

APPENDIX I

DEMOGRAPHICS OF RESPONDENTS

Face-to-Face Interviews

Australia

Gender

	<i>Freq (n = 100)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
M	42	42.0
F	58	58.0

Age Range Home Country

	<i>Freq (n = 100)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
19–24 years	48	48.0
25–29 years	38	38.0
30 years and more	14	14.0

Home Country

	<i>Freq (n = 100)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
Bangladesh	2	2.0
Belgium	1	1.0
Brazil	1	1.0
Chile	1	1.0
China	11	11.0
Colombia	4	4.0
Czech Republic	1	1.0
France	6	6.0
Germany	2	2.0
Hong Kong	1	1.0
India	8	8.0
Indonesia	3	3.0
Iran	1	1.0
Italy	3	3.0
Japan	1	1.0
Jordan	1	1.0
Malaysia	5	5.0
Mexico	2	2.0
New Zealand	1	1.0
Pakistan	3	3.0
Peru	1	1.0
Philippines	1	1.0
Singapore	9	9.0
South Korea	6	6.0
Spain	1	1.0
Sri Lanka	1	1.0
Sweden	2	2.0
Taiwan	1	1.0
Netherlands	1	1.0
United Kingdom	8	8.0
United States of America	5	5.0
Vietnam	6	6.0

Length of Stay in Australia

	<i>Freq (n = 100)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
Three months and less	12	12.0
3.1 to 6 months	17	17.0
6.1 months to 1 year	20	20.0
1 year 1 month to 2 years	21	21.0
2 years 1 month to 3 years	14	14.0
3 years 1 month to 4 years	11	11.0
4 years 1 month and more	5	5.0

Visa Status

	<i>Freq (n = 100)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>	<i>Missing values</i>
International student visa	59	60.8	3
Working holiday visa	19	19.6	
Exchange student visa	8	8.2	
Bridging visa	7	7.2	
Temporary Work (Skilled) visa (subclass 457)	3	3.1	
Temporary Graduate (Subclass 485) Visa	1	1.0	

Singapore

Gender

	<i>Freq (n = 102)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
M	43	42.7
F	59	57.3

Age Range

	<i>Freq (n = 102)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
18–24 years	56	54.4
25–29 years	26	25.5
30 years and more	20	19.4

Home Country

	<i>Freq (n = 102)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>	<i>Missing values</i>
Indonesia	25	24.8	2
China	19	18.8	
Malaysia	14	13.9	
India	9	8.9	
South Korea	5	5.0	
U.K.	5	5.0	
Vietnam	5	5.0	
Philippines	4	4.0	
U.S.	4	4.0	
Hong Kong	3	3.0	
Australia	2	2.0	
France	1	1.0	
Italy	1	1.0	
New Zealander	1	1.0	
Norway	1	1.0	
Thailand	1	1.0	

Length of Stay in Singapore

	<i>Freq (n = 102)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>	<i>Missing values</i>
Three months and less	5	5.1	4
3.1 to 6 months	9	9.1	
6.1 months to 1 year	14	14.1	
1 year 1 month to 2 years	15	15.2	
2 years 1 month to 3 years	14	14.1	
3 years 1 month to 4 years	3	3.0	
4 years 1 month and more	38	37.3	

Visa status

	<i>Freq (n = 102)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>	<i>Missing values</i>
international student visa	61	60.4	1
working visa	39	38.6	
dependent's pass	1	1.0	

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Gender

	<i>Freq (n = 198)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
Male	97	49
Female	101	51

Length of Stay in Australia

	<i>Freq (n = 201)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
20 and less than 20	19	9
21–25	90	45
26–30	64	32
31–35	18	9
35–40	7	3
41 and above	3	1

Home Country

	<i>Freq (n = 101)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
Australia	5	4.95
New Zealand	2	1.98
United Kingdom	9	8.91
Ireland	3	2.97
France	5	4.95
Italy	3	2.97
The Netherlands	1	0.99
Germany	3	2.97
Sweden	1	0.99
Greece	1	0.99
Gibraltar	1	0.99
Cyprus	1	0.99
China	9	8.91
Korea	1	0.99
India	12	11.88
Pakistan	7	6.93
Nepal	2	1.98
Sri Lanka	1	0.99
Malaysia	7	6.93
Indonesia	4	3.96
Singapore	2	1.98
Vietnam	4	3.96
Philippines	4	3.96
Brunei Darussalam	1	0.99
Bhutan	1	0.99
Myanmar	1	0.99
Bangladesh	1	0.99
Thailand	1	0.99
Ghana	1	0.99
Mauritius	1	0.99
Brazil	1	0.99
Chile	1	0.99
Afghanistan	1	0.99
Iran	1	0.99
United States of America	2	1.98

Length of Stay in Australia

	<i>Freq (n = 101)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
Less than or equal to 3 months	7	6.93
3.1 to 6 months	20	19.80
6.1 months to 1 year	23	22.77
1 year 1 month to 2 years	20	19.80
2 year 1 month to 3 years	8	7.92
3 year 1 month to 4 years	6	5.94
4 years 1 month to 5 years	8	7.92
More than 5 years	8	7.92
“44”	1	0.99

Visa Status

	<i>Freq (n = 189)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
Student Visa	92	49
Working Holiday Visa	53	28
457 Visa	12	6
Bridging Visa	14	7
Family on Student Visa	2	1
Other	16	8

*Singapore**Online survey*

Gender

	<i>Freq (n = 112)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
Male	45	40
Female	67	60

Length of Stay in Singapore

	<i>Freq (n = 112)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
20 and less than 20	17	15
21–25	74	66
26–30	17	15
31–35	2	2
36–40	0	0
41 and above	2	2

Home Country

	<i>Freq (n = 101)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
Malaysia	22	22
China	23	23
Hong Kong	10	10
India	11	11
Indonesia	10	10
Vietnam	8	8
Singapore	7	7
United States of America	4	4
Philippines	2	2
Thailand	1	1
Britain	1	1
South Korea	1	1
Bangladesh	1	1

Length of Stay in Singapore

	<i>Freq (n = 101)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
Less than or equal to 3 months	5	5.0
3.1 to 6 months	10	9.9
6.1 months to 1 year	14	13.9
1 year 1 month to 2 years	13	12.9
2 year 1 month to 3 years	12	11.9
3 year 1 month to 4 years	7	6.9
4 years 1 month to 5 years	9	8.9
5 years 1 month to 6 years	11	10.9
6 years 1 month to 7 years	6	5.9
More than 7 years	12	11.9

Visa Status

	<i>Freq (n = 99)</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
Student Visa	63	64
S-Pass	17	17
Personalised employment passes (PEP)	0	0
Employment Pass	13	13
Dependent's Pass	0	0
Other(Please specify)	6	6

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