

## **The Great East Japan Earthquake and the Media From Articles for The NHK Monthly Report on Broadcast Research**

Since the Great East Japan Earthquake occurred on March 11th, 2011, the NHK Broadcasting Culture Research Institute has been conducting various research and studies on the 3/11 disaster and the media from diverse viewpoints, which have been reported in the institute's monthly magazine, The NHK Monthly Report on Broadcast Research. Of those reports published in 2012, four articles are selected to be carried again for this annual report.

The content of each report is, in principle, exactly the same as the original paper for The NHK Monthly Report on Broadcast Research, with no updates being made.

\*English Summary of each article is available from the following URL.

**<http://www.nhk.or.jp/bunken/english/>**

[March 2012]

- How Overseas TV News Reported the Great East Japan Earthquake  
– Analyzing Eight News Programs in Seven Countries –

[August 2012]

- Media Use and Information Activities of Foreign Residents in Japan  
in the Event of Disasters  
– From a Telephone Survey of Foreign Residents of Four Nationalities –

[June 2012]

- How the Great East Japan Earthquake Changed the Japanese  
– From a Public Opinion Survey on Disaster Prevention, Energy and Basic Sense of Values –

[March 2012]

- An Overview of the Disaster Information Transmission System of the Local Governments  
in the Post-Quake Japan  
– Prolonged Operation of Temporal Disaster-Broadcasting Stations and Diversified Means for  
Transmitting Evacuation Information –