

Date of Telephone Interview: ___/___/___ Time of Telephone Interview: ___:___ am/pm



USQ Sydney Education Centre

Student Interview Questionnaire

Student Name: _____

ICON ID :

Home Country: _____ Home State/Town: _____

Is this a 'high risk' – Country/Region/State/Town? Yes No

Course Name: _____ Is this course or similar offer in home country? Yes No

No.	Question	Comments
1	<p>(A) Give brief details about your Academic background?</p> <p>(B) Is there a gap between your studies? If there is a long gap, for example, student has completed year 12 in 2010, has 3-4 year gap (working, staying at home, etc): what is the motivation for you to come back to study now?</p> <p>(C) Brief details about latest employment (position, salary, etc)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • • • • •
2	<p>(A) What is the name of the program you have applied for?</p> <p>(B) If student is doing a similar program in home country: -Why don't you want to complete the course?</p>	

	<p>-Provide an example for the reason above.</p>	
	<p>(C) If student has not yet taken a similar course: -Do you know any similar courses/ providers in home country? -Provide details on those courses/ providers: Name, Tuition fees, Duration, etc. -Why don't you want to take the course in home country? Provide example for any reasons that student provides (for example: why less practical?)</p> <p>(D) Have you done any research on universities in Australia that offer similar courses? -Give details on the other providers/ courses (Name, Tuition fees, Location of provider) -Why does student choose USQ, not other providers? How did you compare the providers and come to the decision for the provider/ course?</p>	
3	<p>(A) Why did you choose Australia as your destination? Why not other countries like US, UK, Canada?</p> <p>(B) Have you done any research on living in Australia? Ask a few questions, for example: -Estimated living cost for a month? (Room Rental, Food, Phone charges) -Mode of transportation? -How does student plan to arrange accommodation? Homestay? Sharing with friends?</p>	

4	<p>Details on Course Content</p> <p>(A) Requirement (IELTS, Academic entry), if student does not meet the requirement, ask student how student is going to meet the condition, for example: taking ELICOS at CLA, doing Diploma at CBC, etc.</p> <p>(B) Duration of all programs that are included in application</p> <p>(C) Subjects that students are going to take: number of subjects, name of some subjects, etc.</p> <p>(D) Major that student is likely to take.</p> <p>(E) Tuition fees</p>	
5	<p>Career Plans</p> <p>(A) What position are you going to apply after finishing studying in Australia?</p> <p>(B) Have you got any potential companies in mind?</p> <p>(C) Have you researched on the salary offered to students who graduate from home country, without having overseas qualification? What is that salary? How much do you expect to have by holding Australian qualification?</p> <p>(D) How knowledge/ skills learnt in Australia can assist you in achieving the goals stated above? How they can help you to differentiate yourselves to local graduates?</p> <p>(E) If student is currently working and plans to come back to work for the current company, what is the remuneration that you are going to have? Any promotion in terms of position and salary?</p>	

6	<p>If student has changed the field of specialization, for example, from Commerce to IT, please explain in details the reason.</p>	
7	<p>(A) Who will fund your studies?</p> <p>(B) What are the occupations of your parents/ sponsors? What is the current income? Are you going to take loan from bank or to use savings for tuition fees?</p> <p>(C) Do you have any siblings? What are their occupations?</p>	
8	<p>(A) Do you know anyone in Australia?</p> <p>(B) Are you married?</p> <p>(C) Will your spouse leave the job and travel with you to Australia?</p>	
9	<p>(A) Do you know what visa you are going to apply? What is the visa subclass?</p> <p>(B) Are you aware of the conditions of your visa? For example: The required attendance, the rule for changing providers/ courses?</p> <p>(C) Have you applied for any visas to Australia before? Was it accepted? If no, what is the reason?</p> <p>(D) Have you applied for visas to any other countries? Was it accepted? If no, what is the reason?</p>	

