

WIN World Survey Attitudes to Gender Equality

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WIN Attitudes to Gender Equality Survey – Headlines Ireland

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After two years of the COVID-19 pandemic and remote working for many, women are less convinced in 2021 that gender equality has been achieved at home. Violence and sexual harassment remain a problem in Ireland, with 1 in 10 women overall and 1 in 4 women under 34 having experienced sexual harassment in the past year.

3 Just 1 in 3 women (34%) feel they have equal or more opportunities than men, whereas men are significantly more likely to believe they do have the same /better opportunities (57%).



Compared to the rest of the world, women in Ireland and less likely to feel they have the same of better opportunities than seen in many countries, and fall behind both the UK and USA

Vs. 2020

of women feel gender equality has been achieved at home



After 2 years of COVID-19 pandemic, we see significant decline in women who feel gender equality has been achieved at home



Whether Gender Equality has been achieved (Base: Adult women in ROI aged 18+; n=540)

Broad decline in perceived equality at home since 2020

However, we see agreement is highest with regard to gender equality at home, followed by work and politics. Younger ages agreement has broadly declined in all three areas, which suggests they hold less traditional views and are open to change.

In Work At Home In Politics Definitely Definitely Definitely 66% **59%** 46% To some To some To some extent extent extent (-6%) (-10%) (-7%) No No No 59% 46% TOTAL 66% 62% 49% Male 67% 57% 43% Female 65% 18-34 61% 41% 63% 🔻 35-54 68% 63% 47% 68% 53% 50% 55 +65% ABC1 68% 45% 54% C2DE 66% 47% 67% 59% Dublin 44% 64% 56% ROL 48% 68% 61% Munster 46% Conn/Ulster 61% 64% 48%

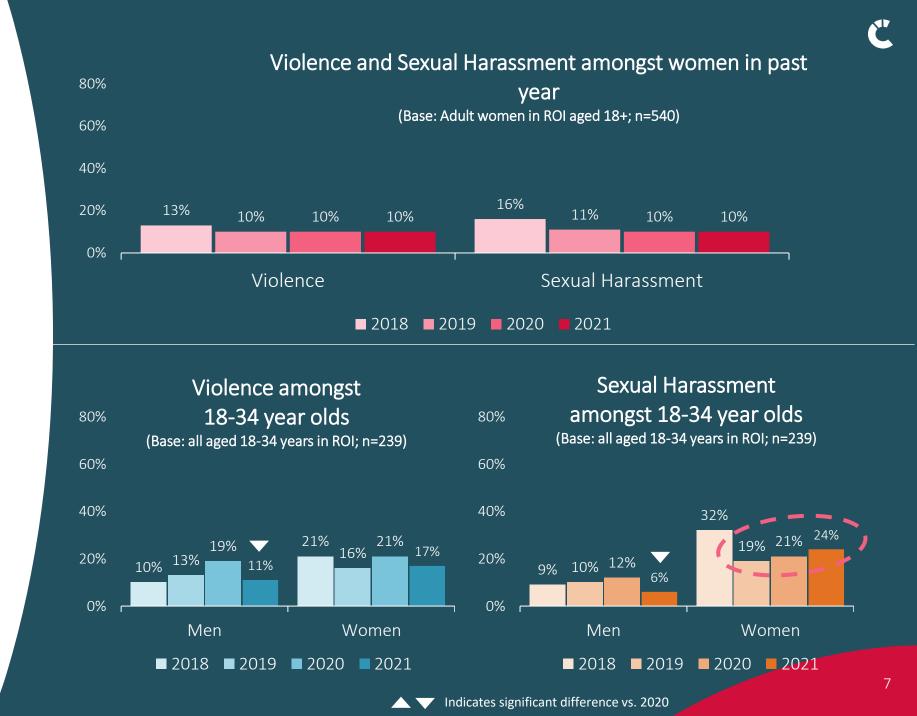
Has Gender Equality been achieved...

24%

1 in 4 of 18-34 year old women have experienced sexual harassment in the past year



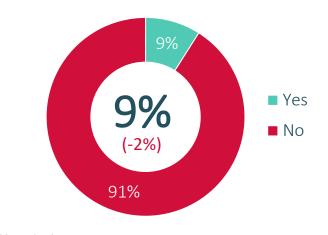
Sexual harassment amongst younger women has grown slightly since 2019, but remains lower **versus 2018**

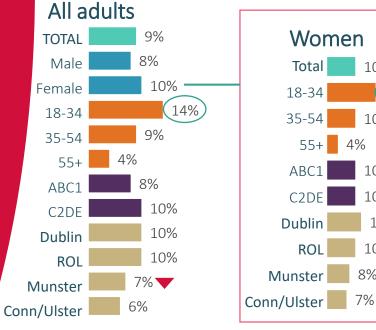


Nearly 1 in 10 women in Ireland claim to have suffered violence or sexual harassment in the past year

This is more prevalent amongst younger ages, and especially so amongst younger women.

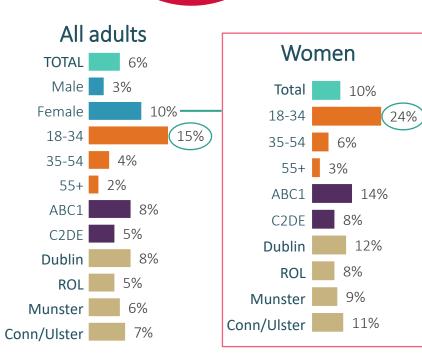
Incidence of Violence in past year (either physical or psychological)





Incidence of Sexual Harassment in past year 6% Yes No (-1%)

94%



Indicates significant difference vs. Total 🛛 📥 🔻 Indicates significant difference vs. 2020

10%

10%

10%

10%

12%

10%

8%

4%

55+

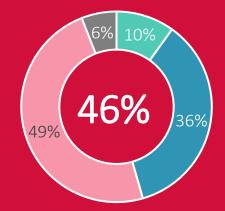
17%

34%

Just 1 in 3 women feel that they have more or the same opportunities as men



Majority of women feel they have less opportunities than men

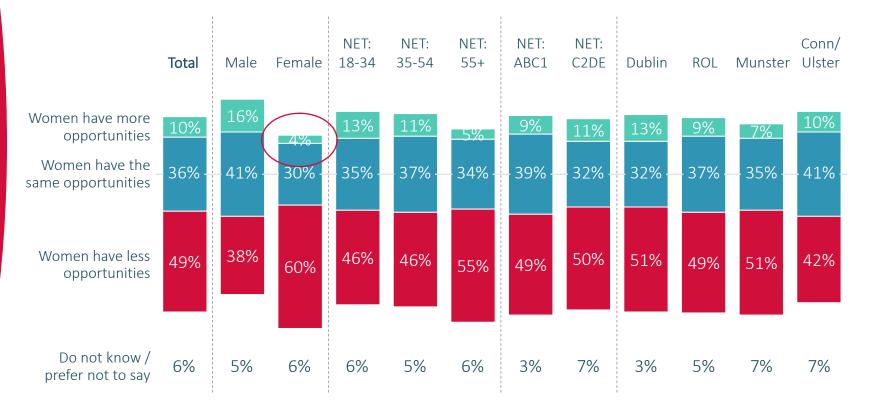


Women have more opportunities
Women have the same opportunities
Women have less opportunities
Do not know / prefer not to say

(Base: All adults in ROI aged 18+, n=1,020)



Do women have same, more or less opportunities than men..



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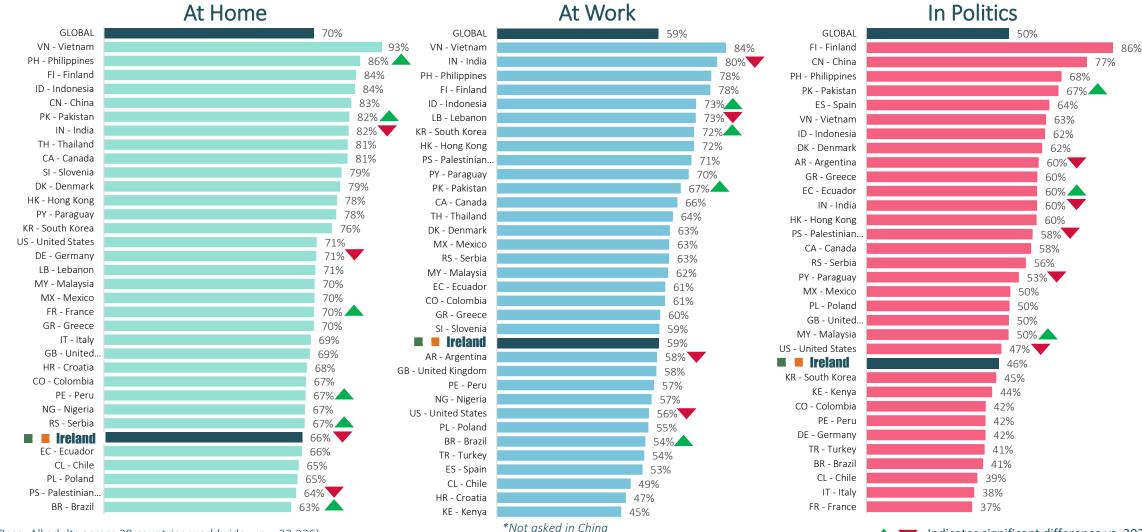
Where does Ireland stand globally in its views of gender equality?



Ireland behind global average for equality at home & in politics

There is an evident drop in perception of equality at home in Ireland along with other countries like Pakistan, Germany & Palestinian territories

Has Gender Equality been Achieved in these Sectors?



(Base: All adults across 39 countries worldwide – n = 33,236)

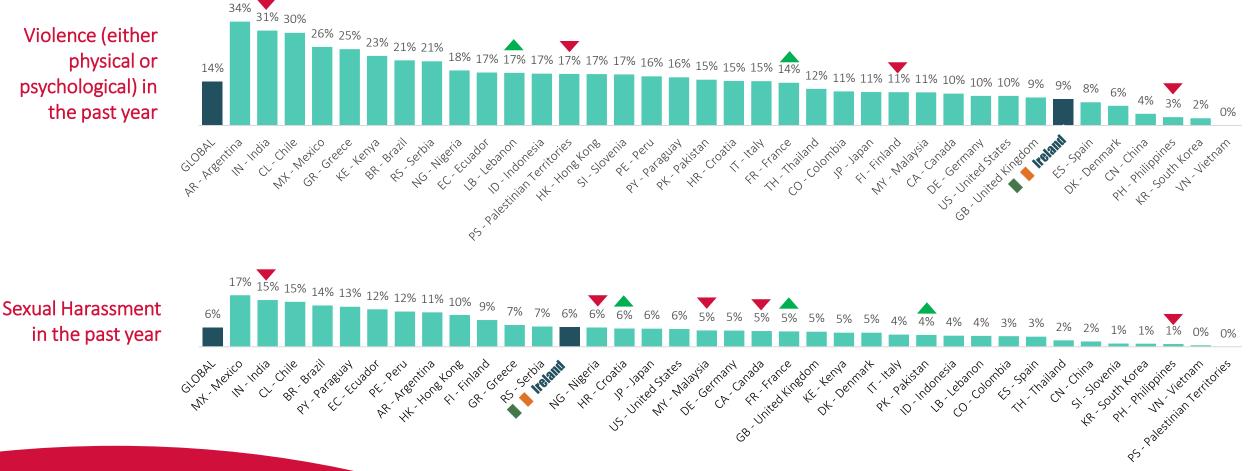
Level of violence in Ireland is below the global average

With regard to sexual harassment, however, Ireland is on par for global average, with Mexico, India, and Chile both featuring quite prominently.

% of adults aged 18+ who have suffered from any kind of....

34%

Violence (either physical or psychological) in the past year

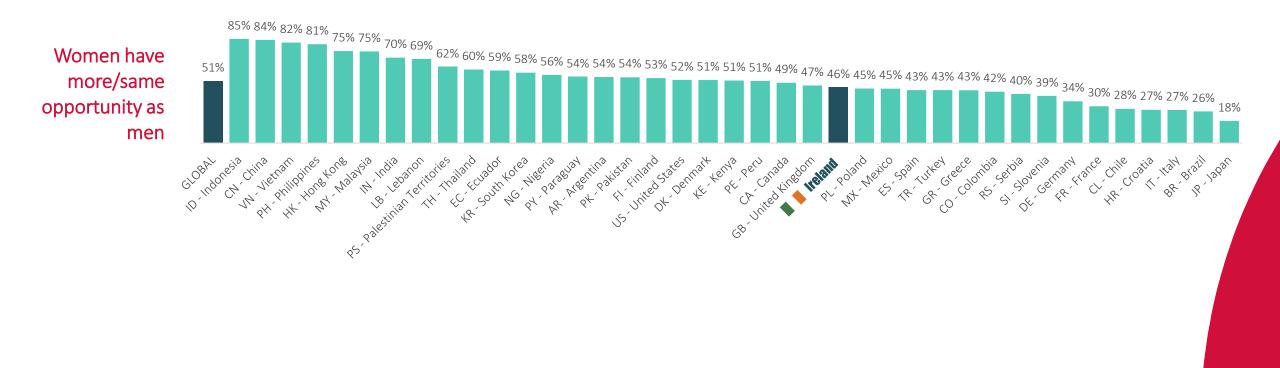


*Not asked in Poland & Turkey (Base: All adults across 37 countries worldwide - n = 31,729) 13

Ireland below average for perceived women's opportunities

Asian countries lead the way in this regard, while Japan is lowest of all countries.

% who say that..



Sample and Methodology

Methodology:

The WWS (WIN Worldwide Survey) is a study conducted every year with the purpose to measure people's thoughts, expectations, worries and perceptions related to relevant topics for society and business.

Sample Size and Mode of Field Work:

A total of 33,236 people were interviewed globally. See below for sample details. The fieldwork was conducted during October 2021 – December 2021. The margin of error for the survey is between 2.4 and 4.4 at 95% confidence level.

The global average has been computed according to the share of the covered adult population of the surveyed countries.

Questionnaire – Gender Equality

GENDER EQUALITY

 To what extent has gender equality achieved in your country in the following fields? (ROTATE LIST, SHOW CARD WITH SCALE) (2018/2019/2020)

	Definitely achieved	To some extent achieved	Not really achieved	Not at all achieved	Do not know	
At work	1	2	3	4	9	(SPSS-Q3_1)
In politics	1	2	3	4	9	(SPSS-Q3_2)
At home	1	2	3	4	9	(SPSS-Q3_3)

- In your Country, do you think women have the same opportunities, more opportunities or less opportunities than men in job opportunities and career? (new) (SPSS-Q4)
 - 1. Women have more opportunities
 - 2. Women have the same opportunities
 - 3. Women have less opportunities
 - 9. Do not know / no response
- Have you suffered from any kind of violence (either physical or psychological) in the past year? (ONLY ONE ANSWER). (2018/2019/2020) (SPSS-Q5)
 - 1. Yes.
 - 2. No.
 - 9. Do not know / no response
- 6. Have you suffered from any kind of sexual harassment in the past year? (2018/2019/2020) (SPSS-Q6)
 - 1. Yes.
 - 2. No.
 - 9. Do not know / no response

About the WIN Survey

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