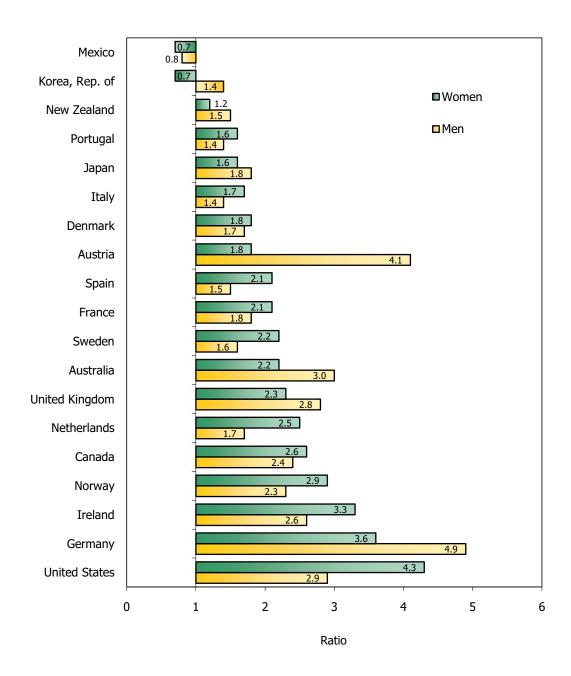
## 2.14 Ratios of unemployment rates of persons without high school degrees to those of persons with college or university degrees, 2006

- Unemployment rates of persons without high school degrees were higher than those of persons with college or university degrees, except for men and women in Mexico and for women in the Republic of Korea.
- The ratios of unemployment rates for the two education levels were highest for men in Germany and Austria and for women in the United States.



**NOTE**: The ratio for Japan compares the unemployment rate of persons with high school degrees to that of persons with college or university degrees. The unemployment rates used to calculate these ratios are for men and women ages 25 to 64.

**SOURCE**: Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development.