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### **ABSTRACT**

### Purpose

The main aim of this particular research is to help in determining whether servant leadership, job satisfaction and work engagement have a relation with each other or not. As well as help in understanding the degree to which it effects employees and companies. It also examines the ways through which companies can help increase worker satisfaction and increase work engagement to create mutually beneficial conditions for both the parties.

### Methodology & Design

The analysis done for this study was quantitative by nature, the collection of data was done through questionnaires which were distributed via Google Questionnaire. The Questionnaire was distributed amongst various individuals who work for different organizations with in Pakistan. The data that was collected was analyzed through the help of SPSS. The sample size that was used for this study was of 250 respondents from the entire population. Tools such as Chronbach Alpha for reliability and Regression were used to better analyze the data.

### **Findings**

The study focuses on some factors such as better communication, colleague interaction, work environment, climate, conditions, leadership styles, and promotion opportunities as things that effect job satisfaction. It also sheds a light on how much research has been conducted regarding the servant leadership theory and how much attention has been paid to it over the decade. The results statistically states that servant leadership has a positive and direct relationship with work engagement and job satisfaction. This study also discusses in detail the factors which increase job satisfaction such as increased salary also effect the motivations levels of employees hence effecting work engagement and

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employee job satisfaction. In accordance with the study, the respondents were mainly from the later part of the youth, who mainly have less experience and more expectations in terms of salaries. The reasons shown due to which workers may not be happy with their jobs such as not getting enough feedback for their performance, not having good relationships with their supervisors, not having working hours flexibility, not having support within the organization and psychological constraints can all effect the mental mind frame and the moods of employees.

### Limitations

This study unfortunately primarily and more so, focuses on the independent variable which is Servant Leadership. It does not focus on the subject in its entirety. For example, it does not also focus on the factors that may be contributing towards the employee engagement and work satisfaction. Factors such as; friendly colleagues, cultural diversity and inspiration. This is due to the fact that the study needed to balanced and focused on both the variable being empirically tested, which was a necessary part. Moreover, there was a huge lack of extensive frameworks and qualitative knowledge and data being available in the servant leadership and how it effects employee work engagement and job satisfaction area.

The phenomenon is still rapidly evolving and knowledge and best practices are continuously being challenged for improved benchmarks. Furthermore the lack of empirical data from international as well as domestic researches pushed to seek primary methods of data collection which were under time and resource constraints. Therefore primary data was collected electronically.

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# Keywords

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