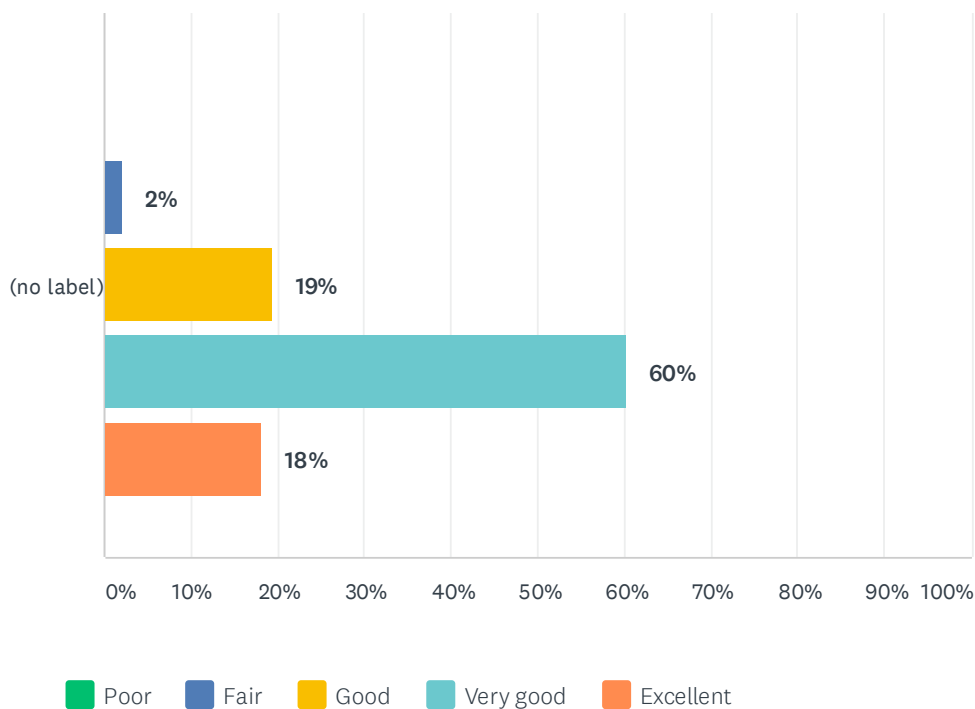


# Q1 What is your overall evaluation of the conference?

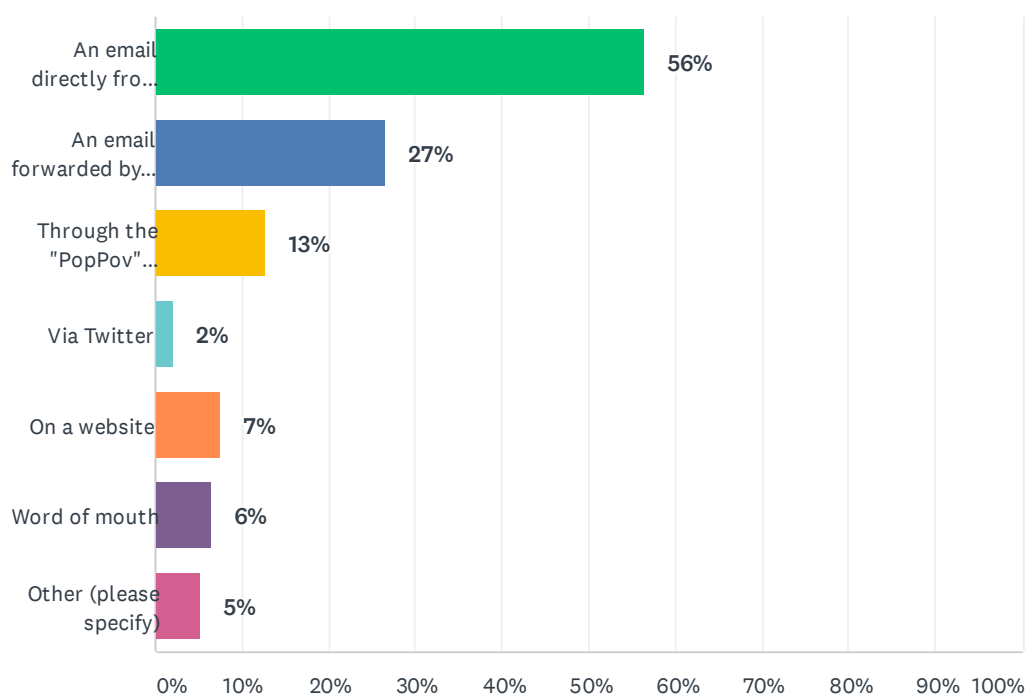
Answered: 93 Skipped: 2



	POOR	FAIR	GOOD	VERY GOOD	EXCELLENT	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	0% 0	2% 2	19% 18	60% 56	18% 17	93	3.95

## Q2 How did you learn about the conference?(Tick as many answers as apply)

Answered: 94 Skipped: 1

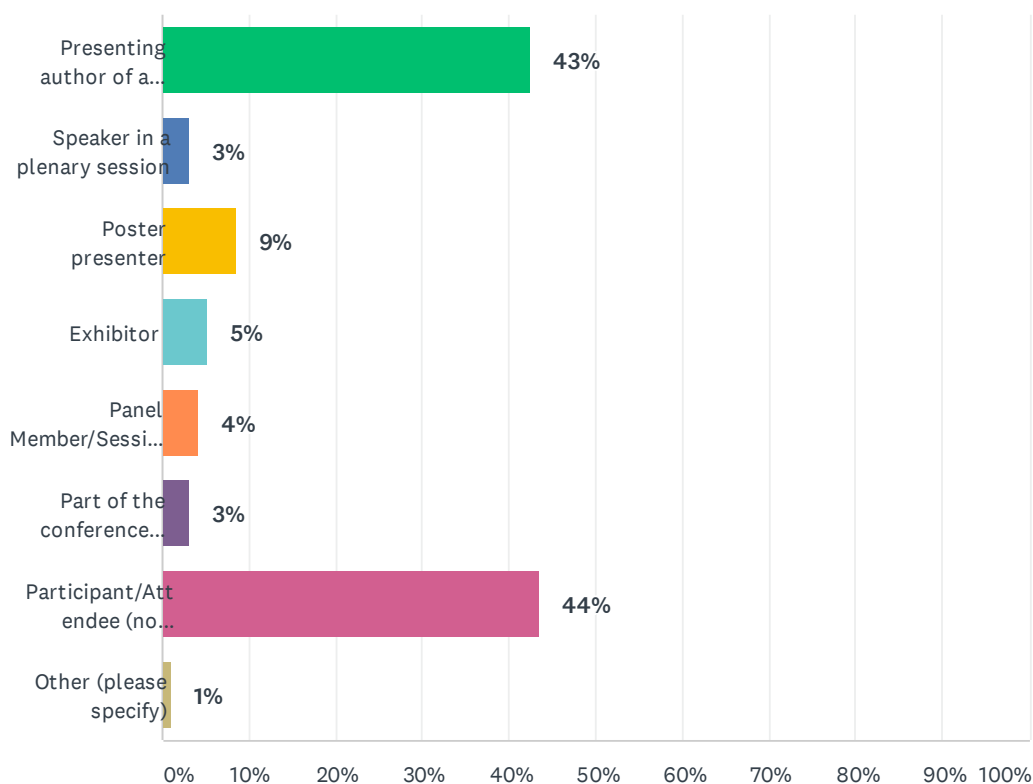


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
An email directly from the IUSSP	56%	53
An email forwarded by my institution, my professional network or a colleague	27%	25
Through the "PopPov" Network	13%	12
Via Twitter	2%	2
On a website	7%	7
Word of mouth	6%	6
Other (please specify)	5%	5
Total Respondents: 94		

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Participated in the 1st PopPov	12/28/2020 3:52 PM
2	An email from a colleague from my institution	12/16/2020 10:03 PM
3	I am on the committee :)	12/11/2020 7:28 PM
4	During the UAPS Conference in Entebbe, Uganda	12/11/2020 3:41 PM
5	organizer	12/11/2020 3:16 PM

### Q3 What was your role in the scientific programme? (Tick as many answers as apply)

Answered: 94 Skipped: 1

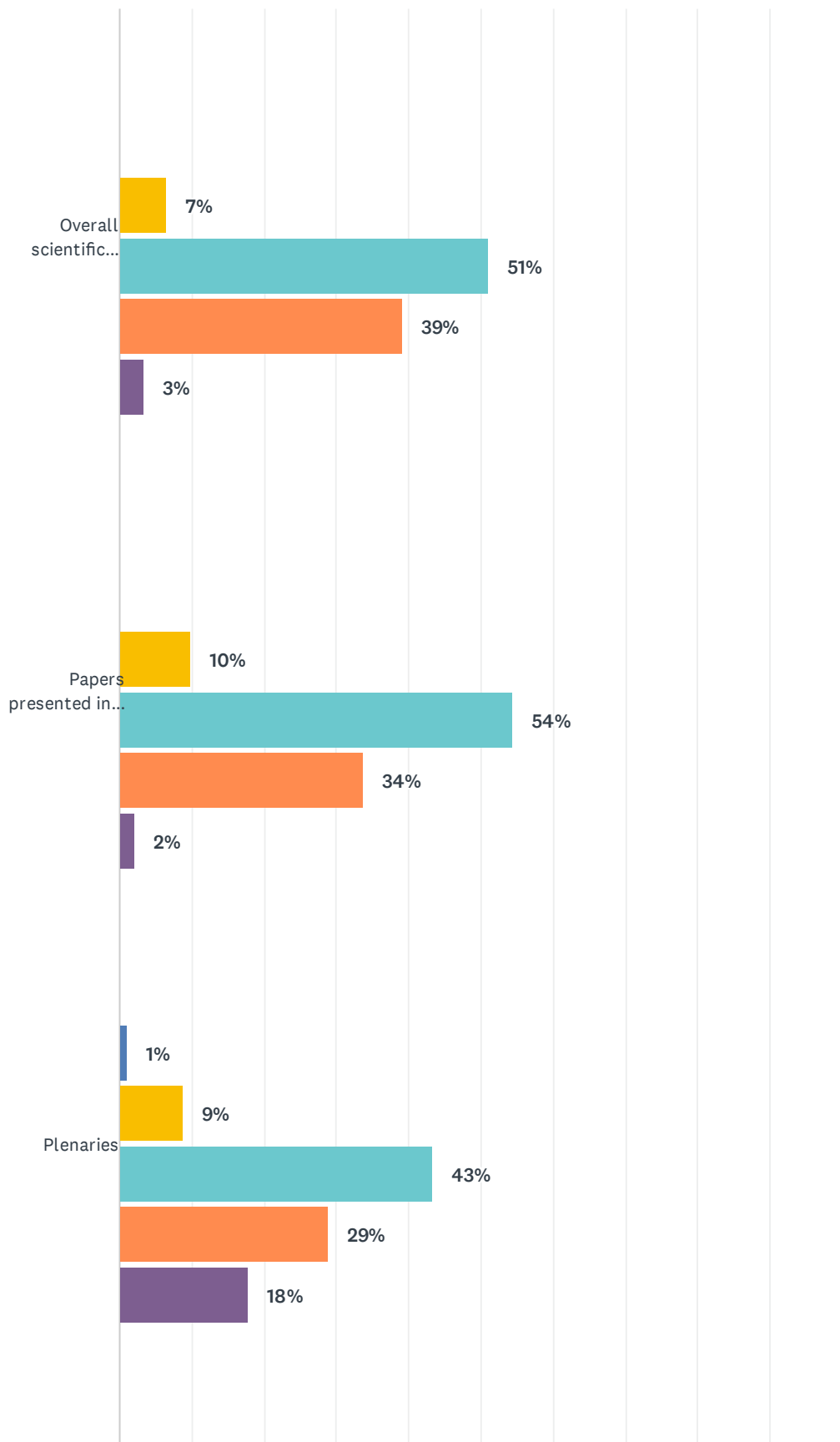


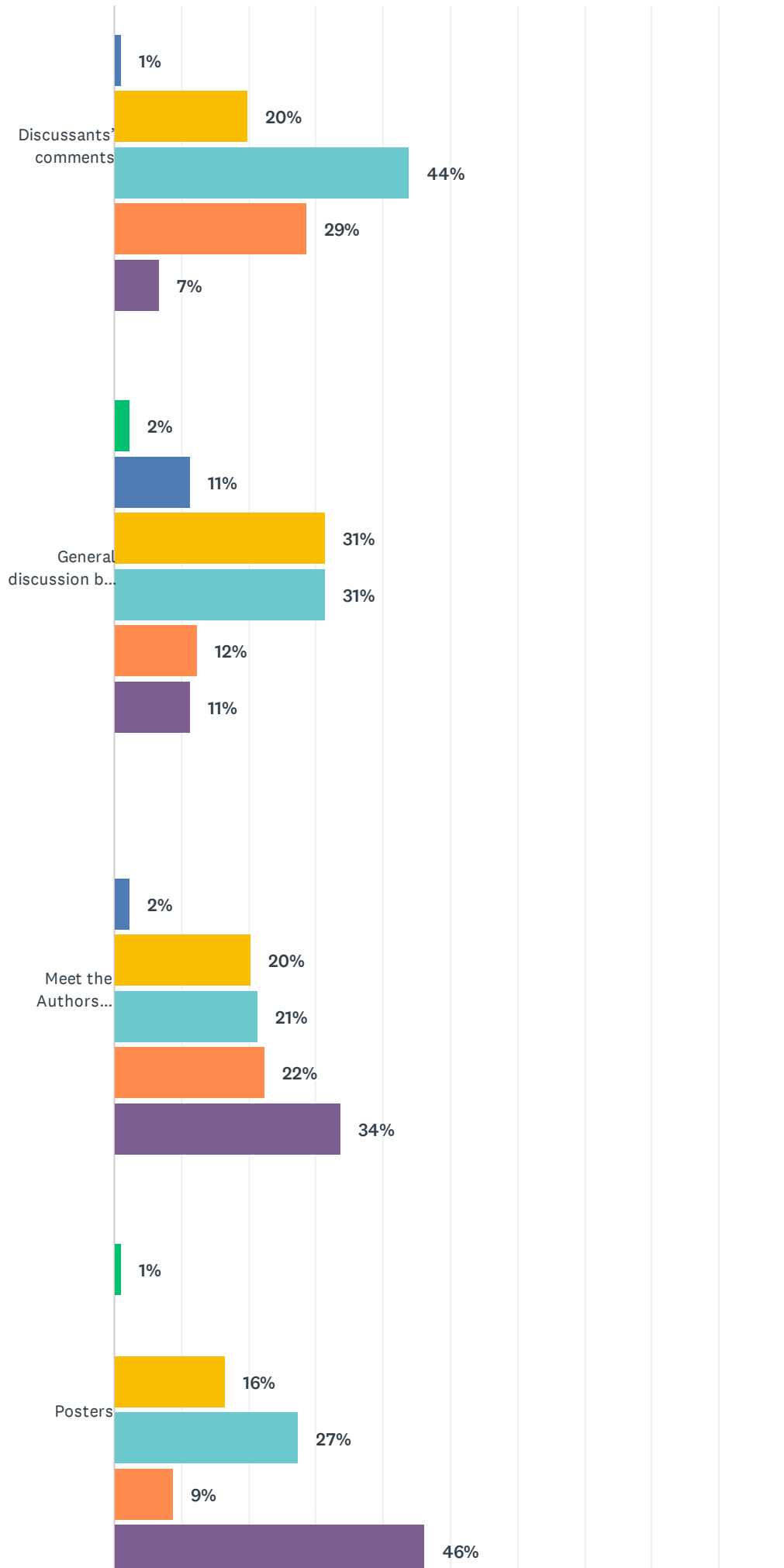
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Presenting author of a paper (oral presentation)	43%	40
Speaker in a plenary session	3%	3
Poster presenter	9%	8
Exhibitor	5%	5
Panel Member/Session Moderator	4%	4
Part of the conference support team	3%	3
Participant/Attendee (no formal scientific programme role)	44%	41
Other (please specify)	1%	1
Total Respondents: 94		

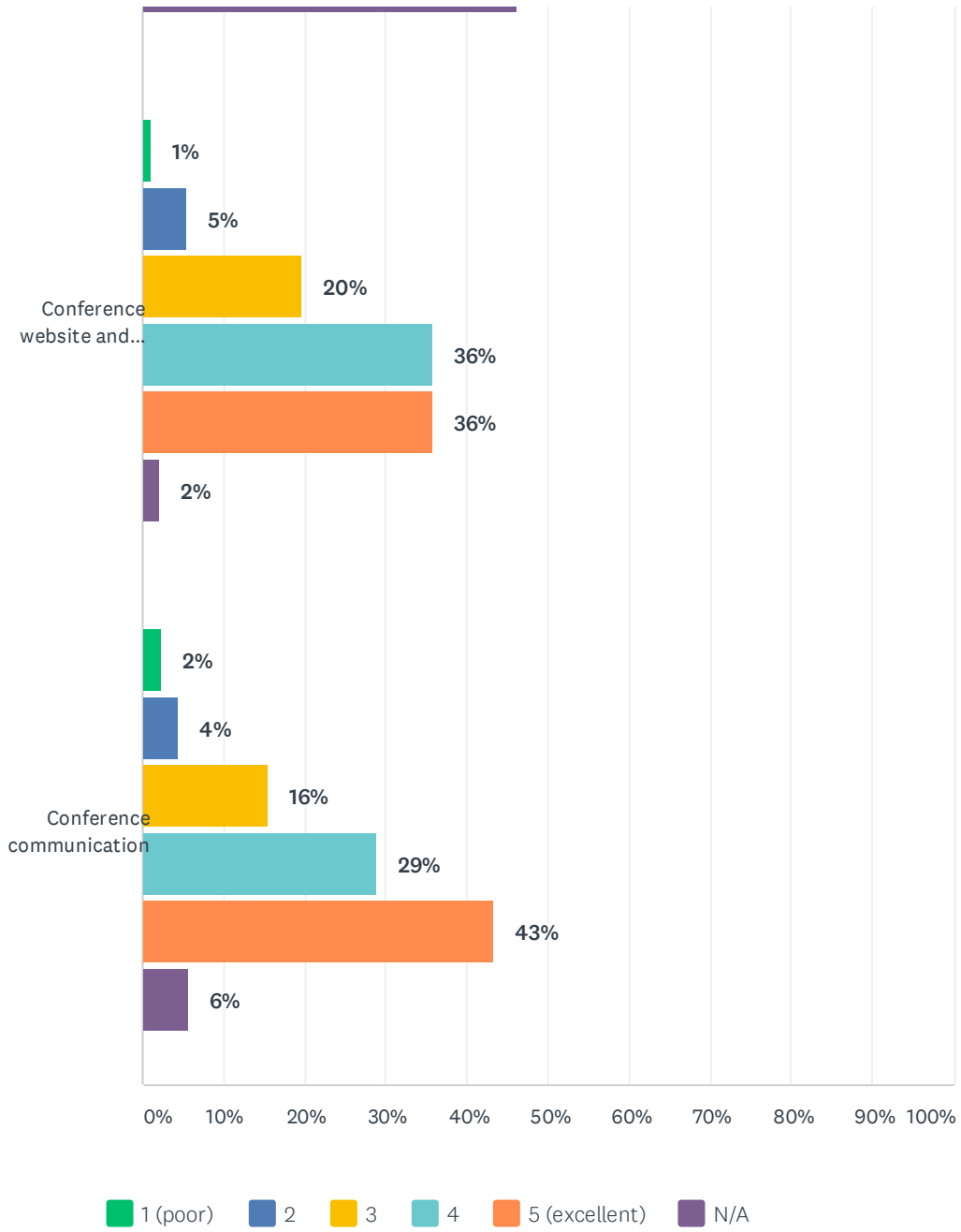
#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Coauthor of a paper presented (not the presenter)	12/29/2020 11:36 AM

### Q4 How would you rate the following aspects of the conference? Score each item from 1 (poor) to 5 (excellent), or tick N/A if you cannot evaluate the item.

Answered: 92 Skipped: 3



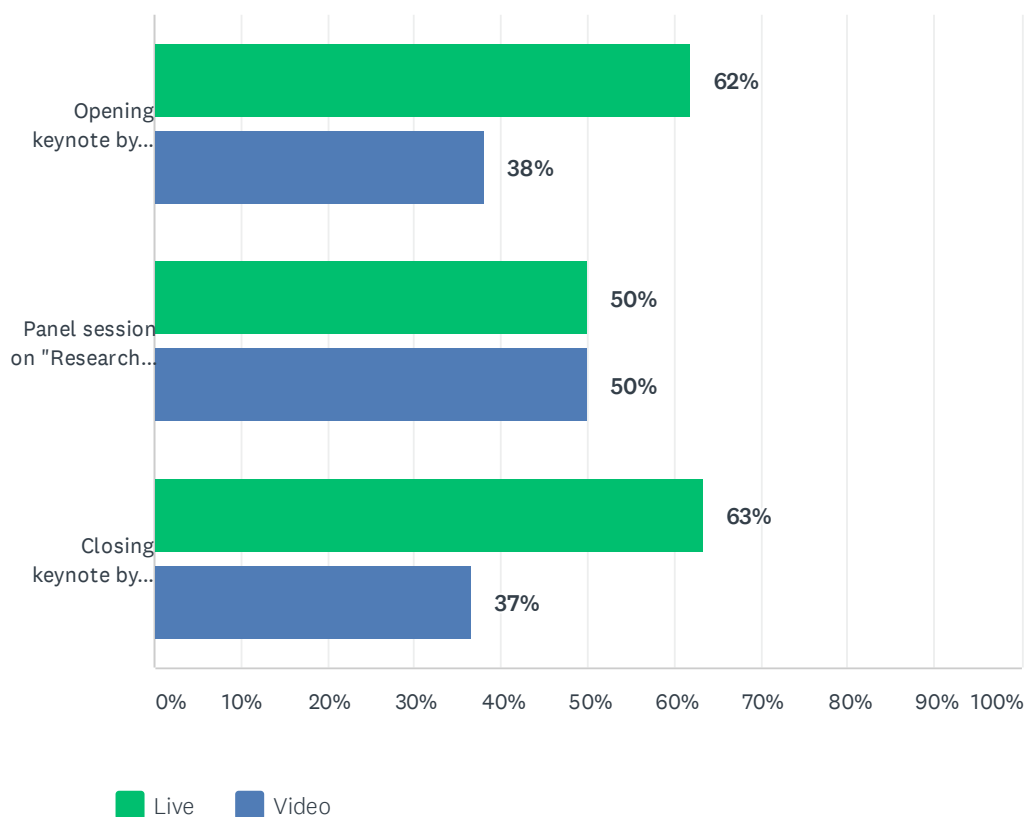




	1 (POOR)	2	3	4	5 (EXCELLENT)	N/A	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
Overall scientific quality of the Conference	0% 0	0% 0	7% 6	51% 47	39% 36	3% 3	92	4.34
Papers presented in regular sessions	0% 0	0% 0	10% 9	54% 50	34% 31	2% 2	92	4.24
Plenaries	0% 0	1% 1	9% 8	43% 39	29% 26	18% 16	90	4.22
Discussants' comments	0% 0	1% 1	20% 18	44% 40	29% 26	7% 6	91	4.07
General discussion by the session audience	2% 2	11% 10	31% 28	31% 28	12% 11	11% 10	89	3.46
Meet the Authors sessions	0% 0	2% 2	20% 18	21% 19	22% 20	34% 30	89	3.97
Posters	1% 1	0% 0	16% 15	27% 25	9% 8	46% 42	91	3.80
Conference website and navigation	1% 1	5% 5	20% 18	36% 33	36% 33	2% 2	92	4.02
Conference communication	2% 2	4% 4	16% 14	29% 26	43% 39	6% 5	90	4.13

## Q5 Did you attend any of the plenary sessions and, if so, did you watch them live or as video recording?

Answered: 75 Skipped: 20

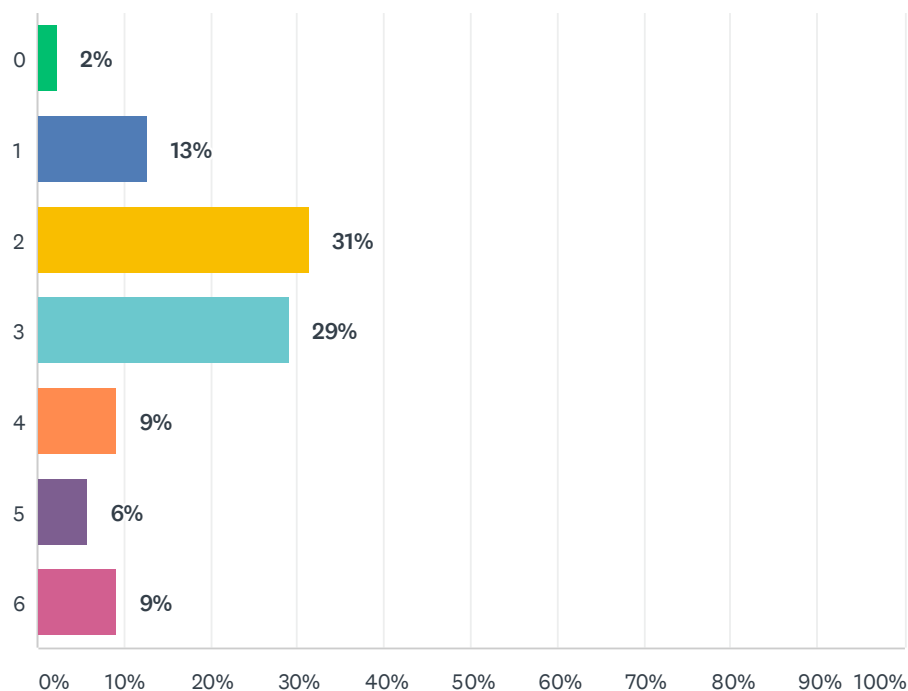


	LIVE	VIDEO	TOTAL
Opening keynote by Ashwini Deshpande on "Women and Work: Before and After Covid."	62% 39	38% 24	63
Panel session on "Research in Support of Effective Policy Responses to Covid."	50% 26	50% 26	52
Closing keynote by François Bourguignon on "Panel vs. Cross-sectional Data in the Social Evaluation of Economic Growth."	63% 38	37% 22	60



## Q6 How many LIVE "regular" sessions did you attend?

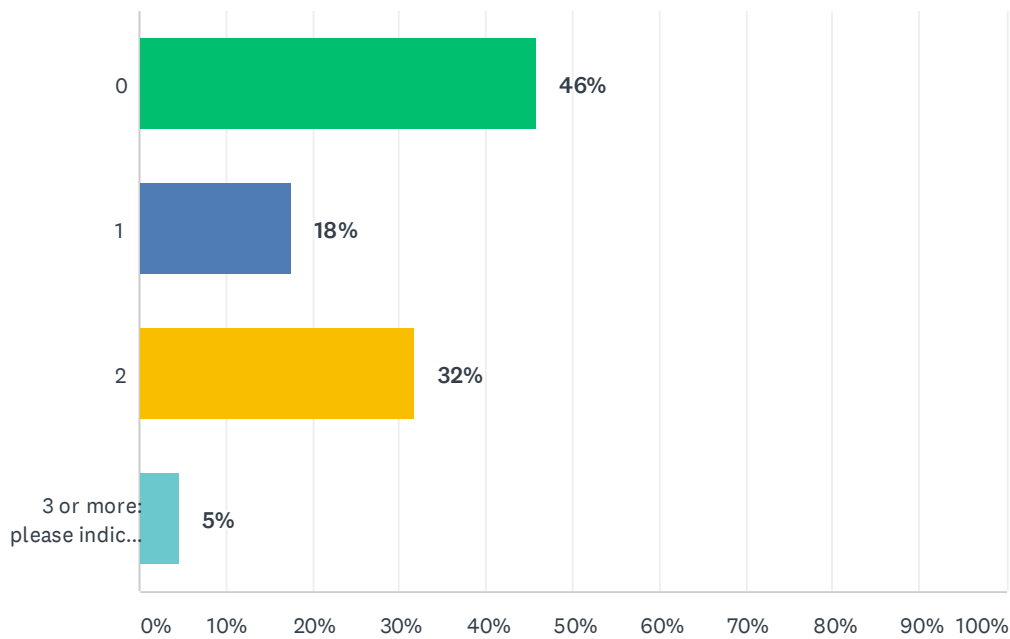
Answered: 86 Skipped: 9



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
0	2%
1	13%
2	31%
3	29%
4	9%
5	6%
6	9%
TOTAL	86

## Q7 How many RECORDED "regular" sessions did you view?

Answered: 85 Skipped: 10

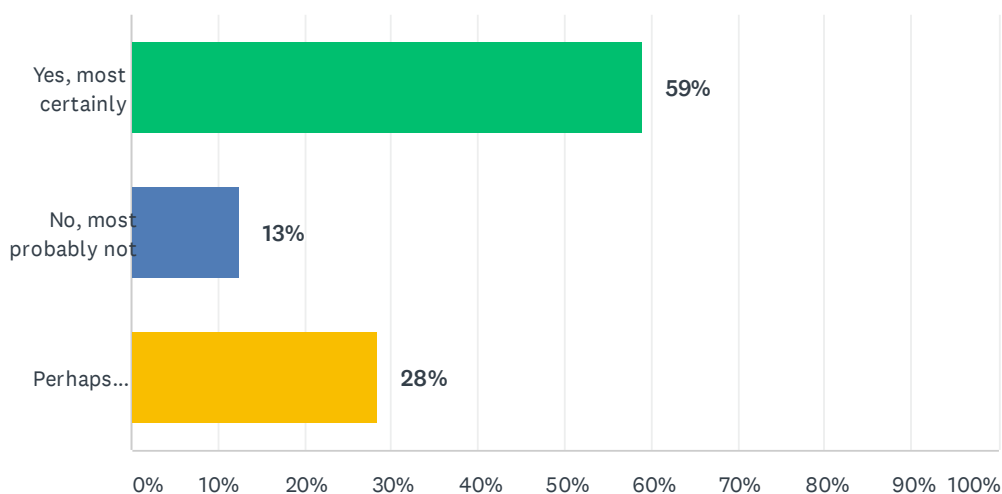


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
0	46% 39
1	18% 15
2	32% 27
3 or more: please indicate how many	5% 4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>85</b>

#	3 OR MORE: PLEASE INDICATE HOW MANY	DATE
1	4	12/16/2020 10:13 PM
2	5	12/12/2020 12:29 AM
3	7	12/11/2020 7:40 PM
4	7	12/11/2020 5:15 PM

## Q8 Do you plan to return to the website during the next month to view additional RECORDED sessions?

Answered: 88 Skipped: 7

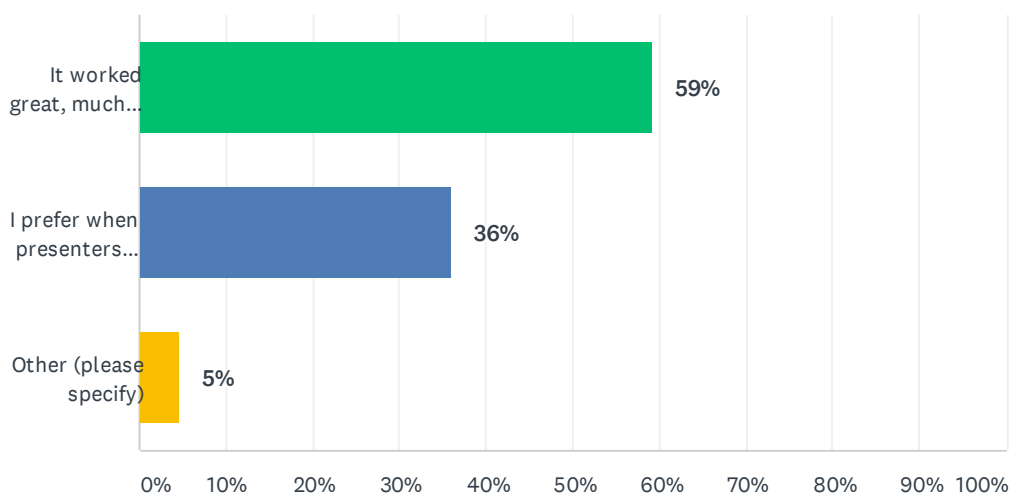


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Yes, most certainly	59% 52
No, most probably not	13% 11
Perhaps...	28% 25
TOTAL	88

#	COMMENTS:	DATE
1	I would like to view plenary sessions again	12/16/2020 10:13 PM
2	I would like the videos to be available for as long as possible on the site	12/12/2020 12:29 AM
3	I have recorded regular papers. I will download Bourguignon slides and paper if available.	12/11/2020 3:20 PM

### Q9 For the first time, we asked presenters in regular sessions to record their presentations in advance. How did this work out in your opinion?

Answered: 86 Skipped: 9

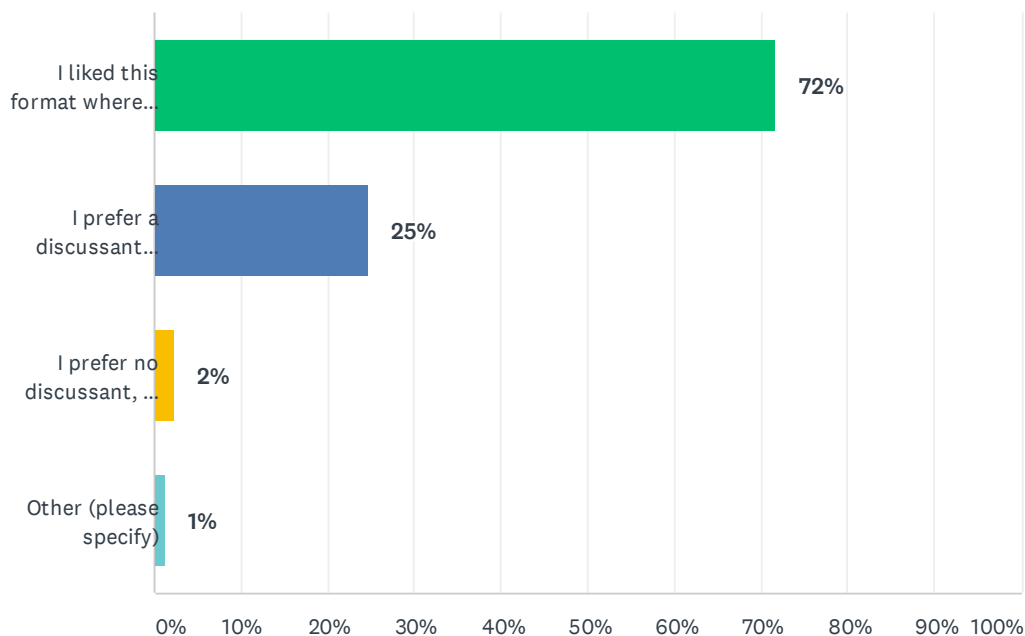


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
It worked great, much better than when presenters present live.	59%	51
I prefer when presenters present live.	36%	31
Other (please specify)	5%	4
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>86</b>

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	I prefer live presentation but I think that recorded presentation can help when there are problems in web conexions	12/28/2020 3:46 PM
2	to be continued! also gives presenters time to react to questions in the chat while their video is running; timing of the presentations can also be controlled more easily (in principle)	12/16/2020 2:02 PM
3	I liked the idea of this freeing people up to respond to questions in real-time in the chat, but I didn't see this happening. If it did, I would have liked the recorded presentations more. But it did keep people to the time limit.	12/11/2020 9:57 PM
4	No any observable difference between the two	12/11/2020 3:30 PM

### Q10 For the first time, we experimented a discussion format in regular sessions where each author discussed another colleague's paper in the same session. How did you appreciate this format?

Answered: 85 Skipped: 10

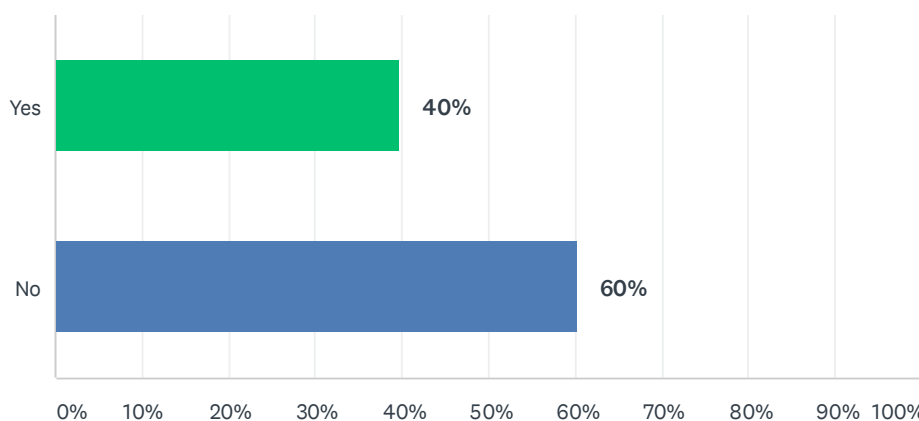


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
I liked this format where each paper presenter discussed one of the papers in the session	72%	61
I prefer a discussant specifically appointed to discuss all the session papers	25%	21
I prefer no discussant, to provide more time for questions from the audience.	2%	2
Other (please specify)	1%	1
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>85</b>

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	although I do not like discussants, the new format where authors discuss each others papers is an acceptable solution; I noted that there was not much discussion from the floor (chat, Q&A) in several sessions, so here it worked to have the presenter discussion	12/16/2020 2:02 PM

## Q11 Did you attend any of the poster sessions or view any posters?

Answered: 88 Skipped: 7

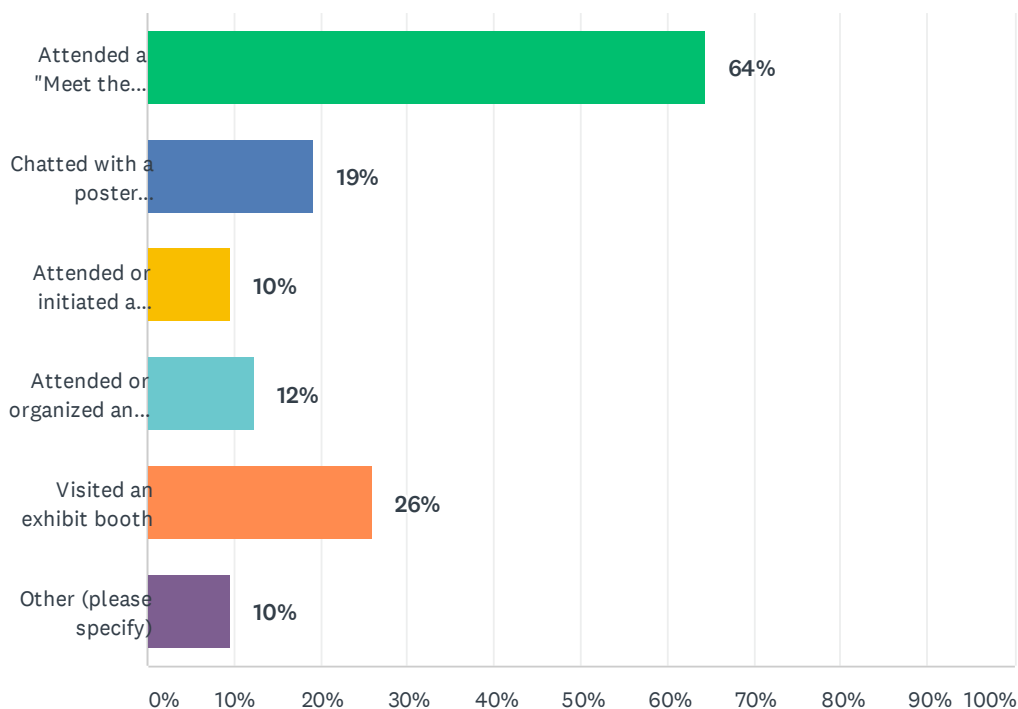


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	40%	35
No	60%	53
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>88</b>

#	COMMENTS:	DATE
1	The attendance of poster sessions was less interactive	12/20/2020 5:17 PM
2	I couldn't access the posters from the link.	12/16/2020 4:17 PM
3	sorry to have missed the posters; will try to see them still	12/16/2020 2:02 PM
4	the presenters did their best	12/12/2020 12:29 AM
5	It took some getting used to, but I think this was a great setup for the virtual conference with the chat window next to the poster.	12/11/2020 9:57 PM
6	They were good	12/11/2020 3:30 PM

## Q12 Which of the following things did you do?

Answered: 73 Skipped: 22

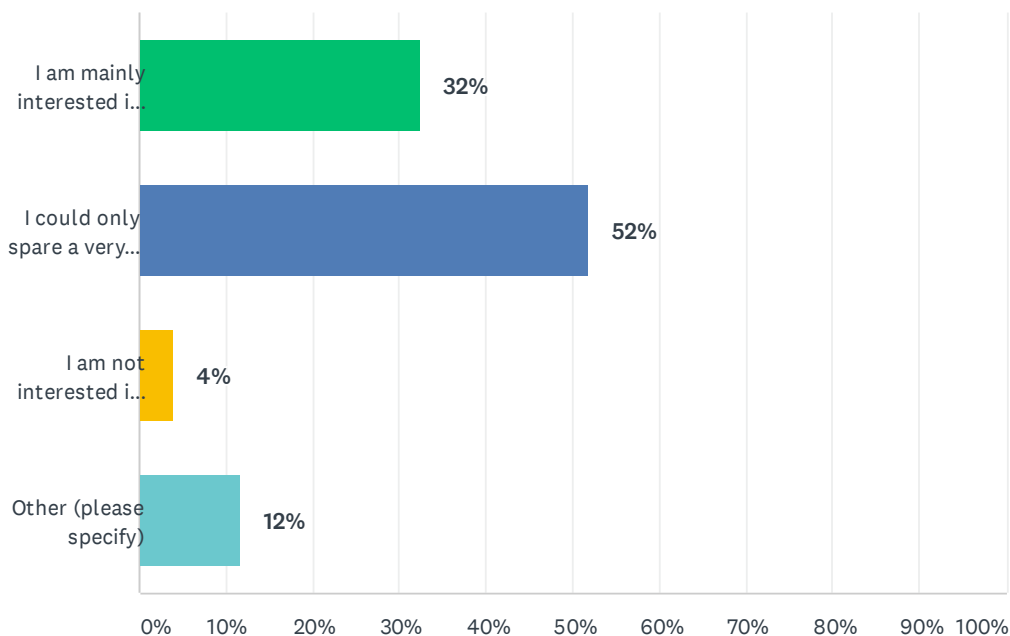


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Attended a "Meet the authors" post-session	64%	47
Chatted with a poster presenter	19%	14
Attended or initiated a peer-to-peer meeting with a colleague	10%	7
Attended or organized an Attendee-Proposed Meeting	12%	9
Visited an exhibit booth	26%	19
Other (please specify)	10%	7
Total Respondents: 73		

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	None	12/29/2020 5:52 AM
2	I couldn't do any of these activities because the Latinamerican Population Conference had the same schedule	12/28/2020 3:50 PM
3	Tried to chat with the poster presenter but there was no response	12/17/2020 6:02 PM
4	None	12/16/2020 6:11 PM
5	none	12/16/2020 4:43 PM
6	no	12/16/2020 11:37 AM
7	None	12/11/2020 3:20 PM

### Q13 If you did not do many of the things above, what was the main reason that kept you from making full use of the various features for networking usually available at an in-person conference?

Answered: 77 Skipped: 18



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
I am mainly interested in attending scientific sessions	32%	25
I could only spare a very limited portion of my time to this conference	52%	40
I am not interested in or comfortable engaging with others virtually	4%	3
Other (please specify)	12%	9
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>77</b>

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Time difference - sessions were late in my time zone (Asia)	12/30/2020 6:17 PM
2	It was new for me the way of interacting virtually and also the lack of time in some cases. I had also at the last day problems with my laptop.	12/20/2020 5:46 PM
3	There were distractions so my attention was divided	12/17/2020 12:41 PM
4	As a member of the Panel, there was little available time to take advantage of other useful elements of the virtual conference. The differences in time zones was a further inhibitor	12/17/2020 1:13 AM
5	sorry to have missed those extra's; better luck next time	12/16/2020 2:03 PM
6	poor network connection	12/16/2020 12:57 PM
7	It's kind of difficult to start a conversation for first time virtually. Also, it's hard to know how easy it is to talk to a person to propose a 1-1 meeting	12/13/2020 4:15 PM
8	Just busy!	12/11/2020 7:30 PM
9	I did	12/11/2020 3:44 PM



## Q14 What did you like most about the conference?

Answered: 61 Skipped: 34

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	The quality of the sessions was generally fairly high, assigned discussants were an excellent addition, and the conference was well organized, given the circumstances.	1/6/2021 11:01 AM
2	quality of papers, organisation of conference, ease of attending session	12/31/2020 12:20 PM
3	Because it was virtual and free, it meant that anyone anywhere could attend.	12/30/2020 10:44 PM
4	I loved the online landing/home page for the conference (looked like a conference entrance hall with different rooms). The website was very well organised.	12/29/2020 2:36 PM
5	Organizers have put-in considerable efforts for a virtual conference. The idea of recording the presentation was very effective.	12/29/2020 11:41 AM
6	I loved the quality of the discussions. They were intellectually stimulating and engaging	12/29/2020 5:53 AM
7	It was a very good idea to have one moderator for the speakers and another for the technical (chat etc.) aspects.	12/28/2020 8:29 PM
8	It was organized well and had some good papers with similar interests	12/28/2020 7:00 PM
9	Recorded videos	12/28/2020 3:56 PM
10	Web site and the accurate use of the schedule proposed	12/28/2020 3:51 PM
11	I mostly like the possibility of gain information about new research issues, however we are living in a period of COVID-19. The issues presented regarding COVID-19 were very important. The presence of COVID-19 changed the world.	12/20/2020 5:47 PM
12	The organizers did a great job! They were very attentive and helpful.	12/19/2020 8:56 AM
13	Regular session	12/18/2020 1:59 PM
14	I had experiences before with online conferences and this was way better. I liked the protection of privacy and avoiding any possible issues of Zoom bombing. The schedule was clear and I liked the possibility to meet with the authors. I also really liked the papers and I think the online recording was a great idea. I think the people invited to the plenaries was really good, but for time I was not able to attend. The website was good, I liked the format of looking like a conference center but it was a little hard to access specific sessions, especially, going from the scheduled session to the "meet the authors". I thought the peer-to-peer possibility was a good idea, but a little overwhelming. Perhaps you can organize some sort of breakout rooms discussion to make that available.	12/17/2020 7:05 PM
15	The scientific program and the excellent and innovative presentations.	12/17/2020 6:37 PM
16	The presentations I managed to listen into were really great. I learnt a lot considering my limited knowledge on poverty and inequality. Economic measurements were technical for me but I followed the discussions	12/17/2020 6:07 PM
17	The organisation was superb	12/17/2020 12:42 PM
18	Topics and plenary sessions	12/17/2020 2:54 AM
19	I like the papers that were presented and the speaker discussions that followed each presentation. I also like the plenary speeches	12/17/2020 1:14 AM
20	Information communication	12/16/2020 8:46 PM
21	The quality of paper	12/16/2020 7:10 PM
22	Very well organized, I also liked the video presentations as they minimize unforeseen issues.	12/16/2020 5:25 PM
23	shape of future conferences	12/16/2020 4:44 PM
24	The papers presented were actually brilliant	12/16/2020 4:32 PM
25	Overall ease of operation. Excellent sessions and papers.	12/16/2020 4:26 PM
26	That it happened! Congrats to the secretariat for getting this conference online in such a short time. Kudo's to all! :-)	12/16/2020 2:12 PM
27	Diversity of papers and authors.	12/16/2020 1:53 PM
28	Good session, good discussant	12/16/2020 1:28 PM
29	The recorded videos. It allows one to view many of the sessions that were missed.	12/16/2020 1:09 PM

30	The topics were interesting and related to my field.	12/16/2020 1:00 PM
31	Program	12/16/2020 12:08 PM
32	The pre-recorded video gave me more time to focus on the chats coming in while my video was playing. I also liked the comment from my discussant and other participants.	12/16/2020 11:55 AM
33	ease of navigation, ability to see video later, good quality presentations	12/16/2020 11:38 AM
34	The meet the authors sessions were great. I liked the relaxed atmosphere.	12/16/2020 11:28 AM
35	Excellent set of papers and questions from the audience.	12/16/2020 11:27 AM
36	I thought the conference was well organised and I enjoyed the chance to discuss with the authors of the papers after the sessions.	12/16/2020 11:22 AM
37	I think the virtual platform created for the conference was well done. There were a few glitches but in the short time available to make this conference virtual, I was impressed with what was created. I thought the new format of recording the presentations ahead of time was a great idea. I recorded my presentation and was able to be fully present in the session without worrying about presenting live. The discussion on my paper was also very useful. I also liked how the posters were presented with the live chat from the authors. There were some connectivity issues a times which did not allow the authors to respond to questions.	12/14/2020 2:55 PM
38	The content, and not too big, possibility of viewing recordings	12/14/2020 9:33 AM
39	The organization and definitely de quality of multiple documents presented, as I got to know top-notch research in poverty	12/13/2020 4:19 PM
40	The quality of the organization and professionalisme of the moderators and panel members ; The promptitude and effectivity of the technical assistance.	12/12/2020 4:00 PM
41	I liked the punctuality in the schedules of the different sessions.	12/12/2020 12:46 AM
42	Meet the authors was great - I joined a few where I wasn't a participant, and I didn't see a ton of others doing that. Maybe next time these could just directly follow (in the same virtual room) the presentations/discussions. Virtual poster sessions were also well set-up. A few didn't have the authors present, and I wonder if there were technical issues, but great concept.	12/11/2020 10:07 PM
43	Pre-recorded presentations. Easy to navigate through the website and create my own agenda. Meet the presenters sessions.	12/11/2020 8:39 PM
44	The website is very infromative. And we can also watch the recoded video later which is very convenient.	12/11/2020 8:18 PM
45	Website is terrific, recording presentations, and communications from organizers and chairs	12/11/2020 7:43 PM
46	Recorded presentations. It worked very well!	12/11/2020 7:31 PM
47	1-the interactions 2-way how the auhors are presenting 3-Discussions	12/11/2020 6:59 PM
48	the presentations of the papers that was pre-recorded to avoid technical issues of the "live". All the information about new data sources as Facebook and options as IPUMS.	12/11/2020 6:49 PM
49	The high-quality feedback I received on my paper from the discussant and chair	12/11/2020 5:19 PM
50	Feedback to authors	12/11/2020 5:17 PM
51	Overall it was fruitful. Authors presented very nicely.	12/11/2020 5:11 PM
52	Openning Session My Session Closing Session Peer to Peer Meeting	12/11/2020 4:38 PM
53	The conference was great!	12/11/2020 4:24 PM
54	Very well organized and systematic and communicate all the information in advance. Nice arrangement in the live sessions and discussion.	12/11/2020 4:13 PM
55	The conference interface page was so well done, I love the 3D illusion and getting to the session was so easy, it gave me an experience that seemed like in-person	12/11/2020 3:48 PM
56	The paper presented and the discussion	12/11/2020 3:34 PM
57	Excellent admin support and communication from Paul and Peggy. And, excellent high quality speakers who I felt could engage with me about my work.	12/11/2020 3:28 PM
58	Panel discussions, keynotes, meet author	12/11/2020 3:28 PM

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59	Good Attempt to be virtual. Optimum use of technology. We can ask for more but effort of IUSSP and organisers were encouraging. Quality of papers was very good.	12/11/2020 3:22 PM
60	The quality of papers presented. The authors also knew their stuff	12/11/2020 3:17 PM
61	Excellent organization and warm and supportive environment	12/11/2020 3:13 PM

## Q15 What did you like least about the conference?

Answered: 56 Skipped: 39

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Because of clashes in my schedule, I wasn't able to attend the two plenaries which most interested me - this simply indicates that it is easier to capitulate to competing claims on one's time when a conference is remote.	1/6/2021 11:01 AM
2	N/A	12/29/2020 2:36 PM
3	There were too many emails being sent that at one point I was confused about which email was the most important (e.g. to refer to for login credentials, zoom link etc.)	12/29/2020 11:41 AM
4	None	12/29/2020 5:53 AM
5	I was very surprised that on one regular session where there were few participants, we were all given the role of "speaker" (I think that was the term) by the technical moderator when we joined. I thought that was an error at first, because in a previous regular session I had not been given that option, and did not expect it. Eventually someone explained in the chat (where I had posed the question) that since so few people had joined, everyone had the right to have video and audio authorized. Being in my pajamas, I definitely didn't want video! Though if I had had a question, I wouldn't have minded speaking up. My main point is that it was a surprise - if I missed the explanation that people listening to some regular sessions would not be given access and people listening to others might be, then the recommendation is to make that clearer. If it wasn't explained (or even if it was), then I recommend that if someone joins and is given full audio and video rights, the technical moderator should explain from the beginning to each person that it's because there are few people. It's too bad that there were so few people in that session I attended; I hope others are listening to the recording.	12/28/2020 8:29 PM
6	Virtual conference was a strain on my time as I had the semester and teaching going on at the same time.	12/28/2020 7:00 PM
7	Amount of emails...	12/28/2020 3:56 PM
8	I can mention anything that I did not like.	12/20/2020 5:47 PM
9	The fact that we were not able to see and interact with conference participants.	12/19/2020 8:56 AM
10	Poster session	12/18/2020 1:59 PM
11	There were too many emails saying the same thing. Even though I appreciate reminders, it got to a point that it was too confusing to follow. Having two sessions per oral presentation was not great. In other words, it should be able to do the presentation and "meet the authors" on the same zoom link.	12/17/2020 7:05 PM
12	The time difference with American countries.	12/17/2020 6:37 PM
13	The inability to meet in person limited my concentration	12/17/2020 12:42 PM
14	Some regular sessions had audio issues	12/17/2020 2:54 AM
15	The difficulty in retaining audience numbers...likely due to the virtual format and differences in time zones (?)	12/17/2020 1:14 AM
16	Response time	12/16/2020 8:46 PM
17	I have many difficulty to navigate in porter session	12/16/2020 7:10 PM
18	Besides being online due to covid, I did not like that we could not see the audience (their video feed).	12/16/2020 5:25 PM
19	little personal interaction	12/16/2020 4:44 PM
20	Nothing as such. I did not have a good internet connection, and that is where I faced some problems	12/16/2020 4:32 PM
21	I wish there was more time for Q and A and interaction with the participants.	12/16/2020 4:26 PM
22	It coincided with another virtual conference (ALAP).	12/16/2020 2:12 PM
23	Difficult online, but not much audience engagement	12/16/2020 1:53 PM
24	-The website was very difficult to navigate -There were too many emails on organization and logistics, it was extremely confusing and time-consuming	12/16/2020 1:28 PM
25	Unable to access information after presentation	12/16/2020 1:00 PM
26	Recorded sessions	12/16/2020 12:08 PM

27	None that I can think of	12/16/2020 11:55 AM
28	Easy to get distracted in a virtual event, presentations went very fast.	12/16/2020 11:38 AM
29	We received far too many emails for this conference.	12/16/2020 11:28 AM
30	The platform was confusing.	12/16/2020 11:27 AM
31	The poster session was not at all useful. There was hardly any attendance. The communication for setting up the poster was confusing. Preparing the poster and uploading it (after understanding how to upload it) took more time and effort than actually presenting the poster. Then in the poster session, there were hardly any attendees, making the effort futile.	12/16/2020 11:22 AM
32	I'm sorry the poster sessions only allowed for text chat, as a video meeting would have been better for back-and-forth discussion.	12/16/2020 11:22 AM
33	I felt I was not given a lot of time to read the paper that I was assigned to discuss in my session. The paper was also very long (64 pages) so perhaps a page limit should be assigned in the future. There was no way to know who had attended the conference. Would have been nice to see a list of registered attendees so that we can connect and network with our colleagues.	12/14/2020 2:55 PM
34	Virtual aspects , times of sessions	12/14/2020 9:33 AM
35	The lack of a comfortable environment to interact with others (natural limitation of virtual conferences ). Also, it seems that my discussant did not take the time to read the paper beforehand.	12/13/2020 4:19 PM
36	Some (event though small) delays in the begining of sessions and some mysfunctions of the Conference's plateforme.	12/12/2020 4:00 PM
37	I did not like the fact that the conference was not bilingual because I come from a French-speaking country. I had some difficulty expressing my thoughts in English.	12/12/2020 12:46 AM
38	Too many (long) emails, often repetitive. I then couldn't always find the right email containing the link/schedule/information needed, because I had to sift through so many.	12/11/2020 10:07 PM
39	Poster sessions. I would prefer to video chat with poster presenters. Also, poster presenters should be encouraged to prepare their posters more graphically. Some posters were too wordy.	12/11/2020 8:39 PM
40	If there are some manuals to use this website, it'll be much better.	12/11/2020 8:18 PM
41	It was great	12/11/2020 7:43 PM
42	Lack of participant engagement in discussion but I think this is a challenge in every virtual event.	12/11/2020 7:31 PM
43	1-The time to discuss and comment the papers was very little	12/11/2020 6:59 PM
44	Bad recordings and technical issues of some of the participats, but it is not really a problem, it is understandable.	12/11/2020 6:49 PM
45	I could not attend, since my username and password were not working. They never work if I want to log-in to the IUSSP webpage. I always have to select "Forgotten password" and select a new password. But the next time it does not work. It's always the same story. IUSSP log-in system is a disaster. I would ask you to fix it, but I'm sure that you wont. Very disappointed.	12/11/2020 5:53 PM
46	Not being able to see who else was attending a session Not having proper Q&A time - it was frustrating to feel like I couldn't participate as a guest apart from typing questions that did not receive proper answers, or, as a presenter, that I couldn't ask questions of the other presenters	12/11/2020 5:19 PM
47	Too many e-mails	12/11/2020 5:17 PM
48	Some discussion was irrelevant. Otherwise it is okay.	12/11/2020 5:11 PM
49	Poster Session	12/11/2020 4:38 PM
50	The time allocated to the plenary session is short which could not allow the presenter to answer all the questions. I asked some questions François Bourguignon but he did not able to answer my questions because the time was up.	12/11/2020 4:24 PM
51	There are too many emails communicate and providing instruction which sometimes miss and create confusion. Also for the general population attendance should be easier way with	12/11/2020 4:13 PM

single registration link only otherwise audience will be very limited due to complexity of entering the session.

52	The email communication was overwhelming, since I had been travelling with poor connectivity, I had a difficult time following the many emails, but the team was very responsive and provided help whenever I reached out to clarify the things I had missed.	12/11/2020 3:48 PM
53	That it was online! Unfortunately virtual interaction is no substitute for the real thing. Better an online conference than no conference though.	12/11/2020 3:28 PM
54	Isolation of attendees not on panel. Days too long.	12/11/2020 3:28 PM
55	Lack of interaction among the participants, live interactions can be more lively, and bit advance recording for some more discussion.	12/11/2020 3:22 PM
56	Too little time for discussion and Q&A	12/11/2020 3:13 PM



## Q16 Do you have any suggestions for improving the conference?

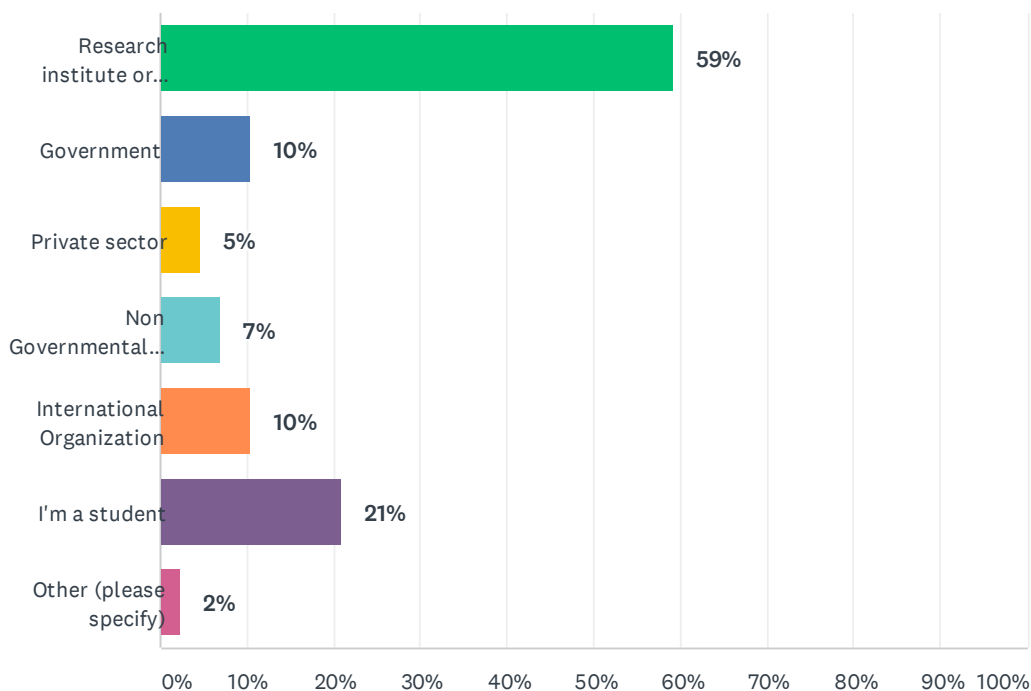
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1	I think in the parallel sessions, it would be best if the audience members were made full participants in Zoom, rather than passive observers.	1/6/2021 11:01 AM
2	easy way to access pre-recorded video lectures	12/31/2020 12:20 PM
3	To have virtual attendance as an option even when there are physical conferences.	12/30/2020 10:44 PM
4	The communications could be improved -- more timely and compact information could be given. There were many emails sent and I lost track of the different things I was supposed to do.	12/30/2020 6:19 PM
5	N/A	12/29/2020 2:36 PM
6	You could reduce the number of emails being sent.	12/29/2020 11:41 AM
7	No	12/29/2020 5:53 AM
8	Send just one or two emails explaining everything, perhaps with a video.	12/28/2020 3:56 PM
9	May be the poster session can be held not during the interval, but scheduled like regular sessions.	12/20/2020 5:47 PM
10	It would be great if there is a way to see and interact with conference participants while presenting our work.	12/19/2020 8:56 AM
11	See answers to previous questions.	12/17/2020 7:05 PM
12	No	12/17/2020 6:37 PM
13	I really was interested to get new skills on IPUMS. There was a session on the last day but the link was inactive. I hope there will be an opportunity to learn more about this. Thank you	12/17/2020 6:07 PM
14	Stipends for internet Consumption	12/17/2020 12:42 PM
15	More participants should be encouraged to attend	12/16/2020 8:46 PM
16	Maybe allow the presenters to "see" the audience. This might help increasing participation from the audience.	12/16/2020 5:25 PM
17	no	12/16/2020 4:44 PM
18	It is perfectly okay. Nothing better we can expect in virtual conferences	12/16/2020 4:32 PM
19	- always make sure that participants can see who the other participants in the session are; - always allow chats between participants and between participants and speakers/panelists - difference between Chat and Q&A functions needs to be made more clear (or have just one of these functions) - try to have a countdown clock for the participants, so they see when the session starts - if there is time, try to check the quality of the recorded video presentations (image, sound,length)	12/16/2020 2:12 PM
20	- Simplify and streamline communication - Make all sessions links available even if you didn't specifically sign up for a session, otherwise it's not possible to move between sessions	12/16/2020 1:28 PM
21	Members should be informed long before conference date.	12/16/2020 1:00 PM
22	No	12/16/2020 12:08 PM
23	no	12/16/2020 11:38 AM
24	lengthen presentation time	12/16/2020 11:28 AM
25	The platform could benefit from a simpler design: just an outline of the schedule with links embedded in each is enough I believe.	12/16/2020 11:27 AM
26	Other than those mentioned already? No.	12/16/2020 11:22 AM
27	Overall, this was good - much much better than cancelling the conference! Here are some suggestions for the IUSSP next year: (1) I would have preferred to see the list of participants attending (or online) at any given moment e.g. when I am logged in, I would like to see who else is logged in. (2) I would also prefer a chat function, with the participants who are online at any given moment. (3) It would also be nice to see the other participants in the live sessions, essentially making the list of participants open to all, instead of just the host and the co-host.	12/15/2020 5:48 PM
28	See my suggestions in question 15. Thank you and great work.	12/14/2020 2:55 PM

29	Providing to all attendees a zoom link for each session (opening, closing, plenary, regular, poster) and exhibitions Precisely for exhibitions, provide a virtual visite link.	12/12/2020 4:00 PM
30	I would like future conferences to be bilingual so that some researchers who wish to express themselves in French can do so without any problem.	12/12/2020 12:46 AM
31	Allow participants to see each other/chat, even in big sessions. One of the great things about PopPov has always been bringing together wonderful and thoughtful people who don't always have other chances to interact. Just to see names of people I knew or whose work I knew would have been enjoyable, and the opportunity to chat during these might have encouraged more of the P2P meetings to happen. I wonder if it's possible to encourage more P2P meetings. Maybe let people flag when they'll be free, if they are interested in talking to people more junior than they are, and encouraging especially the PhD students to sign up for slots. I am faculty and would have loved to talk to some grad students, but it felt like too much effort to read through bios to see who might be interested in talking to me.	12/11/2020 10:07 PM
32	Poster sessions.	12/11/2020 8:39 PM
33	Due to the conveniency of Zoom Webinar, maybe the conference can invite more scholars from other countries to share their latest research.	12/11/2020 8:18 PM
34	less pressure on presenters who may not want to post their ongoing work	12/11/2020 7:43 PM
35	It would be great to allocate more time for the authors to respond to the discussant comments as well as take questions from the audience. While the idea for a separate "Meet the Authors" session was well intended, the scheduling of a separate Zoom meeting room led to a lot of attrition in the audience, many of whom wanted to participate more in the discussion but who were then cut off once the main session ended. To this end, I would recommend that: 1. If a "Meet the Authors" session were to be held, the time for that session should be relatively shorter, and more time should be allocated to the main session. 2. The "Meet the Authors" session should be held in the same meeting room space as the main session. There are a lot of Zoom links for the conference as it is, and minimizing the number of links for participants and presenters by reducing the number of meeting rooms would go a long way.	12/11/2020 7:32 PM
36	1-To add time of discussions and comments 2- Before the conference start, to send all papers to the participants. This will help us to appreciate the studies and prepare some questions for the authors.	12/11/2020 6:59 PM
37	no, all was great.	12/11/2020 6:49 PM
38	Yes, fix the IUSSP log-in system.	12/11/2020 5:53 PM
39	Make more time for audience Q&A Allow attendees to ask questions live and to show their video when doing so	12/11/2020 5:19 PM
40	Keep on	12/11/2020 5:17 PM
41	No, it's okay for me.	12/11/2020 5:11 PM
42	Increasing the duration from 3 to 4 days to enable people to have more time to present and discussing papers.	12/11/2020 4:38 PM
43	Need to reduce the complexity of entering process and session wise single link should be provided to the audience/speaker and some zoom setting need to modify before the session. This will help to smoothly organized the main IUSSP conference to be held in 2021 in India.	12/11/2020 4:13 PM
44	Tone down the email communication and it can lead to more confusion.	12/11/2020 3:48 PM
45	Just keep up	12/11/2020 3:34 PM
46	Have different openings and closings targeted to different regions of the world. 3 to 5 Keynotes/High-level Panels at times that are convenient to specific different regions of the world.	12/11/2020 3:28 PM
47	No yet. Thanks	12/11/2020 3:22 PM
48	Was the best given the circumstances of COVID-19	12/11/2020 3:17 PM

### Q17 9. In which sector do you work?(Tick as many answers as apply)

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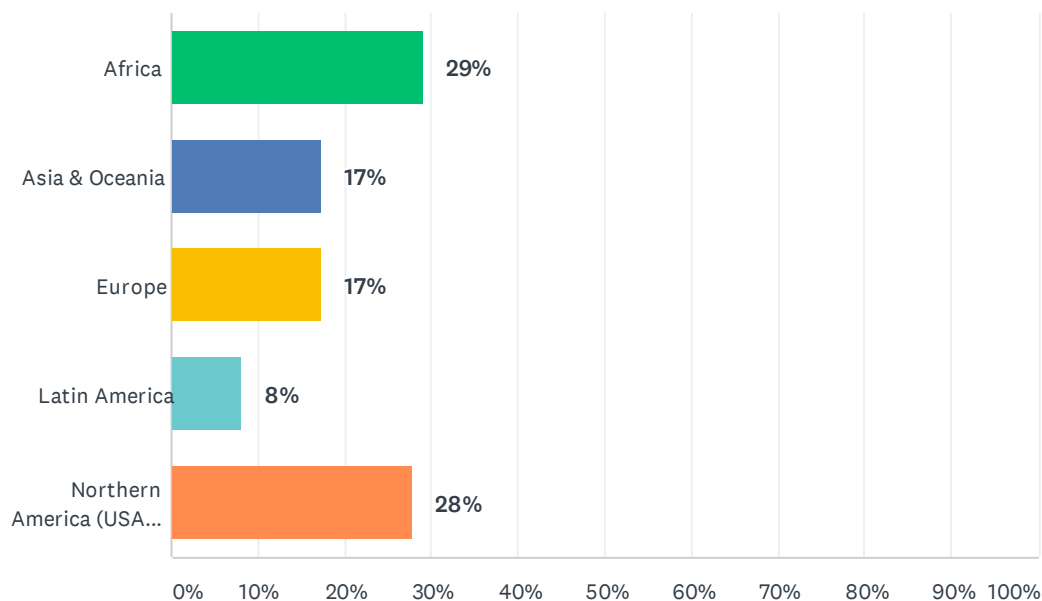


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Research institute or university	59%	51
Government	10%	9
Private sector	5%	4
Non Governmental Organization	7%	6
International Organization	10%	9
I'm a student	21%	18
Other (please specify)	2%	2
Total Respondents: 86		

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1	Undertaker	12/11/2020 7:02 PM
2	Development bank	12/11/2020 5:38 PM

### Q18 10. In which region do you reside?

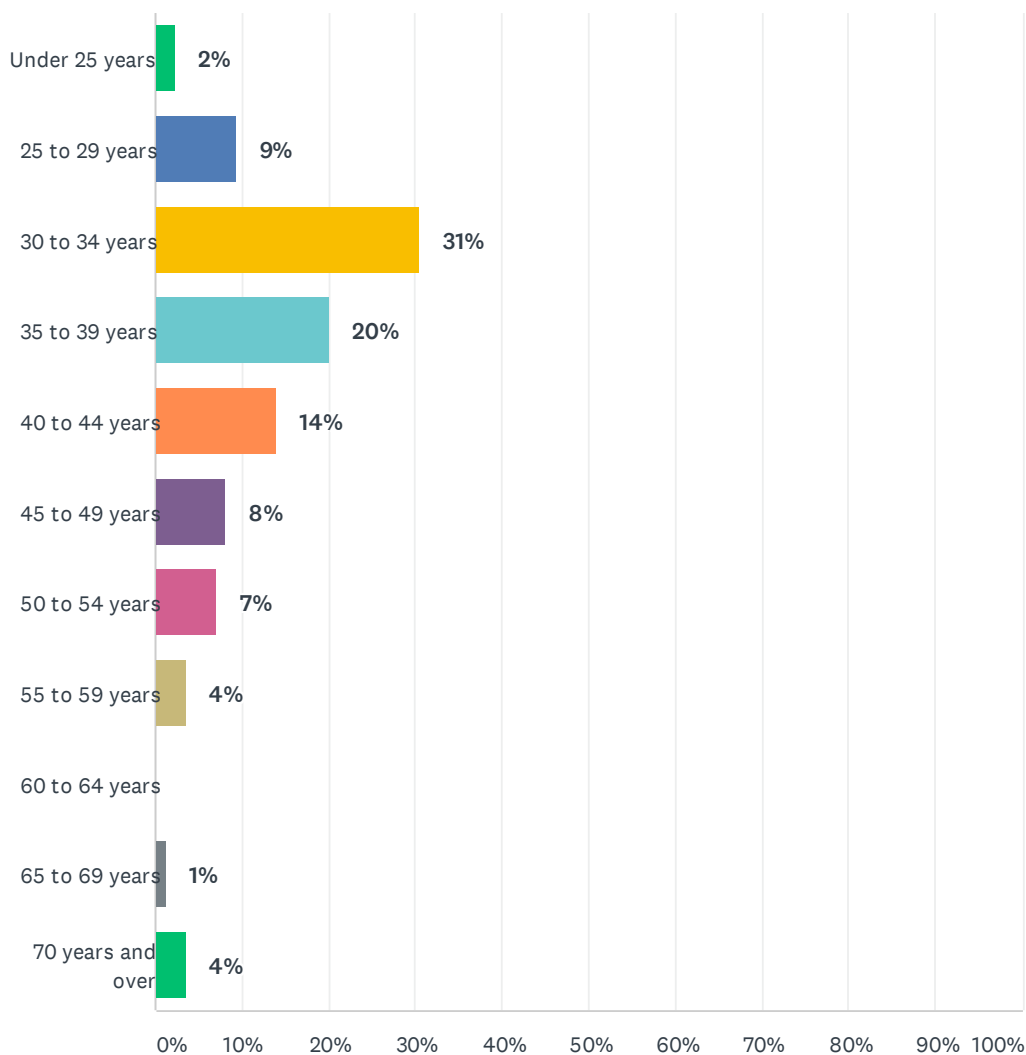
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Africa	29%	25
Asia & Oceania	17%	15
Europe	17%	15
Latin America	8%	7
Northern America (USA & Canada)	28%	24
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>86</b>

### Q19 11. What is your age group?

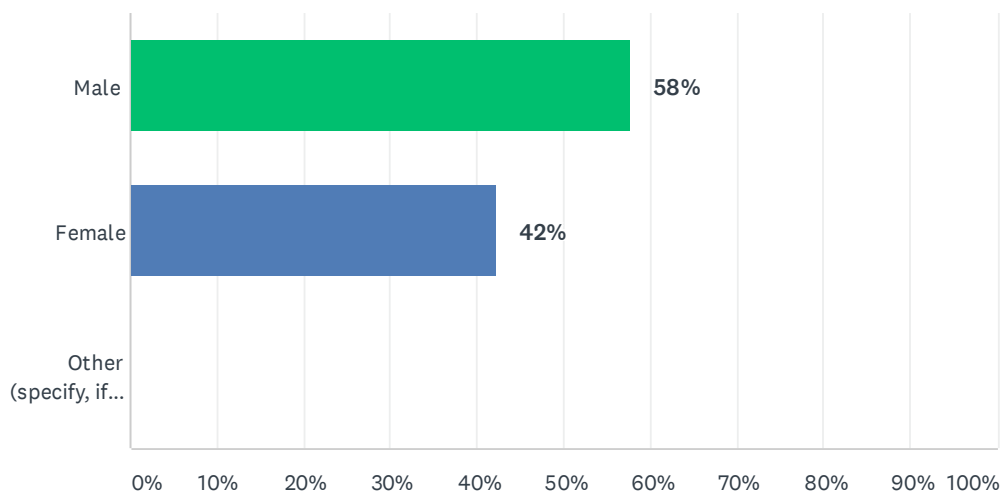
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Under 25 years	2%	2
25 to 29 years	9%	8
30 to 34 years	31%	26
35 to 39 years	20%	17
40 to 44 years	14%	12
45 to 49 years	8%	7
50 to 54 years	7%	6
55 to 59 years	4%	3
60 to 64 years	0%	0
65 to 69 years	1%	1
70 years and over	4%	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>85</b>

## Q20 12. What is your gender?

Answered: 85 Skipped: 10



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Male	58%	49
Female	42%	36
Other (specify, if you wish to)	0%	0
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>85</b>

#	OTHER (SPECIFY, IF YOU WISH TO)	DATE
	There are no responses.	