Universal Basic Income: Social Welfare System Innovation or Utopia?

Summary

Based on basic income as the theme, based on the background of the development of the national basic income thoughts, ? illustrates the nearly 500 years of basic income concept, plan, both at home and abroad to discuss the results with similar content, ? illustrates its according to the main problem, namely the basic income can widespread promotion, artificial intelligence and the influence of science and technology, automation of basic income, etc. ? Put forward the basic concept of income: the country provides citizens with "unconditional" meet the basic needs of capital income on a regular basis - rich or poor, age, gender, health or not, all citizens are equal amount of basic income, and compared with other financial aid and the difference between financial support, including unconditional, universality and cash payments. In experiment based on the thorough analysis, including the United States Alaska permanent fund system of share out bonus, Finland an unconditional basic income test, basic income test three times practice, African countries found that although the basic income system has advantage - improving people's well-being and happiness, but there are also disadvantages - not as expected to motivate people to work hard. This leads to four arguments, including social equity, financial affordability, labor enthusiasm and whether to adapt to China's actual national conditions. Finally ? put forward the basic income of enlightenment, ? is based on the history of China's economic and social development phase of a moderate amount of social security system and can avoid the technical bring a vicious cycle of unemployment and the widening gap between the rich and poor, and people's livelihood security system design is concise and effective, gradually establish a moderate social welfare related policy Suggestions. We need to put in place an appropriate and inclusive social welfare system and promote equal access to basic public services in urban and rural areas so that more people can enjoy the fruits of social development. At the same time, further develop science and technology, strengthen the accumulation of social wealth, for the social security system to create a solid foundation of wealth. The institutional arrangement for the future intelligent society is of universal benefit, simplicity and foresight, which is of enlightening significance to the construction of the people's livelihood security system in the new era.

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