

# The Future of Working Abroad



## Average Age

43.1 years old



## Gender Split\*

46% female 53% male



## Relationship Status

61% in a relationship 39% single



## Employment Status

82% work full time 18% work part time



## Top Industries

12% education (incl. language education)

11% IT

8% finance



## Reasons for Moving Abroad

- 47% job-related reason\*\*
- 10% to live in my partner's home country / for love
- 8% to go to school or university



## Gross Yearly Income

- 23% less than 25,000 USD
- 53% 25,000–100,000 USD
- 23% more than 100,000 USD



## Level of Education

- 47% postgraduate / master's degree (or similar)
- 33% bachelor's degree (or similar)
- 8% PhD (or similar)
- 6% commercial / technical / vocational training
- 5% high school graduate (or similar)
- 1% no degree at all



## Top 3 Things Most Liked about the Current Job

- 32% opportunity to work remotely / from home
- 32% good work-life balance
- 29% flexible working hours



## Top 3 Things Most Important for a Dream Job\*\*\*

- 54% good compensation and/or benefits
- 49% good work-life balance
- 29% creative/interesting tasks



## Remote Work

- 78% are able to work remotely
- 22% cannot work remotely
- 22% want the opportunity to work remotely / from home in their dream job
- 65% of expats who can work remotely like it

\* Respondents also had the option to self describe — so the total may not always add up to 100%.

\*\* 17% found a job on their own, 15% were recruited internationally, 13% were sent by their employer, 2% to start their own business

\*\*\* Note: This includes working expats and expats looking for a job.

