FDI & MNEs Main Literature on Subject

Key Data Resource on FDI – United Nations

United Nations Conference on Trade and Development provides detailed data and analysis of FDI and MNEs.

- **UNCTAD FDI Country profiles:**

Each FDI Profile contains **extensive data on FDI flows and stocks** activities of TNCs, the legal framework within each country/economy, including legislation relating to bilateral treaties that govern national investment policy. FDI Profiles for 112 economies are available at **with an annually updated bibliography section for each country:**

http://www.unctad.org/Templates/Page.asp?intItemID=3198&lang=1

Annually updated reference section for relevant economies is also available.

- **World Investment Report**

The World Investment Report (WIR) has been published annually since 1991. Each year’s Report covers the latest **trends in foreign direct investment based on extensive data** around the World and analyses in depth one selected topic related to foreign direct investment and development.

http://www.unctad.org/Templates/Page.asp?intItemID=1485&lang=1

- **The World Bank Development Gateway**

Focus is on **FDI in developing countries**. There are plenty of country and topic specific analyses and lots of data.

http://topics.developmentgateway.org/fdi

Key Books on FDI and MNEs:


Recent Articles ‘Whither International Business Research?’:


Papers and Book Chapters by FDI-MNE segmented by area


2. Political and Institutional Perspectives on Multinational Enterprises


3. Managerial Approach – Strategy and Structure


4. Organizational Perspectives on Multinational Enterprises
5. Socio-political Perspectives on Multinational Enterprise


6. Culture


7. Entry Modes


8. Geography, Knowledge Transfer and Spillovers


Berry, H., Leaders, Laggards and the Pursuit of Foreign Knowledge, Strategic Management Journal, forthcoming. (Available from Professor Berry’s website at Wharton)


Performance Effects from Multinationality


9. Trade and Investment and Exchange Rates


10. Emerging Market Firms

Bartlett and Ghoshal, Going Global: Lessons from Late Movers, HBR R00201


11. The Impact of MNCs on the World Economy


12. MNCs, Nation States and Global Governance


13. MNCs in Developing (or Transitional) Countries


14. MNCs, Employment and Labour Practices


15. MNCs, Trade and REI


16. MNCs and Global Concerns


**Country Specific Information**

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Respondents submitted the following papers on New Zealand and Central, Eastern South-eastern Europe:

**New Zealand**


**Central, Eastern South-eastern Europe**

Locia, GALINA G. PREOBRAGENSKAYA and ROBERT W. MCGEE, The Role of International Accounting Standards in Foreign Direct Investment: A Case Study of Russia,
http://ssrn.com/abstract=409020

MCGEE, ROBERT W. 2003, Foreign Direct Investment in South-eastern Europe,
http://ssrn.com/abstract=480669

Armenia http://ssrn.com/abstract=242544