

TechCrunch – Immigration Deliberative Poll

	Participants				Control Group				Diff of Diff (CG-Part)	Sig.
	T1	T2	T2-T1	Sig.	T1	T2	T2-T1	Sig.		
1. On a scale of 0 to 10, where '0' is "no problem at all", '10' is "the most serious problem we face", and '5' is "exactly in the middle", how serious a problem or not would you say immigration is?	5.714	6.095	0.381	0.124	6.005	5.812	-0.194	0.160	-0.575	0.030***
2. And, on the same scale, how serious a problem or not would you say legal immigration is?	4.048	4.602	0.554	0.111	4.074	3.942	-0.132	0.485	-0.686	0.061 <sup>a</sup>
3. Also, on the same scale, how serious a problem or not would you say illegal (or unauthorized) immigration is?	6.451	6.512	0.061	0.768	6.639	6.639	0.000	1.000	-0.061	0.803
4. And, on the same scale, generally speaking, how serious a problem or not would you say temporary work visas are?	4.707	5.256	0.548	.055*	4.389	4.556	0.067	0.723	-0.481	0.154
5. On a scale from 0 to 10, where '0' is "completely undesirable", '10' is "completely desirable", and '5' is exactly in the middle", how desirable or undesirable are each of the following?	6.560	6.800	0.240	0.467	6.422	6.434	0.012	0.948	-0.228	0.516

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a. Create a startup visa program										
b. Eliminate the employment-based green card backlog and exempt dependents	5.549	6.563	1.014	.019**	5.712	5.532	-0.184	0.418	-1.198	0.007***
c. Allow immigrant students who study STEM subjects to stay in the US and seek employment	6.819	7.192	0.373	0.183	6.601	6.596	-0.006	0.975	-0.379	0.241
d. Increase the total number of H-1B visas to 180,000	5.859	5.704	-0.155	0.627	5.820	5.863	0.043	0.834	0.198	0.590
e. Create a limit of H1B visas per company as a percentage of their US-based workforce	5.608	6.971	1.362	.001***	5.539	5.974	0.435	.094*	-0.927	0.046*
f. Increase the number of H1B visas issued to STEM workers	6.000	6.151	0.151	0.582	6.219	6.245	0.026	0.881	-0.125	0.690
g. Increase salaries for H1B visas to be tied to local median wage for a given occupation	5.625	7.014	1.389	.000***	5.102	5.586	0.484	.032**	-0.905	0.026*
h. End the Diversity Visa lottery	6.109	5.969	-0.141	0.740	6.156	6.205	0.049	0.861	0.190	0.701
i. Increase EB-5's limit to 10,000 families rather than 10,000 individuals	5.937	6.762	0.825	.025**	5.480	5.929	0.449	.057*	-0.376	0.369
j. Do not automatically allow the siblings of all American citizens to immigrate to the US as permanent residents	4.974	5.923	0.948	.035**	5.088	5.220	0.132	0.576	-0.816	0.078 <sup>a</sup>
k. Increase family-sponsored visa quota	5.630	6.041	0.411	0.221	5.524	5.926	0.401	.052*	-0.010	0.980
l. Increase the U visa cap and end certification requirements for U visas	5.400	5.733	0.333	0.472	5.028	5.463	0.435	.087*	0.102	0.836

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m. Expand O visa and proactively recruit O visa qualified individuals	6.298	6.362	0.064	0.877	5.610	5.762	0.152	0.524	0.088	0.844
n. Increase the number of prosecutions for border crossings to up to 210 per	5.438	4.726	-0.712	.068*	5.280	5.417	0.137	0.485	0.849	0.031*
o. Increase the number of Border Patrol agents deployed to the Southern US border to 38,405 by September 30, 2021	5.397	5.128	-0.269	0.410	5.616	5.744	0.128	0.446	0.397	0.231
p. Allocate \$1.5 million for the construction of border fencing, including double-layer fencing in some areas	4.519	3.924	-0.595	0.100	4.751	5.096	0.345	.032*	0.940	0.006***
q. Introduce a federal mandate on employment verification systems	6.129	6.957	0.829	.032**	6.494	6.616	0.122	0.502	-0.707	0.059 <sup>a</sup>
r. Allow state governors to deploy National Guard troops to the Southern border	4.693	4.533	-0.160	0.635	5.057	5.193	0.136	0.424	0.296	0.385
s. Hold fewer unauthorized immigrants in detention centers	6.221	6.727	0.506	0.183	6.375	6.703	0.327	0.198	-0.179	0.693
t. Grant unauthorized immigrants registered provisional immigrant status 10 years before being eligible for legal permanent residence	5.271	5.800	0.529	0.154	4.656	4.929	0.272	0.252	-0.257	0.552
u. Provide DREAMers with a faster path to work authorization	5.918	7.123	1.205	.001***	5.994	5.883	-0.110	0.604	-1.315	0.001***

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v. Give priority to noncitizen parents of US citizen children in the visa application process	4.913	6.300	1.388	.000***	5.416	5.051	0.092	0.642	-1.296	0.001***
w. Have applicants return to home country while waiting for visa	4.553	4.066	-0.487	.099*	4.988	5.066	0.078	0.670	0.565	0.092 <sup>a</sup>
x. Increase the total number of green cards issued annually by 100%	5.420	6.159	0.739	.036**	5.232	5.839	0.606	.002***	-0.133	0.722