

Where and how do Europeans want to work Post-Pandemic?

After over a year of remote working, new insights* from Sharp reveal post-pandemic attitudes to the return to work. At a time when restrictions are starting to loosen in some countries, see how the attitudes of returning to the office differ for workers across Europe, and what factors would deter them from returning or help entice them back.

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United Kingdom

63%

Workers in the UK chose the 'ability to work from anywhere' as most important from the list of factors provided.



France

87%

The 'ability to meet and work with colleagues physically' has become most important to the French workforce versus other countries asked.



Spain

28%

Of the choices given, 'a variety of working and meeting spaces' was selected by the most Spanish workers as making them want to spend more time working in an office.



Netherlands

39%

'Knowing my colleagues were there' is the most popular reason workers in the Netherlands gave for wanting to spend more time working in an office.



Sweden



27%

In Sweden, 'more opportunities to socialise' is most likely to make them want to spend more time in the office versus other factors.



Poland

71%

The Polish workforce feel most strongly that the 'ability to work flexibly with no fixed hours' is important.



Germany

37%

When asked what aspects of an office would make them less likely to work there, 'lack of suitable technology' was the option that German workers selected most.



Italy

27%

Italy's most popular response to 'what would make you want to spend more time working in an office' was 'access to the latest technology'.

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*Research conducted by Censuswide for Sharp, 6,018 office workers in SMBs (10-250 employees) in the UK, France, Germany, Spain, Netherlands, Sweden, Italy and Poland.