Digitized and automated site accounting or being eliminated by robots

[News] The rapid development of technology, artificial intelligence, big data and other developments are changing the existing life and work patterns. The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology Business School and the Association of Pacific Rim University have collaborated on a study on the transformation of work in the Asia Pacific region. Index code and automation have far-reaching implications. Some types of work, such as construction and accounting, will be replaced by robots in the future. The report makes a number of recommendations, including the education and training of teachers through science and technology to foster an innovative workforce and to help those who have the opportunity to be replaced by technology to re-develop their skills and enhance their abilities.

Low teacher replacement opportunities
The report was conducted by seven local universities, including Korea, Japan, Singapore and Australia. The project leader and Dean of the HKUST Business School, Tan Jiayin, pointed out that there are website analysis showing that some types of work have more repetitive tasks, such as site work and accounting, etc. Eight to ninety percent of opportunities will be replaced by robots, relatively compared with others. More interactive work, such as teachers and educators, is less likely to be replaced, less than 10%.

He believes that in the face of an aging population, some jobs will be replaced in the short term. In the long run, more jobs will be eliminated. The Government should strengthen its...
well as continuing education for existing staff. It is recommended that the government provide tax concessions for employees who are willing to undergo retraining or those that encourage employees to pursue further education.

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