| 3/7   | 6         | Over 56 years           |                    |  |
| 25  | 41        | Less than 5 years       |                    |  |
| 34/8  | 57        | Between 6 to 10 years   |                    |  |
| 24/4  | 40        | Between 11 and 15 years | job experience     |  |
| 10/4  | 17        | Between 16 to 20 years  |                    |  |
| 5/5   | 9         | Over 20 years           |                    |  |
| 100   | 164       | total                   |                    |  |

Table 2.The t-test for variables

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|---|----------------------------|------|--------------------|--------|--------|--------------------|--|
| Comparison of the mean observed with constant 3 |                            |      |                    |        |        |                    |  |
| d   | The<br>ifference<br>etween | Sig  | Degrees of freedom | t      | Means  | Variable           |  |
| .6  | 50732                      | .000 | 163                | 20.281 | 3.6073 | Creativity) CRE(   |  |
|   | 58255                      | .000 | 163                | 15.204 | 3.5826 | Self-control) SCO( |  |

#### **Home Models**

It is necessary to enter the first stage of hypothesis testing to ensure the accuracy of the measurement model. The confirmatory factor analysis using path analysis was conducted to test the significance of the agents. The analysis was conducted by using LISREL statistical software and structural equation modeling.

In examining each of the models to verify the structural relationships should ensure appropriate and measured the fitness of the model. Statistics and other appropriate measures for this purpose should be studied model. In this case, the appropriate model with the following conditions are optimal. The amount to less than 3 degrees of freedom

Self-control

Table 5 coefficients and t value for self-control index

| error | The determine | T-statistics | Standard rate | items |
|-------|---------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| 0/084 | 0/12          | 4/13         | 0/34          | Q11   |
| 0/085 | 0/12          | 4/31         | 0/35          | Q12   |
| 0/081 | 0/31          | 7/13         | 0/55          | Q13   |
| 0/092 | 0/30          | 7/09         | 0/55          | Q14   |
| 0/080 | 0/19          | 5/39         | 0/43          | Q15   |
| 0/087 | 0/28          | 6/74         | 0/53          | Q16   |

According to the table above the 164 individuals who responded were 74 men, 90 women showed that 45 percent of male and 55% female and 26% were single and 74% are married. Also, about 35 percent of people between 36 and 45 years old. In terms of education, 51 percent have a bachelor's degree, 27 percent of master's degree, associate degree, 15%, and 2% of PhD graduates are included. In addition, about 25% of the subjects less than 5 years, 35% between 6 and 10 years, 24% between 11 and 15 years, 10% between 16 and 20 years and 6% higher than 20 years of service.

#### **Inferential statistics**

Statistical analysis of the study with the mean scale.

T test a sample to compare the observed variables have shown the theoretical mean scale. And according to the mean estimate of variables can be concluded that the mean scores of creativity self-control were greater than 3 is therefore significantly higher than average.

to be and the less the better, because this test shows the difference between data and model.

Stock RMSEA, from 08/0 smaller (closer to zero) show the fit of the model, And if it does not provide adequate measures to reform model using model output to reform the payment models, And then use the model to study questions and hypotheses in the model.

### Study models with measured test t, the standard rate and the amount of errors

The proposed measure is the number of observed variables equation. Each equation includes path coefficient between the observed variables and the latent variable, measurement error variable observed with significance test is based on the characteristic t and the value of R2, the coefficient of determination or the proportion of variance explained by the latent variable.

| 0/091 | 0/29 | 6/96 | 0/54 | Q17 |
|-------|------|------|------|-----|
| 0/079 | 0/47 | 9/37 | 0/69 | Q18 |
| 0/072 | 0/37 | 8/01 | 0/61 | Q19 |
| 0/075 | 0/31 | 7/15 | 0/55 | Q20 |
| 0/076 | 0/22 | 5/89 | 0/47 | Q21 |
| 0/077 | 0/22 | 5/86 | 0/47 | Q22 |
| 0/081 | 0/32 | 7/29 | 0/56 | Q23 |

#### Creativity (CREE)

Table 6 Coefficients and t value for index creation

| error | The determine | T-statistics | Standard rate | items |
|-------|---------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| -     | 0/38          | -            | 0/61          | Q1    |
| 0/10  | 0/60          | 7/89         | 0/78          | Q2    |
| 0/11  | 0/36          | 6/51         | 0/60          | Q3    |
| 0/11  | 0/44          | 7/08         | 0/67          | Q4    |
| 0/10  | 0/46          | 7/19         | 0/68          | Q5    |
| 0/096 | 0/35          | 6/46         | 0/59          | Q6    |
| 0/10  | 0/44          | 7/06         | 0/66          | Q7    |
| 0/10  | 0/35          | 6/42         | 0/59          | Q8    |
| 0/11  | 0/47          | 7/22         | 0/68          | Q9    |
| 0/092 | 0/71          | 8/35         | 0/84          | Q10   |

Structural equation modeling methodology, initially it is necessary to construct validity were examined to determine buoy-elected to measure the desired variables are accurate. In this way, the path coefficient of each item with its own variable t value is higher than 1/96. In this case, the statements of accuracy is necessary to measure the latent variable; Thus, if the absolute value of the t-statistic is larger than 1/96, at 95% and if the value of t-statistic is more than 2/58, the coefficient is significant at 99% confidence level. According to the results of measuring the homogeneity of Table 7. indices fit

the items with a t-statistic greater than 1.96, and the coefficient of determination was good, so they do not remove any of the items after the model with all items (questions) Continue and to investigate the pay model. However, based on the standard rate (load factor), an indication that most of the time factor, the greater the share of the measurement of relevant variables and indicators that have smaller coefficients of the structure plays a smaller share on the measure.

#### **Approved Models**

| The amount reported | Indicators         |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| 1236/14             | k                  |
| 847                 | Degrees of freedom |
| 1/46                | k                  |
| 0/053               | RMSEA              |

| 0/84 | GFI  |
|------|------|
| 0/81 | AGFI |
| 0/92 | NFI  |
| 0/96 | NNFI |
| 0/97 | IFI  |
| 0/97 | CFI  |

As you can see the amount of degrees of freedom equal to 1/46 and smaller than 3, which is a good value. This indicator represents the difference between the low, low conceptual model with observed data research. Also, the RMSE of 0 / 053e and less than 0/08. Furthermore, the

RMSEA index decreases, the model is a better fit. And indices (NFI - NNFI - IFI - CFI) is greater than 0.9 and GFI and AGFI index is greater than 8.0. Once the desired model is shown and confirmed.

Table 8.Summary standardized coefficients, the coefficient of determination, the t-statistic hypothesis and thus

| Result       | coefficient determination | of | T-statistics | Standard rate | Routes                      |
|--------------|---------------------------|----|--------------|---------------|-----------------------------|
| Confirmation |                           |    | 3/53         | 0/34          | Self-control<br>←Creativity |

According to Table 8 shows the estimated coefficient for the variable creativity, 0/68 content and show that the variables of self-esteem, self-efficacy and self-regulation altogether could explain 68% of the creative changes. According to the standard rate and t-statistics say self-control variables (34/0), self-esteem (0/32) and efficacy (0/27) have the highest impact on creativity variable. (Highest standardized path coefficient)

#### **Test hypotheses**

After review and approval of the original model, the model assumptions are evaluated and if the absolute value of the t-statistic is less than the null hypothesis 1/96 concluded and if the absolute value of the t-statistic is greater than 1/96 reject the null hypothesis. This section examines the assumptions related to each question.

### Hypothesis (1) self-control influence on Yazd executive creative accountants.

H0: self-control had no significant effect on creativity.

H1: Self-control has a significant effect on creativity.

According to Table 8, the absolute value of the t-statistic is 3/53 and greater than 1/96, then the null hypothesis is rejected at the 95% confidence level control over the executive creative accountants Yazd province had a significant effect. And the effect 0/34 and the positive (direct) is. This means that with increasing levels of self-control, creativity increases.

#### Conclusion

## Hypothesis (1) self-control **influence on Yazd executive creative accountants**.

Self-Control character is relatively stable in the early socialization of children - before age 8 after 8 years throughout adulthood developed and proven to be sustainable Like the GATT control theory and intelligence have stated that a man is born without of self-control. Therefore is self-control is the product of social factors, especially family education although recent research on self-

control because of family resources, learning and biological family have been emphasized. People with low self-control of real property, sensitive non-physical (the opposite of the discourse). Risk, short-sighted and non-verbal being. They also tend to instability in marriage, friendships and interests in their career

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