



Post Deliberation Evaluation Questions

Please note that all table items are percentages of total valid responses.

Q40a. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is “a waste of time”, 10 is “extremely valuable” and 5 is exactly in the middle, how valuable *participating in the small group discussions* was in helping you clarify your positions on the issues?

After Deliberation	
0 to 4	0.7
6 to 10	95.4

Q40b. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is “a waste of time”, 10 is “extremely valuable” and 5 is exactly in the middle, how valuable *meeting and talking to other participants outside of the formal discussions* was in helping you clarify your positions on the issues?

After Deliberation	
0 to 4	1.3
6 to 10	93.7

Q40c. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is “a waste of time”, 10 is “extremely valuable” and 5 is exactly in the middle, how valuable *participating in the plenary sessions with experts* was in helping you clarify your positions on the issues?

After Deliberation	
0 to 4	8.7
6 to 10	83.9

Q40d. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is “a waste of time”, 10 is “extremely valuable” and 5 is exactly in the middle, how valuable *participating in the plenary session with politicians* was in helping you clarify your positions on the issues?

After Deliberation	
0 to 4	7.7
6 to 10	85.3

Q40e. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is “a waste of time”, 10 is “extremely valuable” and 5 is exactly in the middle, how valuable *the event as a whole* was in helping you clarify your positions on the issues?

After Deliberation	
0 to 4	0.7
6 to 10	97.0

Q41a. My small group moderator provided the opportunity for everyone to participate in the discussion

After Deliberation	
Strongly Disagree	1.7
Somewhat Disagree	0.8
Neither Agree or Disagree	0.6
Somewhat Agree	8.5
Strongly Agree	88.5

Q41b. The members of my small group participated relatively equally in the discussions

After Deliberation	
Strongly Disagree	3.4
Somewhat Disagree	16.9
Neither Agree or Disagree	7.3
Somewhat Agree	39.3
Strongly Agree	33.1

Q41c. My small group moderator sometimes tried to influence the group with his or her own views

After Deliberation	
Strongly Disagree	76.5
Somewhat Disagree	15.0
Neither Agree or Disagree	4.5
Somewhat Agree	1.7
Strongly Agree	2.3

Q41d. My small group moderator tried to make sure that opposing arguments were considered

After Deliberation	
Strongly Disagree	5.9
Somewhat Disagree	2.8
Neither Agree or Disagree	10.7
Somewhat Agree	24.6
Strongly Agree	55.9

Q41e. The important aspects of the issues were covered in the group discussions

After Deliberation	
Strongly Disagree	3.1
Somewhat Disagree	3.9
Neither Agree or Disagree	5.1
Somewhat Agree	33.4
Strongly Agree	54.5

Q41f. I learned a lot about people very different from me—about what they and their lives are like

After Deliberation	
Strongly Disagree	4.0
Somewhat Disagree	3.4
Neither Agree or Disagree	4.8
Somewhat Agree	28.0
Strongly Agree	59.9

Q42. Before the deliberation started, how much of the briefing material you were sent would you say you had read?

After Deliberation	
Hadn't read or had just glanced at it	8.7
Had read less than half of it	10.1
Had read about half of it	10.1
Had read more than half of it	13.0
Had read all or nearly all of it	58.0

Q43. And by the end of the deliberations, how much of the briefing material you were sent would you say you had read?

After Deliberation	
Hadn't read or had just glanced at it	5.9
Had read less than half of it	7.6
Had read about half of it	9.8
Had read more than half of it	12.9
Had read all or nearly all of it	63.8

Q44. Would you say that the briefing material was mostly balanced, or that it clearly favoured some positions over others?

After Deliberation	
Mostly balanced	92.1
Favoured some positions over others	7.9

Q45. Would you say that the briefing material was mostly clear, or unclear?

After Deliberation	
Clear	97.4
Unclear	2.6

Q46. Would you say that the length of the small group sessions was too short, sufficient, or too long?

After Deliberation	
Too short	31.4
Sufficient	66.0
Too long	2.5

Q47. Would you say that the length of the plenary sessions was too short, sufficient, or too long?

After Deliberation	
Too short	13.6
Sufficient	72.0
Too long	14.4

Q48a. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is not at all, 10 is very much, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how much did you improve your knowledge/skills on *factual knowledge on the EU* during the deliberation?

After Deliberation	
0 to 4	7.9
6 to 10	78.2

Q48b. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is not at all, 10 is very much, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how much did you improve your knowledge/skills on *understanding of attitudes and behavior of people from other countries / cultures* during the deliberation?

After Deliberation	
0 to 4	4.2
6 to 10	87.4

Q48c. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is not at all, 10 is very much, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how much did you improve your knowledge/skills on *ability to understand the public debate at the EU level* during the deliberation?

	After Deliberation
0 to 4	4.8
6 to 10	85.1

Q48d. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is not at all, 10 is very much, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how much did you improve your knowledge/skills on *motivation to participate actively in the public debate* during the deliberation?

	After Deliberation
0 to 4	5.3
6 to 10	82.9

Q48e. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is not at all, 10 is very much, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how much did you improve your knowledge/skills on *ability to communicate with people coming from other countries / cultures* during the deliberation?

	After Deliberation
0 to 4	6.2
6 to 10	80.6

Q49a. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is not motivating at all, and 10 is extremely motivating, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how motivating was *meeting people from other countries* to attend the deliberation?

	After Deliberation
0 to 4	0.6
6 to 10	96.3

Q49b. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is not motivating at all, and 10 is extremely motivating, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how motivating was *learning about EU issues* to attend the deliberation?

	After Deliberation
0 to 4	1.1
6 to 10	94.7

Q49c. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is not motivating at all, and 10 is extremely motivating, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how motivating was *meeting high level personalities* to attend the deliberation?

	After Deliberation
0 to 4	21.3
6 to 10	65.5

Q49d. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is not motivating at all, and 10 is extremely motivating, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how motivating was *defending my ideas* to attend the deliberation?

	After Deliberation
0 to 4	8.5
6 to 10	76.9

Q49e. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is not motivating at all, and 10 is extremely motivating, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how motivating was *visiting Brussels* to attend the deliberation?

After Deliberation	
0 to 4	19.7
6 to 10	63.7

Q49f. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is not motivating at all, and 10 is extremely motivating, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how motivating was *financial incentive* to attend the deliberation?

After Deliberation	
0 to 4	66.1
6 to 10	17.7

Q50a. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is extremely bored, and 10 is extremely interested, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how did you feel *during the small group discussions*?

After Deliberation	
0 to 4	1.4
6 to 10	95.5

Q50b. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is extremely bored, and 10 is extremely interested, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how did you feel *during the plenary discussions*?

After Deliberation	
0 to 4	8.2
6 to 10	81.1

Q50c. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is extremely bored, and 10 is extremely interested, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how did you feel *during the informal / social parts of the weekend*?

After Deliberation	
0 to 4	5.1
6 to 10	88.9

Q51a. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is extremely passive, and 10 is extremely active, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how did you feel *during the small group discussions*?

After Deliberation	
0 to 4	9.0
6 to 10	75.4

Q51b. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is extremely passive, and 10 is extremely active, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how did you feel *during the plenary discussions*?

After Deliberation	
0 to 4	34.1
6 to 10	41.3

Q51c. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is extremely passive, and 10 is extremely active, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how did you feel *during the informal / social parts of the weekend*?

After Deliberation	
0 to 4	8.3
6 to 10	77.4

Q52a. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is extremely stressed, and 10 is extremely relaxed, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how did you feel *during the small group discussions?*

	After Deliberation
0 to 4	9.6
6 to 10	80.3

Q52b. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is extremely stressed, and 10 is extremely relaxed, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how did you feel *during the plenary discussions?*

	After Deliberation
0 to 4	6.2
6 to 10	79.1

Q52c. On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is extremely stressed, and 10 is extremely relaxed, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how did you feel *during the informal / social parts of the weekend?*

	After Deliberation
0 to 4	5.4
6 to 10	85.5