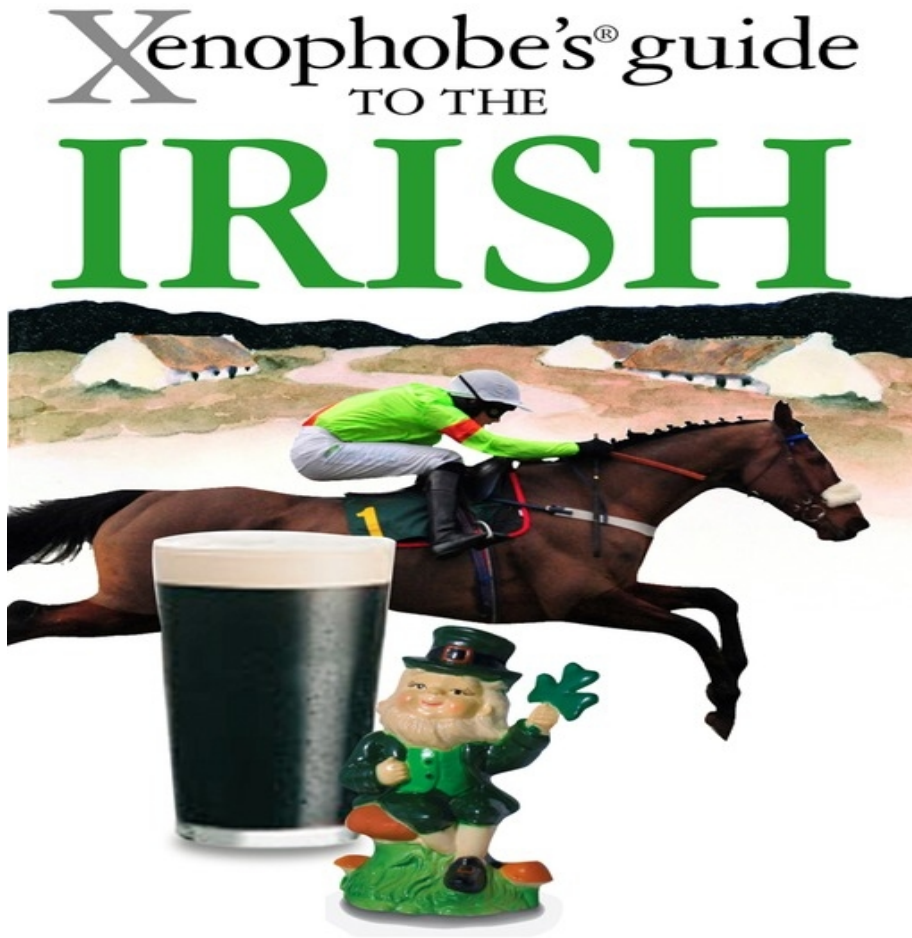


HARRPERS ABROAD



BUILDING THE REST OF THE WORLD





Xenophobia:

- “an irrational fear of foreigners, probably justified, always understandable.”
- To understand who you are abroad it helps to understand where you've come from.
- “The craic”
- “Losing the run of your self”
- “The weather”

Being a Harper Abroad - BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Profiling Harper Emigration, Migration and Return (Emigrant/ Migrant survey): BACKGROUND INFORMATION

In recent years, Ireland/ The Harpers have experienced a marked increase in emigration. As part of a project entitled 'Being a Harper Abroad', we are trying to explain why. We would very much appreciate your cooperation in developing this project. The information that you give will be treated in the strictest confidence, and will be used for research and entertainment purposes only. Under no circumstances will your details be passed on to a third party (outside of the family), without your prior consent. The survey should take approximately 10-15 minutes to complete, you'd better put on a cup of tea!

It relates to emigration and your plans for the future. The information that we are gathering in this survey will be of great value in understanding issues relating to emigration, migration and reintegration in the past, today and in the future and the attitudes of family like you. If you would like to find out more about our project, please go to <http://harperfamily.ie/> or e-mail rogerdharper@yahoo.ie

Thank you so much for your participation.

***1. NOTE (Real Name optional, you may use a Pseudonym/ Nickname, Please use same "name" on all survey pages)**

If you would you be willing to discuss these issues in more detail during the seminar, please provide your contact details:

Name:

Email Address:

Phone Number:

***2. Are you male or female?**

☐ Male

☐ Female

***3. What is your place of birth?**

If born on island of Ireland, please write in the COUNTY. If you were born outside of Ireland, please write in the COUNTRY.

***4. What is your nationality?**

If you have more than one nationality, please declare all of them.

☐ Irish

Other

***5. What age category are you in?**

- ☐ 15-19
- ☒ 20-24
- ☐ 25-29
- ☐ 30-34
- ☐ 35-49
- ☐ 50-54
- ☐ 55-59
- ☐ 60-64
- ☐ 65+

***6. Did you grow up in a:**

- ☐ City
- ☐ Suburb
- ☐ Town
- ☐ Rural village
- ☐ Rural townland

***7. Did either of your parents ever live outside Ireland for over 1 year?**

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

**8. If your father /mother moved abroad for over 1 year, please provide details.
e.g.Location(s), year(s), and any other information that you think is relevant**

REASONS FOR LEAVING

***1. Name/ Pseudonym/ Nickname**

***2. What year did you leave Ireland?**

- ☐ Circa 1845
- ☐ Pre 1960
- ☐ Pre 1999
- ☐ Pre 2002
- ☐ 2003
- ☐ 2004
- ☐ 2005
- ☐ 2006
- ☐ 2007
- ☐ 2008
- ☐ 2009
- ☐ 2010
- ☐ 2011
- ☐ 2012
- ☐ 2013

***3. What was the MAIN reason you left Ireland?**

Push factors (you may mark several)

- ☐ The Weather
- ☐ Lack of employment or entrepreneurial opportunities
- ☐ Lack of political choice
- ☐ Persecution or intolerance based on race, religion, sex or sexual orientation
- ☐ Lack of freedom to choose religion, or to choose no religion
- ☐ Shortage of farmland; hard to start new farms (historically)
- ☐ Oppressive legal/political conditions
- ☐ Struggling or Failing economy
- ☐ Military draft, warfare
- ☐ Potato Famine
- ☐ Drought
- ☐ Cultural fights with other cultural groups
- ☐ Expulsion by armed force or coercion
- ☐ Poor Medical Care
- ☐ Not enough jobs
- ☐ Few opportunities
- ☐ Primitive Conditions
- ☐ Political fear
- ☐ Fear of torture and mistreatment
- ☐ Religious discrimination
- ☐ Loss of wealth
- ☐ Natural disasters
- ☐ Bullying
- ☐ Lower chances of finding courtship /genetic diversity

Other (please specify)

***4. What was the MAIN reason you left Ireland?**

Pull Factors (you may mark several)

- ☐ Escape
- ☐ Missionary /Aid Worker
- ☐ Better opportunities for acquiring farms for self and children
- ☐ Cheap purchase of farmland
- ☐ More job opportunities
- ☐ Better Medical Care/ welfare/ schools
- ☐ Join friends and relatives who have already moved
- ☐ Build specific cultural communities Cultural richness
- ☐ Political or religious freedom
- ☐ Better living standards /Enjoyment
- ☐ Education
- ☐ Travel/ experience another culture
- ☐ Lower crime/ Security
- ☐ Better chances of finding courtship/ Love

Other (please specify)

***5. Did you leave Ireland MAINLY because:**

- ☐ You wanted to
- ☐ You had to

***6. Before you left Ireland, how would you have described your employment status?**

- ☐ Working full-time
- ☐ Working part-time
- ☐ Long-term Unemployed (more than 1 year)
- ☐ Short-term Unemployed (less than 1 year)
- ☐ Student
- ☐ Looking after home/family
- ☐ Retired

Other (please specify)

***7. What age category were you in when you first moved abroad?**

- ☐ 0-18
- ☐ 18-25
- ☐ 25-35
- ☐ 35-45
- ☐ 45-55
- ☐ 55-65
- ☐ 65+

***8. Have you moved abroad more than once?**

☐ Yes

☐ No

***9. If yes how many times?**

☐ Does not apply

☐ 1

☐ 2

☐ 3

Other (please specify)

***10. Approximately what percentage of your life have you lived abroad?**

i.e. 10%

PRE & POST-MIGRATION EXPERIENCE

***1. Name/ Pseudonym/ Nickname**

***2. On a scale of 1 to 10, where 1 is the lowest and 10 is the highest, how would you rate your quality of life in Ireland before departure?**

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
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***3. On a scale of 1 to 10, where 1 is the lowest and 10 is the highest, how would rate your quality of life abroad?**

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
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***4. Where are you currently based?**

- ☐ Australia
- ☐ Canada
- ☐ Mozambique
- ☐ New Zealand
- ☐ Norway
- ☐ Sweden
- ☐ UK
- ☐ United States
- ☐ Zimbabwe

Other (please specify)

***5. How long did it take you to find a job abroad?**

- ☐ I am not working
- ☐ My job was organised before my arrival
- ☐ Less than 1 week
- ☐ Less than 2 weeks
- ☐ Less than 1 month
- ☐ Less than 2 months

Other (please specify)

***6. Did Irish contacts help you to find a job abroad?**

- ☐ I am not working
- ☐ Yes, Irish friends from home
- ☐ Yes, Irish people I met since my arrival
- ☐ Yes, an Irish employer
- ☐ No

Other (please specify)

***7. Did Irish contacts help you to find somewhere to live abroad?**

- ☐ Yes, Irish friends from home
- ☐ Yes, Irish people I met since my arrival
- ☐ Yes, an Irish employer
- ☐ No

Other (please specify)

***8. For respondents living outside the EU, do you have:**

Respondents living within the EU should skip to Q 10

- ☐ Does not apply
- ☐ Permanent status to remain
- ☐ Sponsorship to remain
- ☐ A fixed term visa
- ☐ A tourist visa
- ☐ A working-holiday visa
- ☐ An expired visa

Other (please specify)

***9. Have you ever lived for over one year in another country outside Ireland that is different to the one you reside in now?**

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

If Yes (please specify)

***10. In the property you currently reside in, do you live:**

- ☐ With child/children
- ☐ With parent(s)
- ☐ With other family member(s)
- ☐ With housemates/flatmates
- ☐ With partner
- ☐ With spouse

Other (please specify)

Life Abroad

*1. Name/ Pseudonym/ Nickname

*2. Please state to what extent the following apply to you.

| | Never | Rarely | Sometimes | Often | Very often |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Do you socialise with Irish people? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Do you socialise with people from the country you are currently living in? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Do you socialise with other, non-Irish, immigrants? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Do you participate in organised local community activity (e.g. sport, music, culture)? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Do you participate in organised Irish community activity (e.g. sport, music, culture)? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Do you read Irish newspapers online? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Do you watch Irish news/ TV online? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Do you listen to Irish radio stations? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Do you buy Irish foods online or where you live? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Do you phone friends and family in Ireland? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Do you skype/ Voip/ Facetime friends and family in Ireland? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Do you text/SMS friends and family in Ireland? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Do you email your friends and family in Ireland? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Do you keep in contact with friends and family in Ireland via social network sites? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Do you feel accepted by local people where you live. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

***3. Are you more or less interested in Irish things since moving abroad?**

| | Less | Same | Not sure | More |
|------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Food and Drink | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| St.Paddys day | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Music | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Dance | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Sport | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Green things | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| All things Irish | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

Other (please specify)

***4. Family status:**

(please feel to choose more than one box if necessary)

- ☐ Married
- ☐ Partner
- ☐ Widowed
- ☐ Divorced
- ☐ Separated
- ☐ Single

Other (please specify)

***5. If you are married or with a long-term partner, is this person:**

- ☐ Does not apply
- ☐ Irish
- ☐ A citizen of the country in which you reside

Other (please specify)

***6. How many children do you have?**

- ☐ 0
- ☐ 1
- ☐ 2
- ☐ 3
- ☐ 4
- ☐ 5
- ☐ 6
- ☐ 7
- ☐ 8
- ☐ 9
- ☐ 10+

if more than 10 (please specify)

***7. Are all your children currently living in the same country as you?**

- ☐ Does not apply
- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

THE QUESTION OF RETURN

***1. Name/ Pseudonym/ Nickname**

***2. On average, do you return to Ireland, AT LEAST:**

- ☐ Once every fortnight
- ☐ Once a month
- ☐ Once every two months
- ☐ Several times a year
- ☐ Once a year
- ☐ Once every two or three years
- ☐ Once every five years
- ☐ Only for the Reunions
- ☐ Never

***3. Would you like to return to live in Ireland in the next three years?**

- ☐ A great deal
- ☐ Quite a lot
- ☐ Undecided
- ☐ Not that much
- ☐ Not at all

***4. How likely is it that you will return to live in Ireland in the next three years?**

- ☐ Unlikely
- ☐ Not sure
- ☐ Likely
- ☐ Very likely

***5. If you selected 'Likely' or 'Very likely', do you think you would return to live in an Irish:**

- ☐ Suburb
- ☐ Town
- ☐ Rural village
- ☐ Rural townland
- ☐ Not sure

***6. If you already have children or think you will have children in future, would you like to raise them in Ireland?**

- ☐ A great deal
- ☐ Quite a lot
- ☐ Undecided
- ☐ Not that much
- ☐ Not at all
- ☐ Does not apply

***7. Would improvements to the Irish economy increase your chances of returning to live in Ireland?**

- ☐ A great deal
- ☐ Quite a lot
- ☐ Undecided
- ☐ Not that much
- ☐ Not at all

***8. For respondents with a visa of a fixed duration (e.g. a 1 or 2 year work visa), do you intend to:**


- ☐ Does not apply
- ☐ Extend your visa if possible
- ☐ Return to Ireland when visa expires
- ☐ Migrate to another country when visa expires
- ☐ Stay no matter what

9. SURVEY FEEDBACK

Is there anything that you would like to add that the survey did not capture?

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| Phil Harper 4/4/2013 13:23 | hazel edith harper 24/3/2013 1:40 View Responses | Mark Alcorn 19/3/2013 3:48 | Caroline Delves 16/3/2013 17:29 | | |
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| Ruth Taylor 2/4/2013 15:03 | Gwin 21/3/2013 20:19 View Responses | David Alcorn 19/3/2013 0:26 | Mark Harper 10/3/2013 19:40 | | |
| Cheryl Smith 28/3/2013 0:09 | Maeve 20/3/2013 2:43 View Responses | Ronald Harper 18/3/2013 23:03 | Linda Harper 9/3/2013 17:25 \ | | |
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| Phone Number: Show Responses | | | | 79.2% | 19 |
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3. What is your place of birth? If born on island of Ireland, please write in the COUNTY. If you were  Download
born outside of Ireland, please write in the COUNTRY.

Response

Count

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Responses (24)

Text Analysis

My Categories (0)

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| Belfast, County Antrim 28/3/2013 0:09 View Responses | Belfast 20/3/2013 2:43 | kilkenny 18/3/2013 23:03 | Kilkenny 9/3/2013 17:25 |

answered question

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4. What is your nationality? If you have more than one nationality, please declare all of them. [Create Chart](#) [Download](#)

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| Irish | <div></div> | 100.0% | 24 |
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| USA 25/3/2013 16:08 View Responses | Canadian 19/3/2013 20:52 |
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| Canadian 19/3/2013 20:52 View Responses | British 19/3/2013 0:26 |
| British 19/3/2013 2:29 View Responses | US 9/3/2013 17:25 |

answered question 24

skipped question 0






5. What age category are you in?

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| 15-19 | | 0.0% | 0 |
| 20-24 | | 8.3% | 2 |
| 25-29 | | 25.0% | 6 |
| 30-34 | | 4.2% | 1 |
| 35-49 | | 33.3% | 8 |
| 50-54 | | 0.0% | 0 |
| 55-59 | | 4.2% | 1 |
| 60-64 | | 12.5% | 3 |
| 65+ | | 12.5% | 3 |
| answered question | | | 24 |
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6. Did you grow up in a:

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| City |  | 12.5% | 3 |
| Suburb |  | 12.5% | 3 |
| Town |  | 20.8% | 5 |
| Rural village |  | 16.7% | 4 |
| Rural townland |  | 54.2% | 13 |
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7. Did either of your parents ever live outside Ireland for over 1 year?

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| Yes |  | 29.2% | 7 |
| No |  | 70.8% | 17 |
| answered question | | | 24 |
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8. If your father /mother moved abroad for over 1 year, please provide details. e.g.Location(s), year(s), and any other information that you think is relevant

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Responses (7)

Text Analysis

My Categories (0)

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Mother came from England

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Mother lived outside Ireland (Japan, Canada, Africa before the age of 11.

4/4/2013 13:23 [View Responses](#)

We lived abroad, as a whole family, for 5 years in The Netherlands, (approx 1986-1991: But my mum Dorothy Smith (nee Harper) would probably know more accurately!)

28/3/2013 0:09 [View Responses](#)

Before marriage, my mother lived in Uk x 3 years.

24/3/2013 1:40 [View Responses](#)

Mother - born abroad to missionary family. Brought back age 11 to N.Ireland.

21/3/2013 20:19 [View Responses](#)

Mother studied in Bible College in Scotland (think it was WEC) You'd need to ask her about dates etc. She also trained to be a nurse in Northern Ireland but of course we all know that is not abroad!

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Mother trained as a nurse in Kingslinn

18/3/2013 23:03 [View Responses](#)

answered question

7

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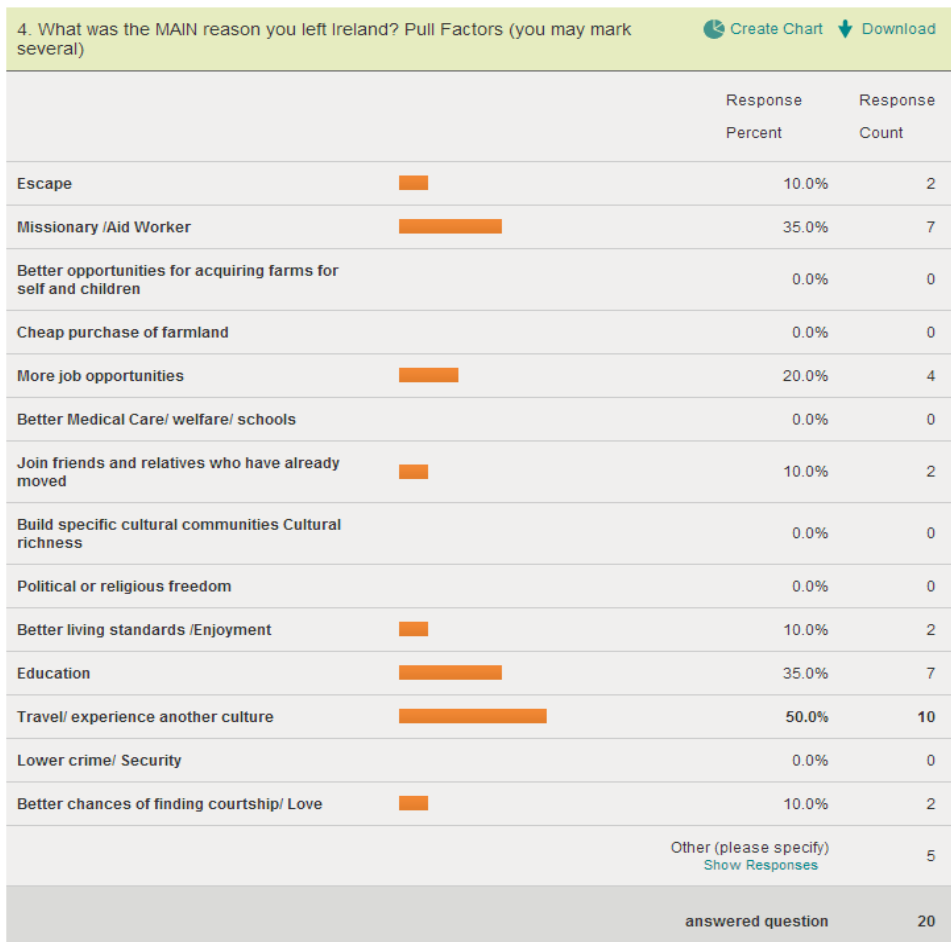
2. What year did you leave Ireland?


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| skipped question | | | 0 |

| | | | | |
|---|--|---|--|--|
| 3. What was the MAIN reason you left Ireland? Push factors (you may mark several) | | Create Chart Download | The weather didn't really have anything to do with it!! The survey wouldn't accept me just writing something in the other box without ticking one of the above!!! I felt in need of a change, and God started putting Australia on my heart 28/3/2013 1:21 View Responses | |
| | | Response Percent | Response Count | Girlfriend 21/3/2013 20:48 View Responses |
| The Weather | <div></div> | 35.0% | 7 | No push just a pull but options above force a choice 19/3/2013 0:56 View Responses |
| Lack of employment or entrepreneurial opportunities | <div></div> | 30.0% | 6 | |
| Lack of political choice | | 0.0% | 0 | Fear of being trapped in a cultural bubble. 19/3/2013 0:44 View Responses |
| Persecution or intolerance based on race, religion, sex or sexual orientation | | 0.0% | 0 | |
| Lack of freedom to choose religion, or to choose no religion | | 0.0% | 0 | missionary 18/3/2013 23:19 View Responses |
| Shortage of farmland; hard to start new farms (historically) | | 0.0% | 0 | |
| Oppressive legal/political conditions | <div></div> | 5.0% | 1 | tagged along with sister and friend. 17/3/2013 7:18 View Responses |
| Struggling or Failing economy | <div></div> | 10.0% | 2 | |
| Military draft, warfare | | 0.0% | 0 | Study - lack of Bible Colleges at the time 16/3/2013 17:35 View Responses |
| Potato Famine | <div></div> | 5.0% | 1 | |
| Drought | <div></div> | 5.0% | 1 | Met and married an Englishman 12/3/2013 15:23 View Responses |
| Cultural fights with other cultural groups | | 0.0% | 0 | |
| Expulsion by armed force or coercion | <div></div> | 5.0% | 1 | I didn't want to choose the one above but it wouldn't not let me only have an other! These are all negative. I left out of choice to volunteer with a mission organisation in Mozambique 10/3/2013 21:33 View Responses |
| Poor Medical Care | | 0.0% | 0 | |
| Not enough jobs | <div></div> | 5.0% | 1 | To see some more of the world after college 9/3/2013 17:28 View Responses |
| Few opportunities | <div></div> | 35.0% | 7 | |
| Primitive Conditions | <div></div> | 5.0% | 1 | |
| Political fear | | 0.0% | 0 | |
| Fear of torture and mistreatment | | 0.0% | 0 | |
| Religious discrimination | | 0.0% | 0 | |
| Loss of wealth | | 0.0% | 0 | |
| Natural disasters | <div></div> | 5.0% | 1 | |
| Bullying | | 0.0% | 0 | |
| Lower chances of finding courtship /genetic diversity | <div></div> | 30.0% | 6 | |
| | Other (please specify) Show Responses | | 10 | |
| | | answered question | 20 | |
| | | skipped question | 0 | |



Felt God calling me to go

28/3/2013 1:21 [View Responses](#)

The pursuit of epic windsurfing!!

23/3/2013 0:09 [View Responses](#)

Married an English woman and moved to England for her to complete her legal qualifications.

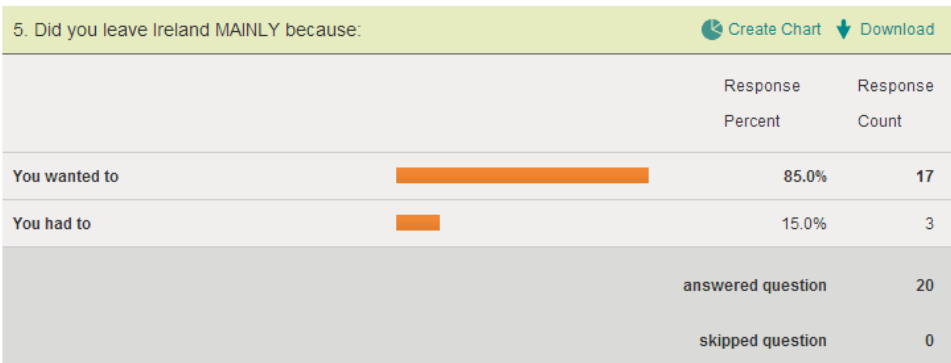
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Married someone from another country

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Husbands job was in the uk but he did get some work in Irl for a year.

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6. Before you left Ireland, how would you have described your employment status?

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| | | Response Percent | Response Count |
|--|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| Working full-time |  | 45.0% | 9 |
| Working part-time |  | 5.0% | 1 |
| Long-term Unemployed (more than 1 year) | | 0.0% | 0 |
| Short-term Unemployed (less than 1 year) |  | 10.0% | 2 |
| Student |  | 40.0% | 8 |
| Looking after home/family | | 0.0% | 0 |
| Retired | | 0.0% | 0 |
| Other (please specify) Hide Responses | | | 1 |
| <div>Responses (1)Text AnalysisMy Categories (0)</div> | | | |

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working full -time then made redundant

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7. What age category were you in when you first moved abroad?



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| | | Response Percent | Response Count |
|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| 0-18 | | 0.0% | 0 |
| 18-25 | <div></div> | 55.0% | 11 |
| 25-35 | <div></div> | 40.0% | 8 |
| 35-45 | <div></div> | 5.0% | 1 |
| 45-55 | | 0.0% | 0 |
| 55-65 | | 0.0% | 0 |
| 65+ | | 0.0% | 0 |
| answered question | | | 20 |
| skipped question | | | 0 |

8. Have you moved abroad more than once?





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| | | Response Percent | Response Count |
|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Yes | <div></div> | 40.0% | 8 |
| No | <div></div> | 60.0% | 12 |
| answered question | | | 20 |
| skipped question | | | 0 |

9. If yes how many times?

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| | | Response Percent | Response Count |
|--|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| Does not apply |  | 60.0% | 12 |
| 1 | | 0.0% | 0 |
| 2 |  | 25.0% | 5 |
| 3 |  | 15.0% | 3 |
| Other (please specify) Hide Responses | | | 3 |
| <div> Responses (3) Text Analysis My Categories (0) </div> | | | |

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Spent 5 months abroad on "gap year" before settling abroad for study purposes

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Worked in Canada after leaving school, also studied abroad and ultimately emigrated to the UK having married an English lass that I met in Spain on a mission team.

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only once

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10. Approximately what percentage of your life have you lived abroad?

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| Response Average | Response Total | Response Count |
|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------|

i.e. 10%

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33.80

676

20

Responses (20)

Text Analysis

My Categories (0)

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|----------------------|--|-----------------------|
| 16 4/4/2013 14:15 | 10 22/3/2013 13:16 s | 37 17/3/2013 7:18 |
| 48 4/4/2013 13:27 | +30 21/3/2013 20:48 s | 50 16/3/2013 17:35 |
| 44 4/4/2013 12:01 | 38 21/3/2013 20:27 s | 40 12/3/2013 15:23 |
| 40 28/3/2013 1:21 | 30 19/3/2013 3:56 s | 10 10/3/2013 21:33 |
| 50 24/3/2013 1:46 | 13 19/3/2013 2:34 s | 30 10/3/2013 20:05 |
| 38 23/3/2013 0:09 | 27 19/3/2013 0:56 s | 40 9/3/2013 17:28 |

answered question

20

skipped question


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2. On a scale of 1 to 10, where 1 is the lowest and 10 is the highest, how would you rate your quality of life in Ireland before departure?

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| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | Rating Average | Rating Count |
|--|-------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| | 0.0% (0) | 0.0% (0) | 5.0% (1) | 0.0% (0) | 5.0% (1) | 20.0% (4) | 25.0% (5) | 20.0% (4) | 25.0% (5) | 0.0% (0) | 7.20 | 20 |
| | answered question | | | | | | | | | | | 20 |
| | skipped question | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |

3. On a scale of 1 to 10, where 1 is the lowest and 10 is the highest, how would rate your quality of life abroad?

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| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | Rating Average | Rating Count |
|-------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|-------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| | 0.0% (0) | 0.0% (0) | 0.0% (0) | 0.0% (0) | 0.0% (0) | 5.0% (1) | 0.0% (0) | 35.0% (7) | 55.0% (11) | 5.0% (1) | 8.55 | 20 |
| answered question | | | | | | | | | | | | 20 |
| skipped question | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |

4. Where are you currently based?





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| | | Response Percent | Response Count |
|---|-------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| Australia | <div></div> | 15.0% | 3 |
| Canada | <div></div> | 10.0% | 2 |
| Mozambique | <div></div> | 10.0% | 2 |
| New Zealand | | 0.0% | 0 |
| Norway | <div></div> | 5.0% | 1 |
| Sweden | <div></div> | 5.0% | 1 |
| UK | <div></div> | 40.0% | 8 |
| United States | <div></div> | 10.0% | 2 |
| Zimbabwe | <div></div> | 5.0% | 1 |
| Other (please specify) | | | 1 |
| | | Hide Responses | |
| <div><div>Responses (1)</div><div>Text Analysis</div><div>My Categories (0)</div></div> | | | |
| Showing 1 text responses | | No responses selected | |
| Hawaii | | | |
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5. How long did it take you to find a job abroad?

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| | | Response Percent | Response Count |
|--|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| I am not working | | 0.0% | 0 |
| My job was organised before my arrival |  | 55.0% | 11 |
| Less than 1 week |  | 10.0% | 2 |
| Less than 2 weeks |  | 10.0% | 2 |
| Less than 1 month |  | 15.0% | 3 |
| Less than 2 months |  | 10.0% | 2 |
| Other (please specify) Hide Responses | | | 2 |
| <div> Responses (2) Text Analysis My Categories (0) </div> | | | |

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No responses selected

Student and then work.

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Not a "job" as such was organised: Came to mainland UK as an Undergraduate Student, took up a part-time job after 5months

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6. Did Irish contacts help you to find a job abroad?

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| | Response Percent | Response Count |
|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| I am not working | 0.0% | 0 |
| Yes, Irish friends from home | 20.0% | 4 |
| Yes, Irish people I met since my arrival | 0.0% | 0 |
| Yes, an Irish employer | 5.0% | 1 |
| No | 80.0% | 16 |
| Other (please specify) Hide Responses | | 1 |

Responses (1)

Text Analysis

My Categories (0)

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friend of a friend

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7. Did Irish contacts help you to find somewhere to live abroad?

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| | Response Percent | Response Count |
|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| Yes, Irish friends from home  | 15.0% | 3 |
| Yes, Irish people I met since my arrival | 0.0% | 0 |
| Yes, an Irish employer | 0.0% | 0 |
| No  | 85.0% | 17 |
| Other (please specify) Hide Responses | | 3 |
| <div>Responses (3) Text Analysis My Categories (0)</div> | | |

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| |
|--|
| friend 4/4/2013 12:03 View Responses |
| My employer helped find somewhere to live 23/3/2013 0:15 View Responses |
| it was already arranged 17/3/2013 7:22 View Responses |

8. For respondents living outside the EU, do you have: Respondents living within the EU should skip to Q 10





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| | | Response Percent | Response Count |
|----------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Does not apply | | 45.0% | 9 |
| Permanent status to remain | | 35.0% | 7 |
| Sponsorship to remain | | 10.0% | 2 |
| A fixed term visa | | 10.0% | 2 |
| A tourist visa | | 0.0% | 0 |
| A working-holiday visa | | 0.0% | 0 |
| An expired visa | | 0.0% | 0 |
| | Other (please specify) | | 0 |
| | answered question | | 20 |
| | skipped question | | 0 |

9. Have you ever lived for over one year in another country outside Ireland that is [Create Chart](#) [Download](#)
different to the one you reside in now?

| | Response Percent | Response Count |
|---|---|-------------------|
| Yes |  35.0% | 7 |
| No |  65.0% | 13 |
| If Yes (please specify) Hide Responses | | 8 |

Responses (8)

Text Analysis

My Categories (0)

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|---|---|
| Student in England 4/4/2013 12:03 View Responses | Lived in UK x 7 years 24/3/2013 1:50 View Responses |
| The Netherlands 28/3/2013 1:24 View Responses | Belgium 22/3/2013 16:01 View Responses |
| Lived in UK x 7 years 24/3/2013 1:50 View Responses | England 19/3/2013 3:59 View Responses |
| Belgium 22/3/2013 16:01 View Responses | Canada for a good part of a year 19/3/2013 1:02 View Responses |
| England 19/3/2013 3:59 View Responses | england 17/3/2013 7:22 View Responses |
| Canada for a good part of a year 19/3/2013 1:02 View Responses | just over a year in Canada 12/3/2013 15:27 View Responses |

answered question 20

skipped question 0

10. In the property you currently reside in, do you live:

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| | Response Percent | Response Count |
|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| With child/children | 45.0% | 9 |
| With parent(s) | 0.0% | 0 |
| With other family member(s) | 5.0% | 1 |
| With housemates/flatmates | 40.0% | 8 |
| With partner | 0.0% | 0 |
| With spouse | 60.0% | 12 |
| Other (please specify) Hide Responses | | 6 |
| <div> Responses (6) Text Analysis My Categories (0) </div> | | |

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Survey monkey wouldn't accept answer without ticking one of the above!!!! But I actually live by myself!!!
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With cat !
24/3/2013 1:50 [View Responses](#)

We have renters downstairs
23/3/2013 0:15 [View Responses](#)

alone
17/3/2013 7:22 [View Responses](#)

ANswer is NONE OF ABOVE but had to fill out to finish
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WHAT DID YOU MISS
MOST FROM HOME?
Your Mum's Cooking?
The angelus bells?
The banter?
..... etc.

Look after your immigrants,
you never know when you might be
one...