

## *Example of a Summary*

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In the first article, Jun Saito<sup>1</sup> looks at the problem of population decline in Japan, and suggests that devising an effective immigration policy is necessary. Saito explains that increasing the birth rate or the employment rate for women and the aged do not have an immediate impact, and argues for the discussion of accepting immigrants. First, he reports public consensus and a policy reform initiative for accepting skilled workers. Then, he examines the controversial issue of accepting unskilled foreign workers. Although he mentions political and social concerns about accepting unskilled immigrants, he argues against most of them. Finally, he concludes that Japanese young people should make a decision on this issue, but implies that there is no alternative but accepting immigrants. (130)

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<sup>1</sup> Jun Saito, *EAST ASIA FORUM QUARTERLY*, (Jun-September 2014) pp.6-7.