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Abstract	Using Year 2004 data from the Taiwan Social Capital survey, this study examines how social capital plays an important role in the occupational status attainment process through the receipt and access of routine job information. Three distinct advantages over Lin and Ao's paper (2008): (1) analyzing the non-promotion sample, (2) replacing the distance of occupational prestige with the standard deviation of occupational prestige to represent network heterogeneity, and (3) using the Heckman two-step method to combine job information receipt model with the job information effect model. Our results suggest that workers with high levels of social capital are beneficial from the receipt of routine job information. The estimates provide robust evidence of an association between social capital, information and labor market outcome adjusting for disparities in access to information.
Keyword(s)	Social Capital; Network Resources; Routine Job Information; Status Attainment