

2020 STATE OF THE FIELD

HOW COVID-19 IS SHAPING EDUCATION ABROAD*

100%

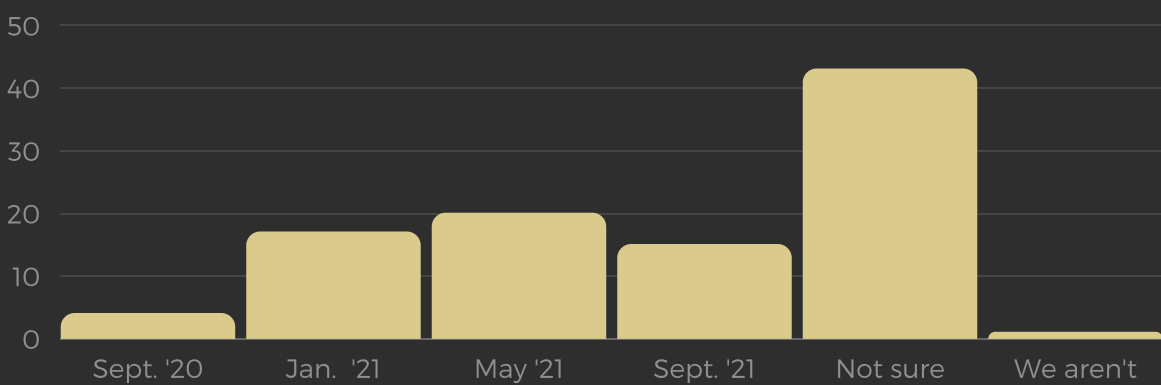
RESPONDED THAT COVID-19 PANDEMIC IMPACTED THEIR EDUCATION ABROAD PROGRAMS, STUDENTS, AND/OR SERVICES



40% OF OFFICES REPORTED STAFF REDUCTIONS



80% OF OFFICES REPORTED BUDGET CUTS



"A RETURN TO NORMAL"

WHEN IS YOUR ORGANIZATION ANTICIPATING IT

72%

BEGAN ADVISING ONLINE

65%

UPDATED A POLICY OR PROCEDURE

53%

NEW VIRTUAL OFFERINGS

26%

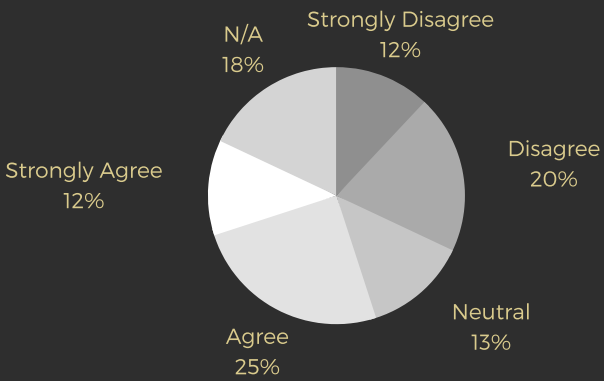
ESTABLISHED A NEW PARTNERSHIP

15%

ACCOMMODATED DISPLACED STUDENTS OVERSEAS

*Based on 211 survey responses completed by Forum Member Institutional Representatives between September 9- October 25, 2020

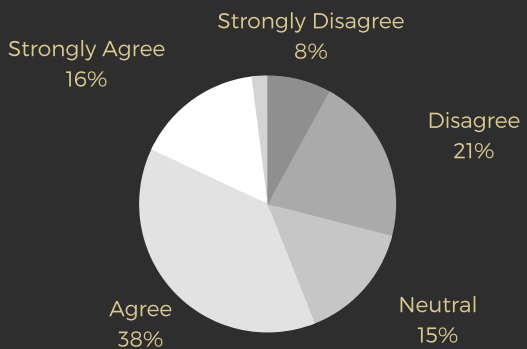
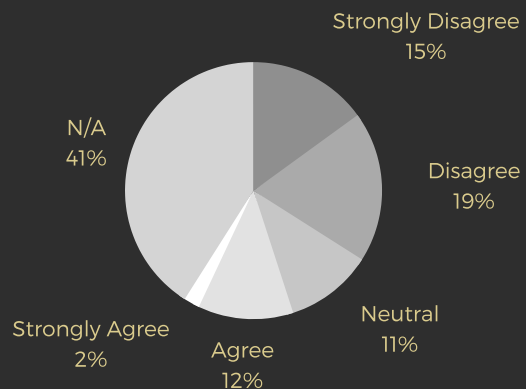
SELF-RATINGS OF ORGANIZATIONAL
RESPONSE TO THE PANDEMIC



HAD SUFFICIENT
EMERGENCY
EVACUATION
INSURANCE



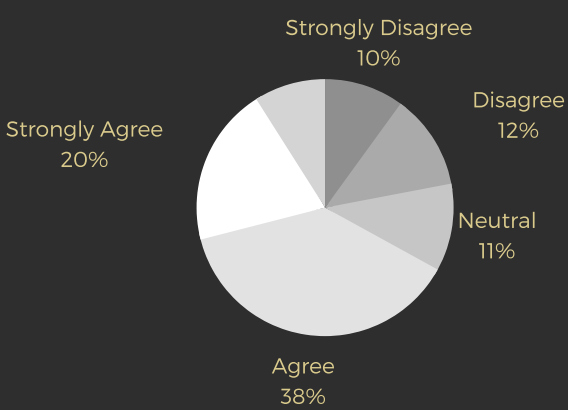
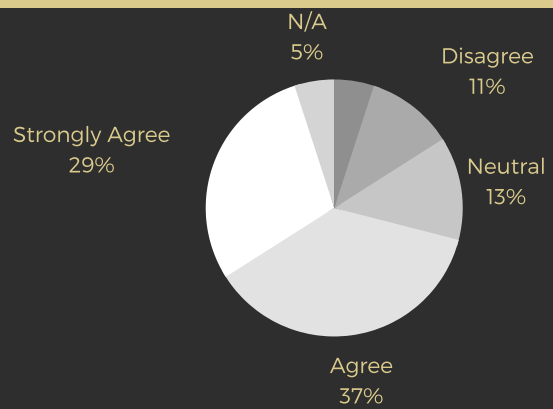
HAD SUFFICIENT
BUSINESS
INTERRUPTION
INSURANCE



HAD SUFFICIENT
STAFF TIME TO
RESPOND
ADEQUATELY



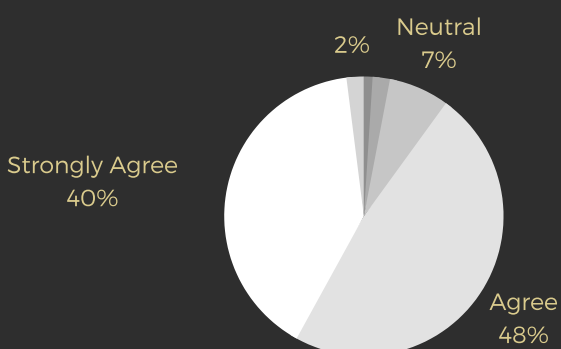
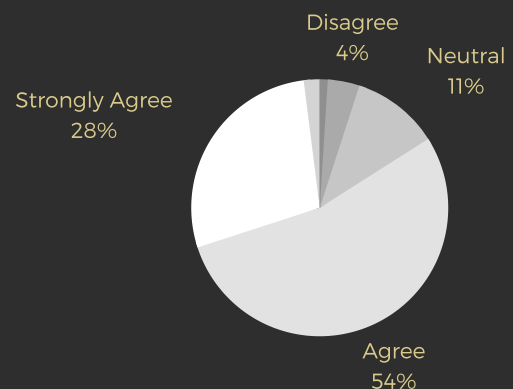
HAD A WELL-
FUNCTIONING
CRISIS RESPONSE
TEAM



HAD ENOUGH
EMERGENCY OR
RESERVE FUNDS TO
COVER EXPENSES



ABLE TO
COMMUNICATE
EFFECTIVELY WITH
PARTICIPANTS &
FAMILIES



LEARNED WHERE WE
HAVE ROOM FOR
IMPROVEMENT IN
POLICIES AND
PROCEDURES



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