

***SOCIAL CAPITAL, CIVIL SOCIETY AND
GOVERNMENTAL GOVERNANCE:
To Explore the Mechanism of Governance in the
Development of Knowledge-Based Economy***

Abstract

This paper is attempting to discuss the subject of constructing social capital network, with the purpose to explore the mechanism of governmental governance in dealing with knowledge-based economy which has become the leading force for Taiwan's economic development. As far as the occupation of competitive force in global market is concerned, it is knowledge-based economy, rather than formal business-led one. Taiwan's strategy finally achieves the purpose. To produce effective interaction with civil society, it will easily create environment for exploring new knowledge. The renovation of knowledge will make social capital assume the competitive character if it is placed in the social context. All efforts, if properly undertaken, would speed up to achieve the goal of knowledge-based economy development.

Key word: civil society, social capital, knowledge-based economy, governmental governance, competitive force .