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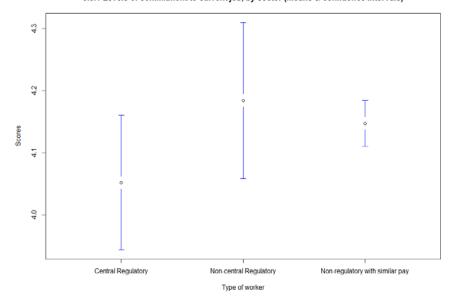
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| Worker type            | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory     | 326  | 4.05 | 0.99           |
| Non-central Regulatory | 163  | 4.18 | 0.81           |
| Non-regulatory with    | 1997 | 4.15 | 0.84           |
| similar pay            |      | Į.   |                |

### 3.8.1 Levels of commitment to current job, by sector (means & confidence intervals)

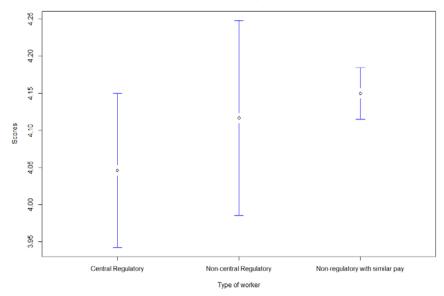


On average, all workers in the analysis show high levels of commitment to their current job.

Central regulatory workers are not significantly more committed or less committed to their current job compared to non-central regulatory workers or non-regulatory workers who earn a similar pay.

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 326  | 4.05 | 0.95           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 163  | 4.12 | 0.85           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1991 | 4.15 | 0.79           |

#### 3.8.2 Levels of commitment to team or division, by sector (means & confidence intervals)



On average, all workers in the analysis show high levels of commitment to their team.

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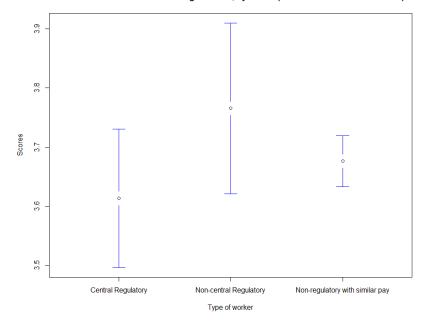
committed or less committed to

their team compared to noncentral regulatory workers or
non-regulatory workers who
earn a similar pay.

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type            | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |  |
|------------------------|------|------|----------------|--|
| Central Regulatory     | 326  | 3.61 | 1.07           |  |
| Non-central Regulatory | 162  | 3.77 | 0.93           |  |
| Non-regulatory with    | 1995 | 3.68 | 0.99           |  |
| similar pay            |      |      |                |  |

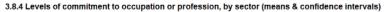
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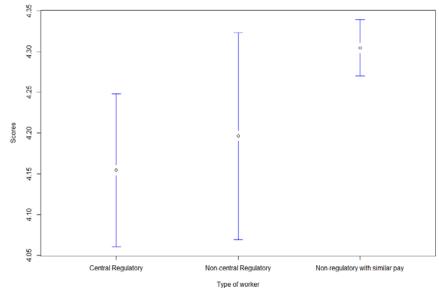


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their organisation compared to
non-central regulatory workers
or non-regulatory workers who
earn a similar pay.

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|------------------------|------|------|----------------|--|--|
| Worker type            | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |  |  |
| Central Regulatory     | 324  | 4.15 | 0.86           |  |  |
| Non-central Regulatory | 163  | 4.20 | 0.82           |  |  |
| Non-regulatory with    | 1995 | 4.30 | 0.79           |  |  |
| similar pay            |      |      |                |  |  |





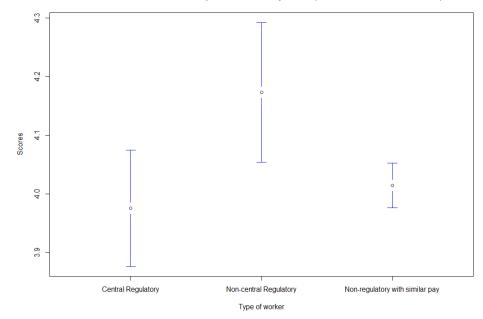
On average, all workers in the analysis show high levels of commitment to their occupation.

Non-regulatory workers are significantly more committed to their occupation compared to central regulatory workers.

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type            | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |  |
|------------------------|------|------|----------------|--|
| Central Regulatory     | 326  | 3.98 | 0.91           |  |
| Non-central Regulatory | 162  | 4.17 | 0.77           |  |
| Non-regulatory with    | 1995 | 4.01 | 0.87           |  |
| similar pay            |      |      |                |  |

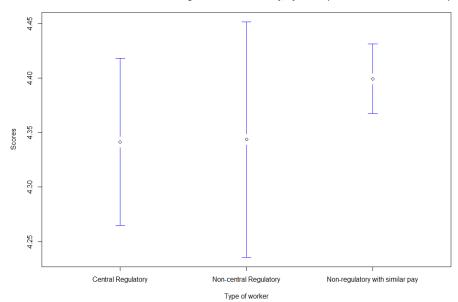
#### 3.8.5 Levels of commitment to public services, by sector (means & confidence intervals)



Non-central regulatory workers show a significantly higher level of commitment to public services compared to non-regulatory workers in the sample.

| Worker type            | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |  |
|------------------------|------|------|----------------|--|
| Central Regulatory     | 325  | 4.34 | 0.70           |  |
| Non-central Regulatory | 163  | 4.34 | 0.70           |  |
| Non-regulatory with    | 1999 | 4.40 | 0.73           |  |
| similar pay            |      |      |                |  |

#### 3.8.6 Levels of commitment to making a difference to society, by sector (means & confidence intervals)

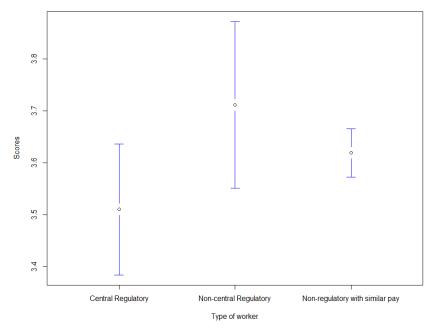


On average, all workers in the analysis show high levels of commitment to making a difference to society.

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type            | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |  |
|------------------------|------|------|----------------|--|
| Central Regulatory     | 325  | 3.51 | 1.15           |  |
| Non-central Regulatory | 163  | 3.71 | 1.03           |  |
| Non-regulatory with    | 1980 | 3.62 | 1.05           |  |
| similar pay            |      |      |                |  |

## 3.9.1 Levels of loyalty and commitment to organisation by sector (means & confidence intervals)

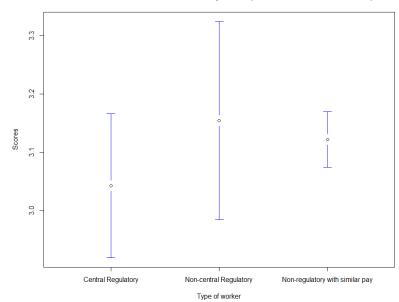


Central regulatory workers do
not report any significant
differences in levels of loyalty
and commitment to their
organisation compared to noncentral regulatory workers or
non-regulatory workers who
earn a similar pay.

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type            | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |  |  |
|------------------------|------|------|----------------|--|--|
| Central Regulatory     | 325  | 3.04 | 1.13           |  |  |
| Non-central Regulatory | 162  | 3.15 | 1.10           |  |  |
| Non-regulatory with    | 1976 | 3.12 | 1.08           |  |  |
| similar pay            |      |      |                |  |  |

#### 3.9.3 Levels of emotional attachment by sector (means & confidence intervals)

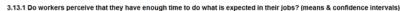


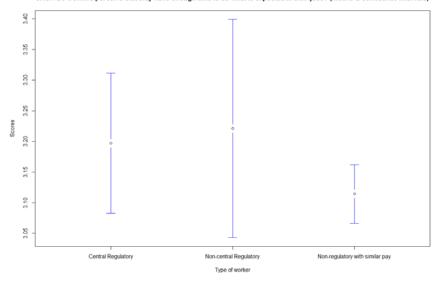
Central regulatory workers do
not report significantly different
levels of emotional attachment
to their organisation compared
to non-central regulatory
workers or non-regulatory
workers who earn a similar pay.

Item 3.13.1: Do workers perceive that they have enough time to do what is expected in their jobs?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type            | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory     | 325  | 3.20 | 1.05           |
| Non-central Regulatory | 163  | 3.22 | 1.15           |
| Non-regulatory with    | 1997 | 3.11 | 1.09           |
| similar pay            |      |      |                |



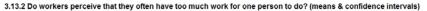


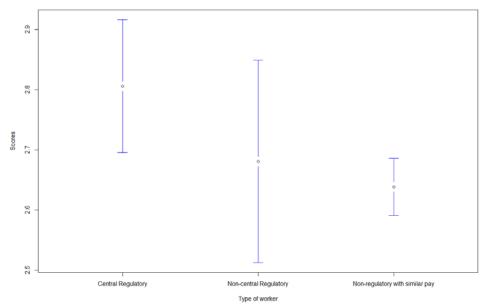
Central regulatory workers do
not report significant
differences in time required to
do their jobs, compared to
non-central regulatory workers
or non-regulatory workers who
earn a similar pay.

Item 3.13.2: Do workers perceive that they often have too much work for one person to do?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 325  | 2.81 | 1.01           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 163  | 2.68 | 1.15           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1998 | 2.64 | 1.07           |





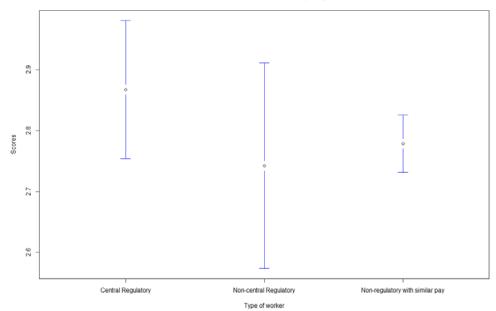
Central regulatory workers are less likely to report that they often have too much work to do compared to non-regulatory workers.

Item 3.13.4: Do workers perceive that there is too much work to do everything well?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 325  | 3.30 | 0.90           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 162  | 3.17 | 0.93           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1996 | 3.37 | 0.84           |

3.13.4 Do workers perceive that there is too much work to do everything well? (means & confidence intervals)



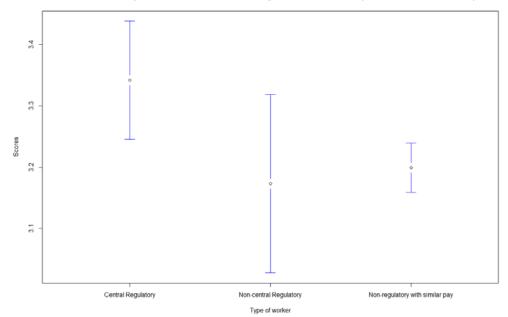
There are no significant
differences in how workers
perceive that there is too much
work to do everything well,
according to type of worker.

Item 3.13.5: Do workers perceive that the amount of work they are asked to do is fair?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

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|--|------|------|----------------|
| Worker type  | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
| Central Regulatory   | 325  | 3.34 | 0.88           |
| Non-central Regulatory   | 162  | 3.17 | 0.94           |
| Non-regulatory with  | 1994 | 3.20 | 0.91           |
| similar pay  |      |      |                |

3.13.5 Do workers perceive that the amount of work they are asked to do is fair? (means & confidence intervals)



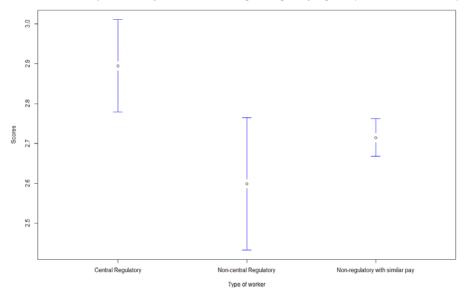
Central regulatory workers are more likely to perceive that the amount of work that they are asked to do is fair, compared to non-regulatory workers.

Item 3.13.6: Do workers perceive that they never seem to have enough time to get everything done?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| •                      |      |      |                |
|------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Worker type            | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
| Central Regulatory     | 323  | 2.89 | 1.06           |
| Non-central Regulatory | 162  | 2.60 | 1.07           |
| Non-regulatory with    | 1988 | 2.71 | 1.07           |
| similar pay            |      |      |                |



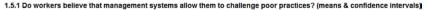


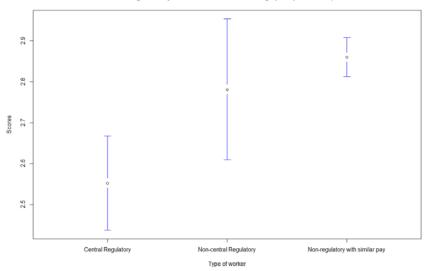
Central regulatory workers are less likely to perceive that they never seem to have enough time to get everything done compared to non-central regulatory workers and non-regulatory workers.

Item 1.5.1: Do workers believe that management systems allow them to challenge poor practices?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 326  | 2.55 | 1.06           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 160  | 2.78 | 1.10           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1995 | 2.86 | 1.09           |





On average, workers from all three

categories seem to disagree that

management systems allow them

to challenge poor practices.

Central regulatory workers perceive

that their management systems are

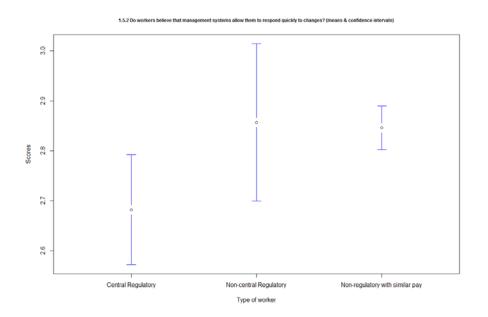
less likely to allow them to

challenge poor practices compared

to non-regulatory workers.

Item 1.5.2: Do workers believe that management systems allow them to respond quickly to changes?

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 324  | 2.68 | 1.01           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 161  | 2.86 | 1.01           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1996 | 2.85 | 1.00           |



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Central regulatory workers

perceive that their management

systems are less likely to allow

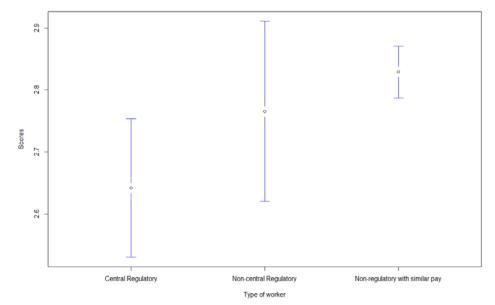
them to respond quickly to

changes compared to non
regulatory workers.

Item 1.5.3: Do workers believe that management systems evolve rapidly in response to shifts in business priorities?

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 327  | 2.64 | 1.03           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 162  | 2.77 | 0.94           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1989 | 2.83 | 0.95           |





On average, workers from all three

categories seem to disagree that

management systems evolve

rapidly in response to shifts in

business priorities.

Central regulatory workers perceive

that their management systems are

less likely to evolve rapidly in

response to shifts in business

priorities compared to non-

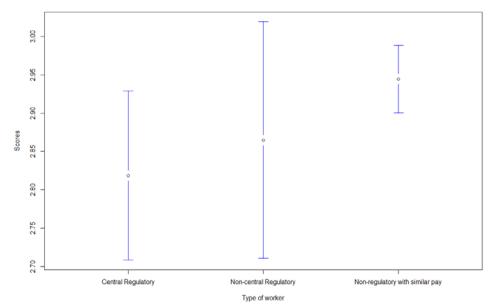
regulatory workers.

Item 1.6.3: Do workers believe they work at cross-purposes because of conflicting objectives?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 325  | 2.82 | 1.01           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 163  | 2.87 | 1.00           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1998 | 2.94 | 1.01           |



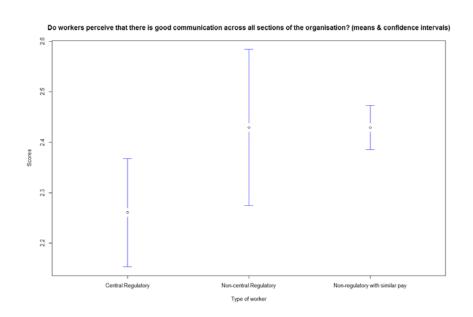


Workers from the three categories show no differences in their belief that they work at cross-purposes because of conflicting objectives.

Item 1.8.1: Do workers perceive that there is good communication across all sections of the organisation?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 326  | 2.26 | 0.98           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 163  | 2.43 | 1.00           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1997 | 2.43 | 1.00           |



On average, workers from all three

categories seem to disagree that

there is good communication

between workers in their

organisations.

Central regulatory workers are less

likely to perceive that there is good

communication across all sections

of the organisation compared to

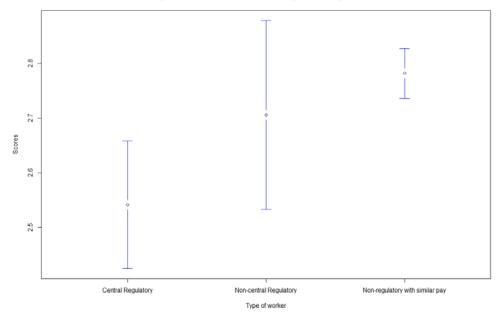
non-regulatory workers.

Item 1.8.2: Do workers perceive that knowledge and information are shared throughout this organisation?

# **Descriptive Statistics**

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 325  | 2.54 | 1.07           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 163  | 2.71 | 1.12           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1999 | 2.78 | 1.04           |

Do workers perceive that knowledge and information are shared throughout this organisation? (means & confidence intervals)



On average, workers from all three

categories seem to disagree that

knowledge and information are

shared throughout their

organisations.

Central regulatory workers are less

likely to perceive that knowledge

and information are shared

throughout their organisations

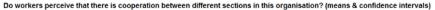
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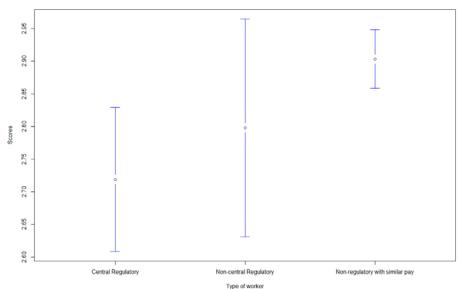
workers.

Item 1.8.3: Do workers perceive that there is cooperation between different sections in this organisation?

# **Descriptive Statistics**

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 327  | 2.72 | 1.02           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 163  | 2.80 | 1.08           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 2003 | 2.90 | 1.02           |





On average, workers from all three

categories seem to disagree that

there is cooperation in their

organisations.

Central regulatory workers are less

likely to perceive that there is

cooperation between different

sections in their organisations

compared to non-regulatory

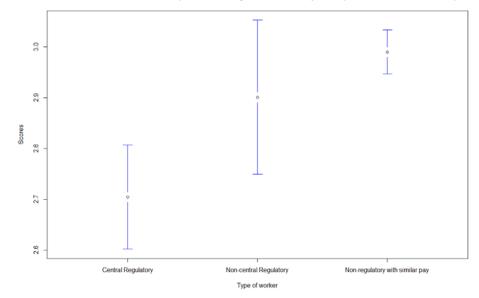
workers.

Item 1.9.3: How innovative do workers perceive their organisation to be

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 325  | 2.70 | 0.94           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 162  | 2.90 | 0.98           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 2001 | 2.99 | 0.99           |





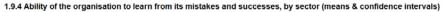
On average, workers in this analysis disagree with the statement that their organisation is innovative.

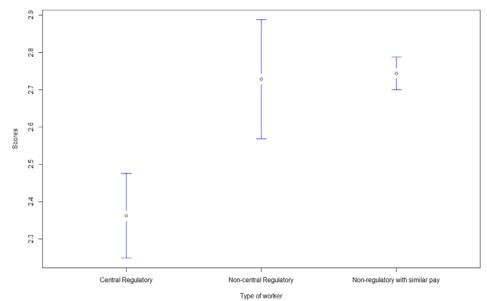
Central regulatory workers are
less likely to perceive their
organisations as being innovative
compared to non-regulatory
workers.

Item 1.9.4: Ability of the organisation to learn from its mistakes and successes

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 326  | 2.36 | 1.04           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 162  | 2.73 | 1.03           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1990 | 2.74 | 1.02           |





On average, workers in this analysis disagree with the statement that their organisation is able to learn from its mistakes and successes.

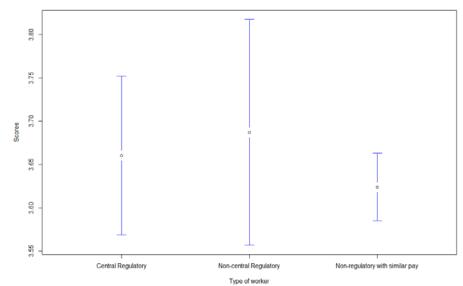
Central regulatory workers show
the highest level of disagreement,
and this is significantly different
compared to non-central regulatory
workers and non-regulatory
workers.

Item 2.1.1: Do workers feel they have sufficient authority to perform their duties?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 327  | 3.66 | 0.84           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 163  | 3.69 | 0.84           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 2005 | 3.62 | 0.89           |

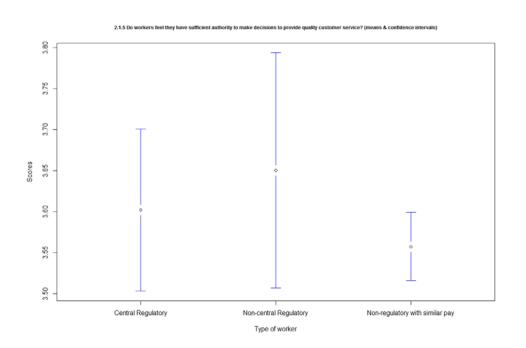
#### 2.1.1 Do workers feel they have sufficient authority to perform their duties? (means & confidence intervals)



On average, workers in this analysis feel that they have sufficient authority to perform their duties.

Item 2.1.5: Do workers feel they have sufficient authority to make decisions to provide quality customer service?

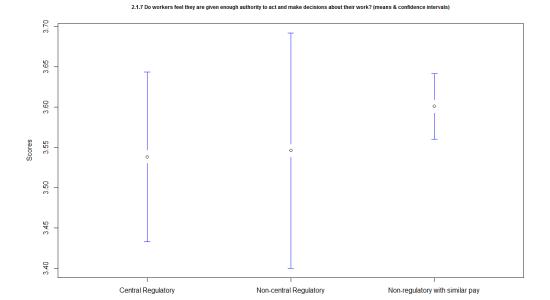
| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 324  | 3.60 | 0.90           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 163  | 3.65 | 0.93           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1997 | 3.56 | 0.94           |



On average, workers in this analysis feel that they have sufficient authority to make decisions that enable them to provide quality customer service.

Item 2.1.7: Do workers feel they are given enough authority to act and make decisions about their work?

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 327  | 3.54 | 0.97           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 163  | 3.55 | 0.94           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1990 | 3.60 | 0.92           |



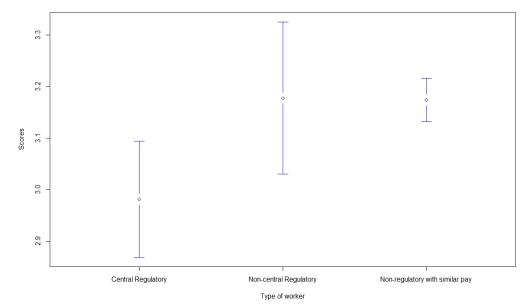
Type of worker

On average, workers in this analysis report that they are given enough authority to act and make decisions about their work.

Item 2.1.8: Do workers perceive that organisational policies and procedures are clearly communicated to employees?

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 326  | 2.98 | 1.03           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 163  | 3.18 | 0.96           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1999 | 3.17 | 0.96           |





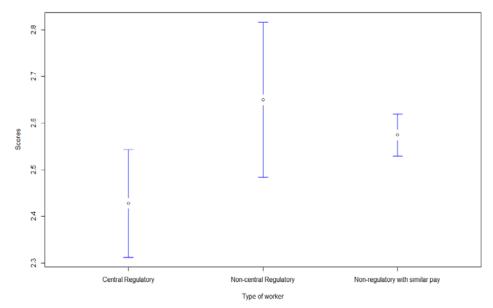
Central regulatory workers are less
likely to report that organisational
policies and procedures are clearly
communicated to employees
compared to non-regulatory
workers.

Item 2.1.15: Do workers perceive that the channels of employee communication with top management are effective?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 325  | 2.43 | 1.06           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 163  | 2.65 | 1.07           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1993 | 2.57 | 1.03           |

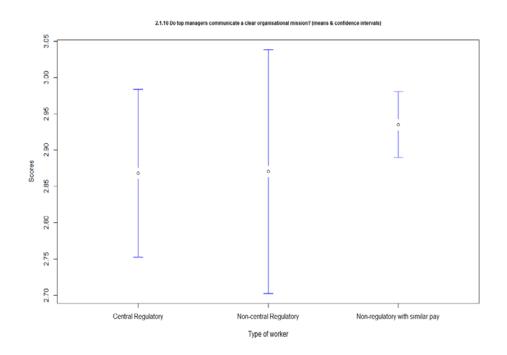




On average, workers in this analysis disagree that channels of employee communication with top management are effective.

Item 2.1.16: Do top managers communicate a clear organisational mission?

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 326  | 2.87 | 1.06           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 162  | 2.87 | 1.08           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1988 | 2.94 | 1.03           |

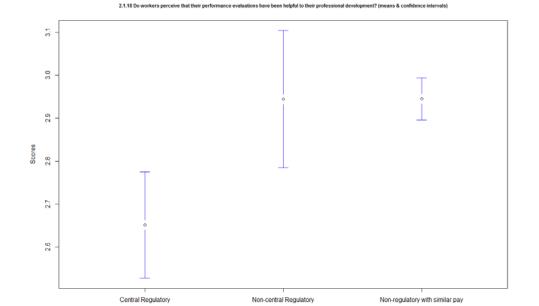


On average, workers in this analysis
do not perceive that top managers
communicate a clear organisational
mission.

Item 2.1.18: Do workers perceive that their performance evaluations have been helpful to their professional development?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 327  | 2.65 | 1.14           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 162  | 2.94 | 1.03           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1996 | 2.94 | 1.12           |

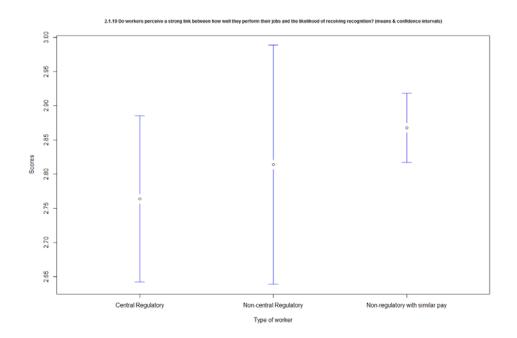


On average, workers in this analysis
do not perceive that their
performance evaluations have been
helpful to their professional
development.

Central regulatory workers are less
likely to perceive that their
performance evaluations have been
helpful, compared to non-central
regulatory workers and nonregulatory workers.

Item 2.1.19: Do workers perceive a strong link between how well they perform their jobs and the likelihood of receiving recognition?

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 326  | 2.76 | 1.12           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 161  | 2.81 | 1.12           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1994 | 2.87 | 1.15           |



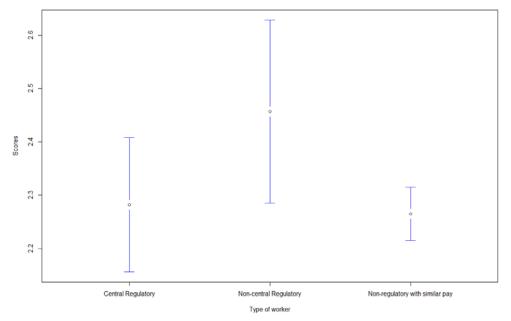
On average, workers in this analysis
do not perceive a strong link
between performance and the
likelihood of receiving recognition.

Item 2.1.20: Do workers perceive a strong link between how well they perform their jobs and the likelihood of receiving a raise in pay?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type            | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory     | 326  | 2.28 | 1.16           |
| Non-central Regulatory | 162  | 2.46 | 1.10           |
| Non-regulatory with    | 1993 | 2.26 | 1.14           |
| similar pay            |      |      |                |

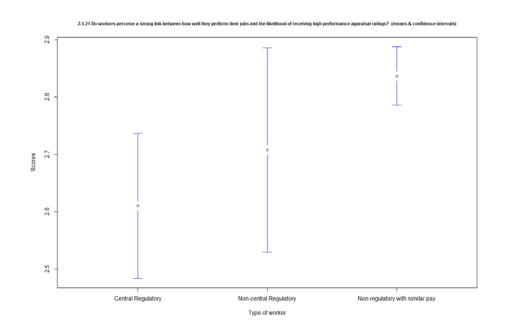




On average, workers in this analysis
do not perceive a strong link
between performance and the
likelihood of receiving a raise in pay.

Item 2.1.21: Do workers perceive a strong link between how well they perform their jobs and the likelihood of receiving high performance appraisal ratings?

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 326  | 2.61 | 1.16           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 161  | 2.71 | 1.14           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1993 | 2.84 | 1.16           |

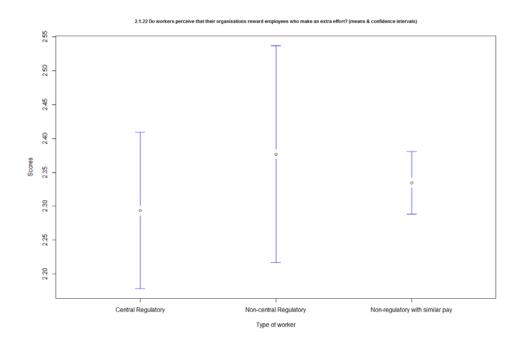


On average, workers in this analysis
do not perceive a strong link
between performance and the
likelihood of receiving high
performance appraisal ratings.

Central regulatory workers are less
likely to perceive that link
compared to non-regulatory
workers.

Item 2.1.22: Do workers perceive that their organisations reward employees who make an extra effort?

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 327  | 2.29 | 1.06           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 162  | 2.38 | 1.03           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1994 | 2.33 | 1.05           |



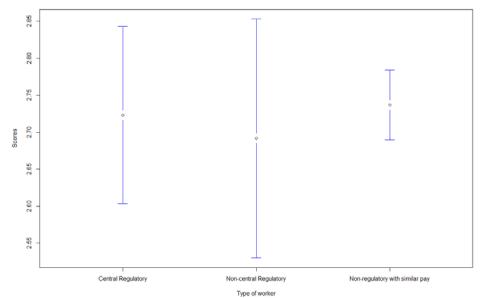
On average, workers in this analysis
do not perceive that their
organisations reward employees
who make an extra effort.

Item 2.1.23: Are workers satisfied with the amount of recognition they receive when they do a good job?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 325  | 2.72 | 1.10           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 162  | 2.69 | 1.04           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1990 | 2.74 | 0.94           |





On average, workers in this analysis
do not seem to be satisfied with the
amount of recognition they receive
when they do a good job.

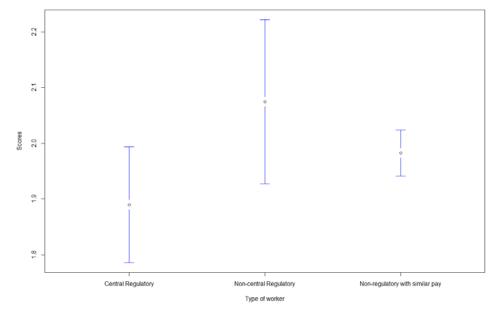
There are no significant differences between worker types in how they respond to this survey item.

Item 2.1.24: Do workers perceive that they are likely to be promoted if they perform their job well?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type            | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |  |
|------------------------|------|------|----------------|--|
| Central Regulatory     | 327  | 1.89 | 0.96           |  |
| Non-central Regulatory | 161  | 2.07 | 0.95           |  |
| Non-regulatory with    | 1990 | 1.98 | 0.94           |  |
| similar pay            |      |      |                |  |





On average, workers in this analysis
do not perceive that they are likely
to be promoted if they perform
their job well.

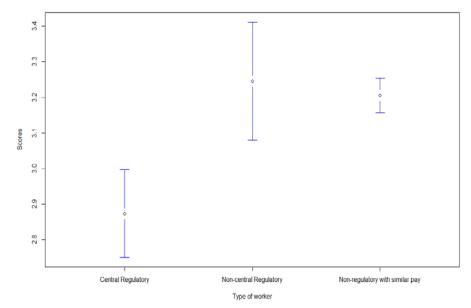
There are no significant differences between worker types in how they respond to this survey item.

Item 2.1.25: Do workers feel that they are given a real opportunity to improve their skills through training?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| •                      |      |      |                |
|------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Worker type            | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
| Central Regulatory     | 325  | 2.87 | 1.13           |
| Non-central Regulatory | 163  | 3.25 | 1.07           |
| Non-regulatory with    | 1995 | 3.21 | 1.11           |
| similar pay            |      |      |                |



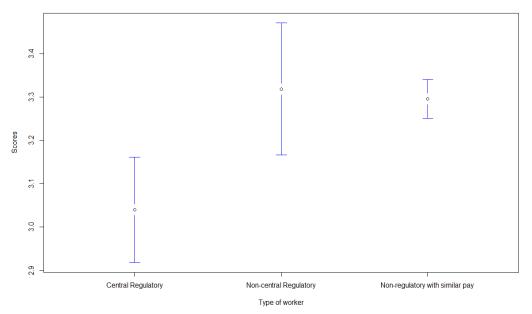


Central regulatory workers tend to disagree that they are given a real opportunity to improve their skills through training compared to noncentral regulatory workers and nonregulatory workers.

Item 2.1.26: Do workers perceive that they have sufficient job-related training?

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 325  | 3.04 | 1.12           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 163  | 3.32 | 0.99           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1997 | 3.30 | 1.03           |





On average, workers in this analysis do not have polarised opinions on whether they have sufficient jobrelated training.

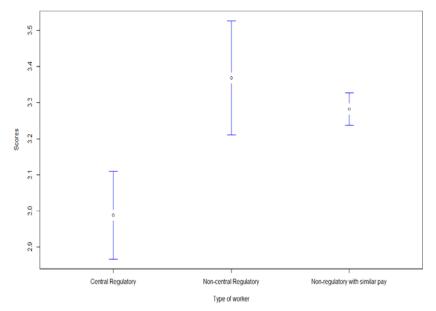
Central regulatory workers are less likely to perceive that they have sufficient job-related training compared to non-central regulatory workers and non-regulatory workers.

Item 2.1.27: Do workers feel that their supervisors have helped them acquire additional job-related training as required?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 324  | 2.99 | 1.11           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 160  | 3.37 | 1.01           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1992 | 3.28 | 1.03           |





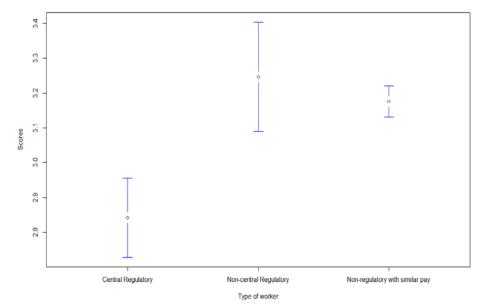
Central regulatory workers show
lower levels of agreement that their
supervisors have helped them
acquire additional job-related
training, compared to non-central
regulatory workers and nonregulatory workers.

Item 2.1.28: Do workers feel that they receive ongoing training which helps them do their job better?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 323  | 2.84 | 1.04           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 162  | 3.25 | 1.01           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1994 | 3.18 | 1.02           |





Central regulatory workers show

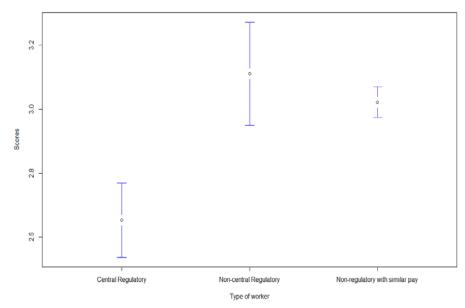
lower levels of agreement that they
receive ongoing training which
helps them do their jobs better,
compared to non-central regulatory
workers and non-regulatory
workers.

Item 2.1.29: Are workers satisfied with the number of training and development programmes available to them?

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 326  | 2.65 | 1.07           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 162  | 3.11 | 1.04           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1992 | 3.02 | 1.10           |



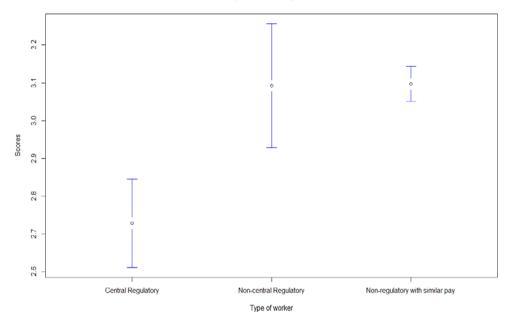


Central regulatory workers are less satisfied with the number of training and development programmes available, compared to non-central regulatory workers and non-regulatory workers.

Item 2.1.30: Are workers satisfied with the quality of training and development programmes available to them?

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 324  | 2.73 | 1.07           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 162  | 3.09 | 1.06           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1993 | 3.10 | 1.06           |



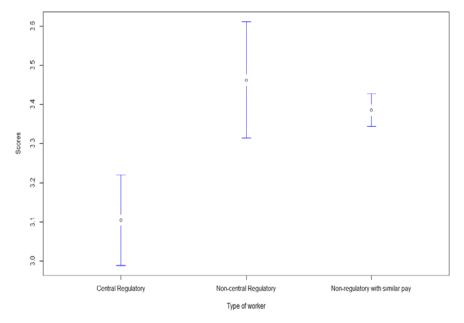


Central regulatory workers are less satisfied with the quality of training and development programmes available, compared to non-central regulatory workers and non-regulatory workers.

Item 2.1.31: Do workers feel that the training and educational activities they have received enable them to perform their jobs more effectively?

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 326  | 3.10 | 1.06           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 162  | 3.46 | 0.96           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1992 | 3.39 | 0.96           |

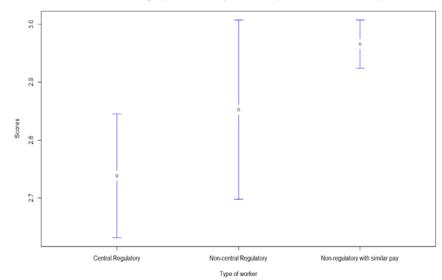




Central regulatory workers tend to disagree that the training and educational activities they have received enable them to perform their jobs more effectively, compared to central regulatory workers and non-central regulatory workers.

| Worker type            | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory     | 325  | 2.74 | 0.98           |
| Non-central Regulatory | 163  | 2.85 | 1.00           |
| Non-regulatory with    | 1993 | 2.97 | 0.94           |
| similar pay            |      |      |                |

#### 2.3.6 Are managers perceived to take prudent risks? (means & confidence intervals)

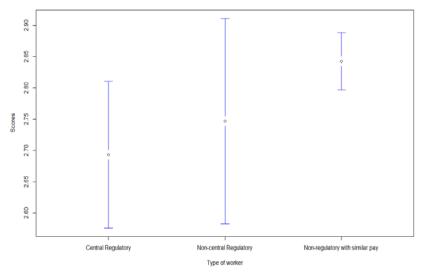


On average, workers in this analysis do not perceive that their managers take prudent risks.

Central regulatory workers are
less likely to perceive that their
managers take prudent risks
compared to non-regulatory
workers.

| Worker type                     | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---------------------------------|------|------|----------------|
| Central Regulatory              | 326  | 2.69 | 1.08           |
| Non-central Regulatory          | 162  | 2.75 | 1.06           |
| Non-regulatory with similar pay | 1995 | 2.84 | 1.05           |





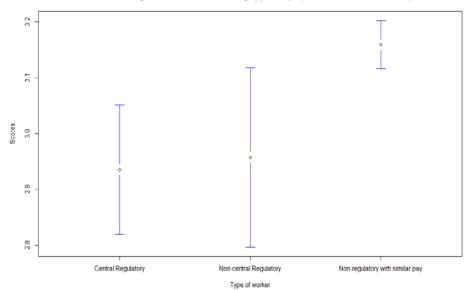
On average, workers in this analysis disagree that the decisions of their managers are driven by politics.

There are no significant differences between worker types in how they respond to this survey item.

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Worker type            | N    | Mean | Std. Deviation |  |
|------------------------|------|------|----------------|--|
| Central Regulatory     | 324  | 2.94 | 1.06           |  |
| Non-central Regulatory | 163  | 2.96 | 1.04           |  |
| Non-regulatory with    | 1991 | 3.16 | 0.98           |  |
| similar pay            |      |      |                |  |

#### 2.3.5 Do managers treat failure as a learning opportunity? (means & confidence intervals)



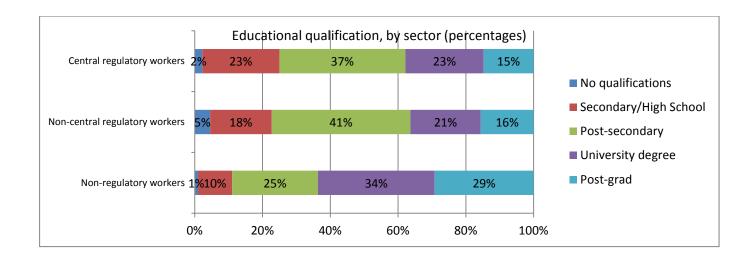
Central regulatory workers are
less likely to perceive that their
managers treat failure as a
learning opportunity compared
to non-regulatory workers.

# Contingency tables of demographic variables, by sector

|                                    | Page |
|------------------------------------|------|
| Education levels                   | 49   |
| Length of time in current position | 50   |

Item 5.2.1: How do the education levels of central government regulatory workers compare to similar workers in non-central regulators and other public sector organisations?

|                | Counts of education level of workers, by sector |                |           |            |           |       |
|----------------|---|----------------|-----------|------------|-----------|-------|
|                | No  | Secondary/High | Post-     | University |           |       |
|                | qualifications                                  | School         | secondary | degree     | Post-grad | Total |
| Central        | 7   | 71             | 116       | 72         | 46        | 312   |
| Non-central    | 7   | 28             | 63        | 32         | 24        | 154   |
| Non-regulatory | 18  | 196            | 491       | 668        | 566       | 1939  |
| Total          | 32  | 295            | 670       | 772        | 636       | 2405  |



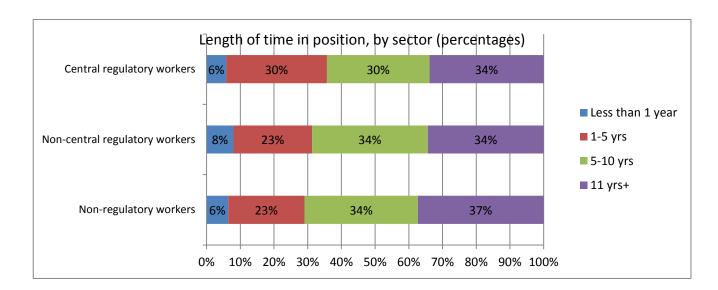
In this sample, education levels vary significantly according to worker type.

A higher proportion of non-regulatory workers have a university degree or a post-graduate qualification compared to central regulatory workers and non-central regulatory workers.

A majority of regulatory workers have a post-secondary qualification.

Item 4.11.0: How long have central government regulatory workers been in their current position compared to similar workers in non-central government regulators and other public sector organisations?

|                | Years in current position, by sector |         |          |         |       |
|----------------|--------------------------------------|---------|----------|---------|-------|
|                | Less than 1 year                     | 1-5 yrs | 5-10 yrs | 11 yrs+ | Total |
| Central        | 21                                   | 74      | 110      | 122     | 327   |
| Non-central    | 13                                   | 38      | 56       | 56      | 163   |
| Non-regulatory | 116                                  | 600     | 610      | 679     | 2005  |
| Total          | 150                                  | 712     | 776      | 857     | 2495  |



Workers from different categories
do not report significant differences
in the length of time worked in their
current position.

Most workers (above 64%) have been in their current position for more than five years.

## Relationships between survey items for central government regulatory workers only

|  | Page |
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| The relationship between the ability of workers to explain the direction of their organisation and emotional attachment to the organisation. | 52   |
| The relationship between the level of commitment to the organisation and the sense of loyalty to the organisation.                           | 53   |
| The relationship between how clearly managers communicate an organisational mission and levels of emotional attachment to the organisation.  | 54   |

The relationship between the ability of workers to explain the direction of their organisation (item 1.3.3) and emotional attachment to the organisation (item 3.9.3).

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| Dodding   |     |      |                |  |
|---|-----|------|----------------|--|
|   | N   | Mean | Std. Deviation |  |
| 1.3.3 I can clearly explain to others the direction | 326 | 3.29 | 1.019          |  |
| (vision, values, mission) of this organisation.     |     |      |                |  |
| 3.9.3 I feel emotionally attached to this           | 325 | 3.04 | 1.132          |  |
| organisation.                                       |     |      |                |  |
|   |     |      |                |  |

|   | 3.9.3 I feel          |
|---|-----------------------|
| Spearman's correlation  | emotionally attached  |
|   | to this organisation. |
| 1.3.3 I can clearly explain to others the direction Correlation Coefficient | .267                  |
| (vision, values, mission) of this organisation. Sig. (2-tailed)             | .000                  |
| N   | 324                   |

Central regulatory workers who can clearly explain the direction of their organisation are also more likely to feel emotionally attached to this organisation. The strength of this relationship is moderate.

The relationship between the level of commitment to the organisation (item 3.8.3) and the sense of loyalty to the organisation (item 3.9.1).

**Descriptive Statistics** 

| 326 | 3.61 | 1.072 |
|-----|------|-------|
| 325 | 3.51 | 1.154 |
|     |      |       |
|     |      |       |
|     |      |       |

|       | Spearman's correlation                  |                         |      |  |
|-------|---|-------------------------|------|--|
| 3.8.3 | Level of commitment to the organisation | Correlation Coefficient | .731 |  |
|       |   | Sig. (2-tailed)         | .000 |  |
|       |   | N                       | 324  |  |

Central regulatory workers who feel more committed to their organisation also feel more loyal to that organisation. The strength of this relationship is quite strong.

The relationship between how clearly managers communicate an organisational mission (item 1.1.16) and levels of emotional attachment to the organisation (item 3.9.3).

**Descriptive Statistics** 

|   | N   | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|---|-----|------|----------------|
| 3.9.3 I feel emotionally attached to this       | 325 | 3.04 | 1.132          |
| organisation.                                   |     |      |                |
| 2.1.16 Top management communicates a clear      | 326 | 2.87 | 1.060          |
| organisational mission and how each part of the |     |      |                |
| organisation contributes to achieving that      |     |      |                |
| mission.  |     |      |                |
|   |     |      |                |

|       | Spearman's correlation                            |                         | 2.1.16 Top management communicates a clear organisational mission and how each part of the organisation contributes to achieving that mission. |
|-------|---|-------------------------|--|
| 3.9.3 | I feel emotionally attached to this organisation. | Correlation Coefficient | .259   |
|       |   | Sig. (2-tailed)         | .000   |
|       |   | N                       | 324  |

Central regulatory workers who feel that their managers communicate an organisational mission more clearly are more likely to feel emotionally attached to the organisation.

The strength of this relationship is moderate.