# THE INFLUENCE OF WORK ENVIRONMENTS ON EMPLOYEE ATTRACTION

Identifying the role of work environments in enhancing competitive advantage within the war for talent

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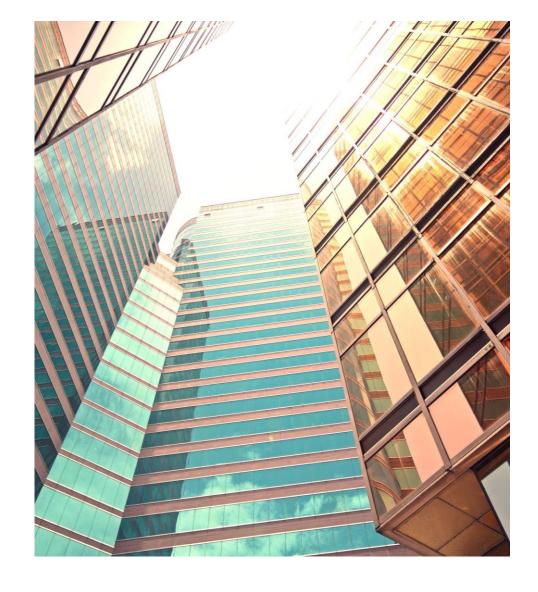
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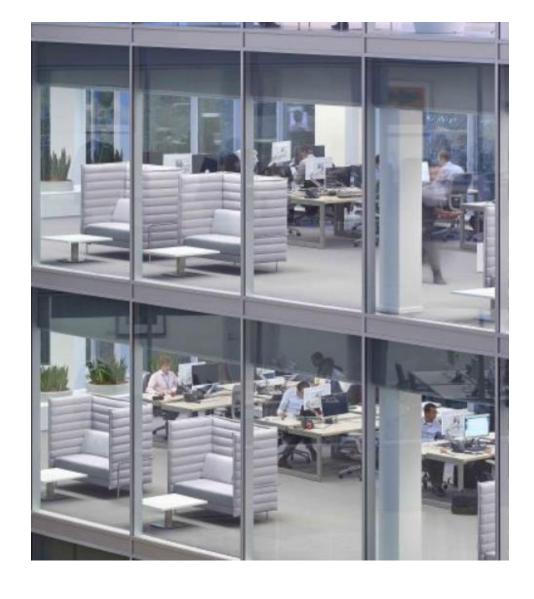






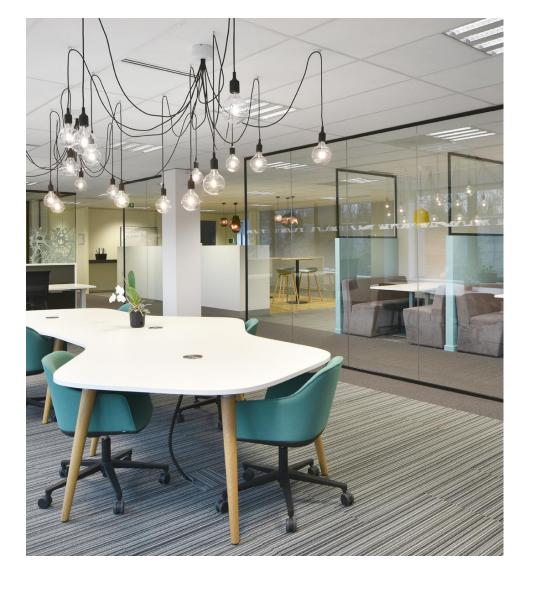






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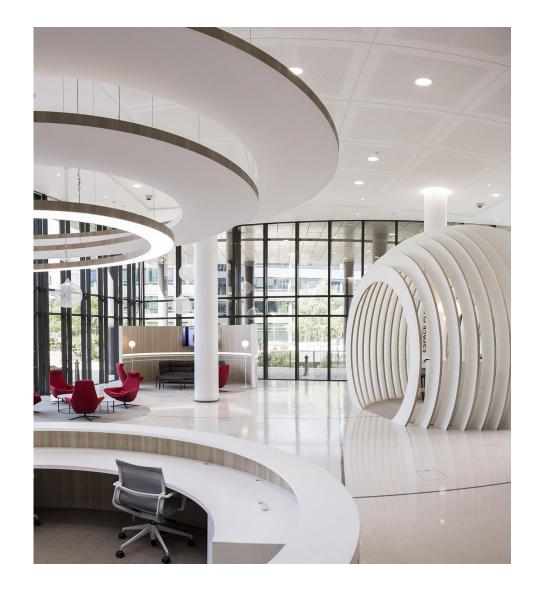


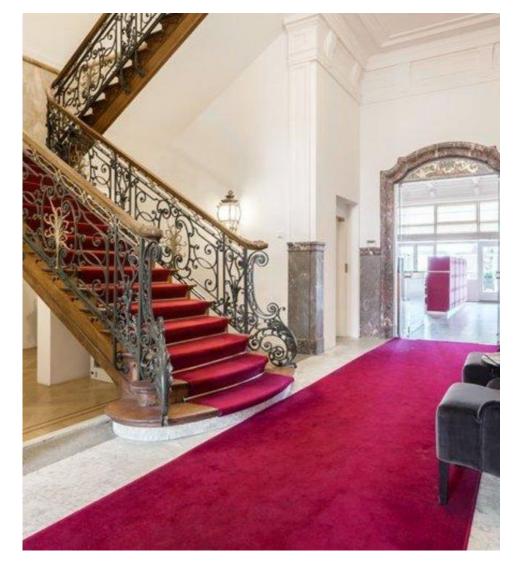
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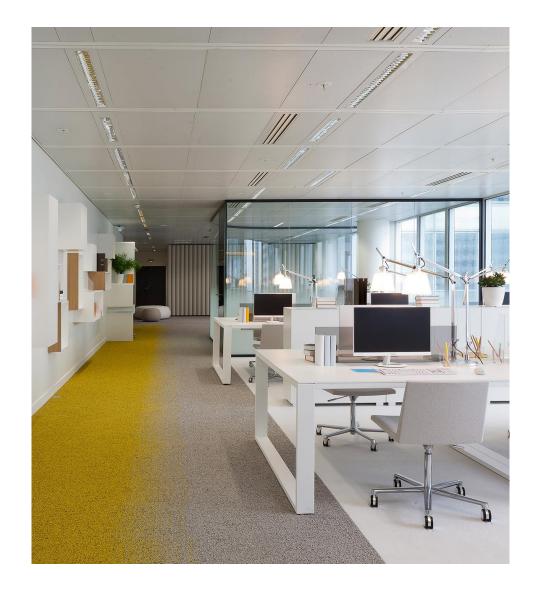


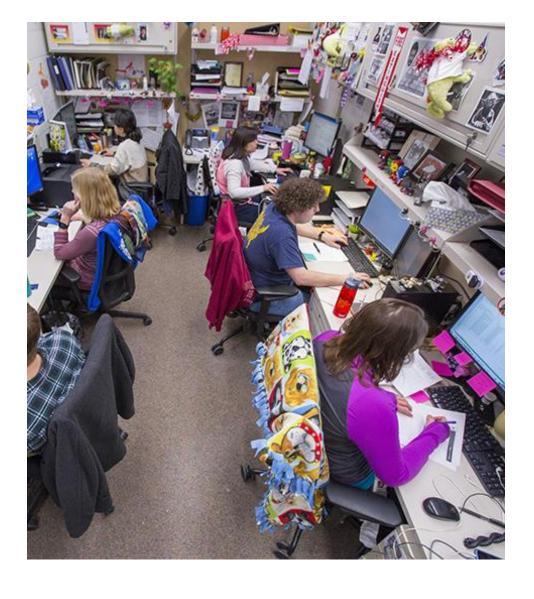












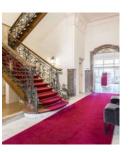
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# Influence on your job choice?





BUSINESS SERVICES SECTOR > KNOWLEDGE WORKERS



# 'War for Talent'





#### 'WAR FOR TALENT'



### COMPANIES INVEST IN WORK ENVIRONMENTS TO ATTRACT EMPLOYEES

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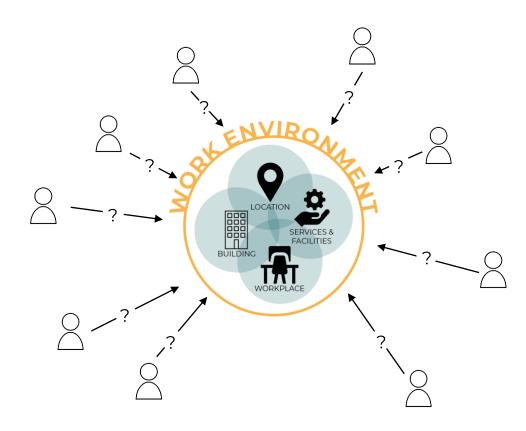




Companies **assume** that work environments have a positive influence on employee attraction and therefore invest in their work environments

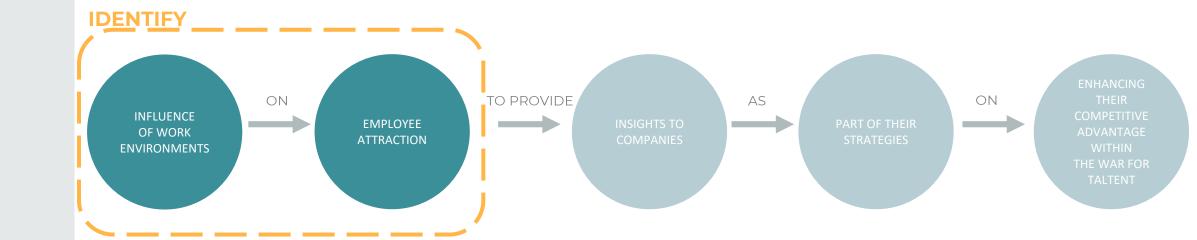
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It **has not been proven** that work environments could potentially attract employees



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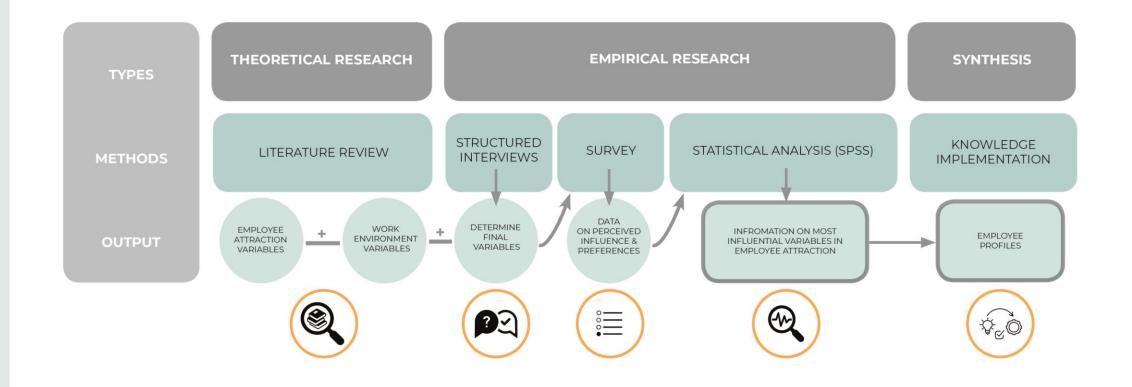
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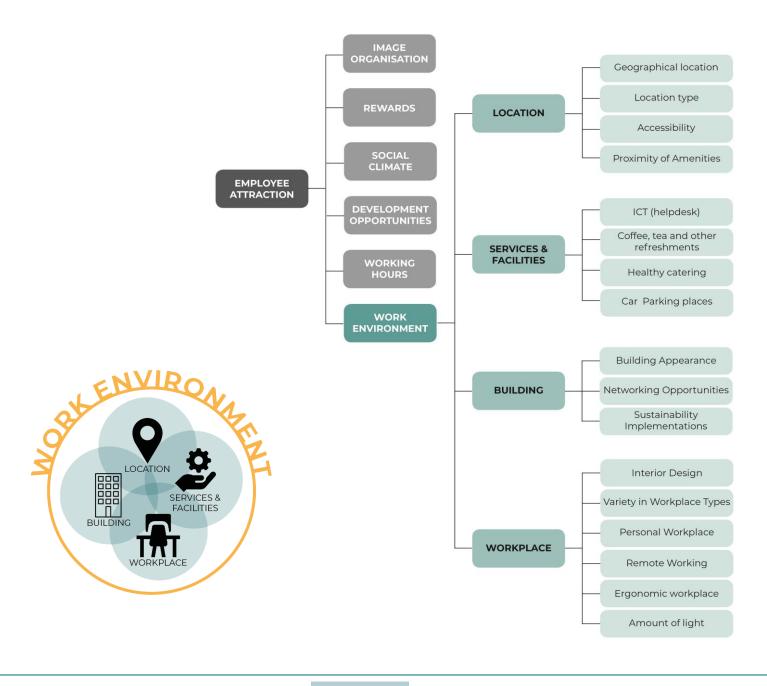
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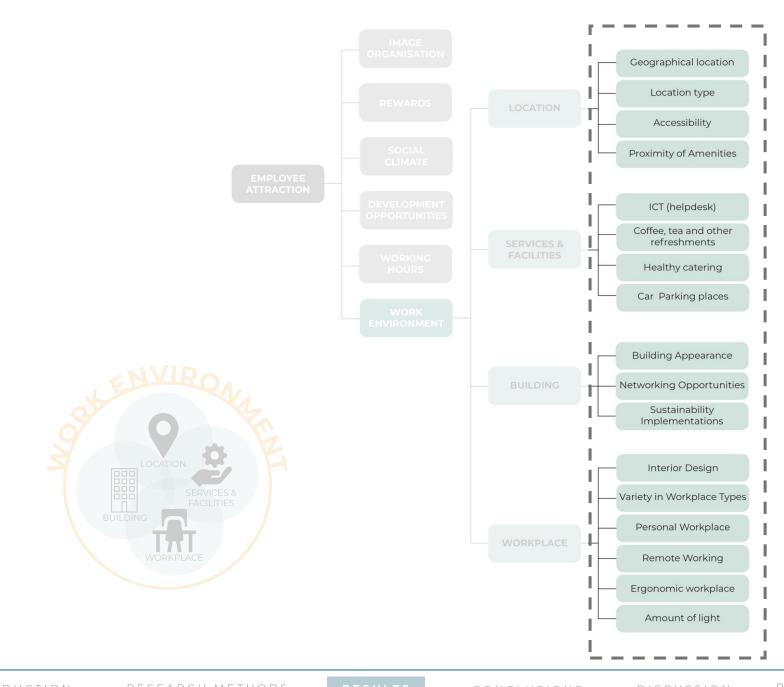
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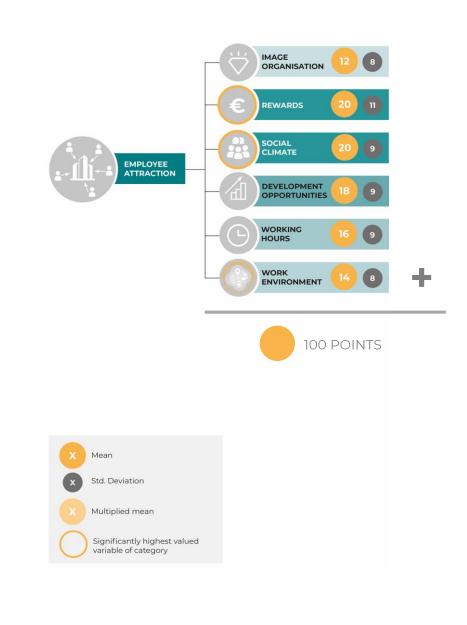
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INFLUENCE OF SUB VARIABLES ON EMPLOYEE ATTRACTION

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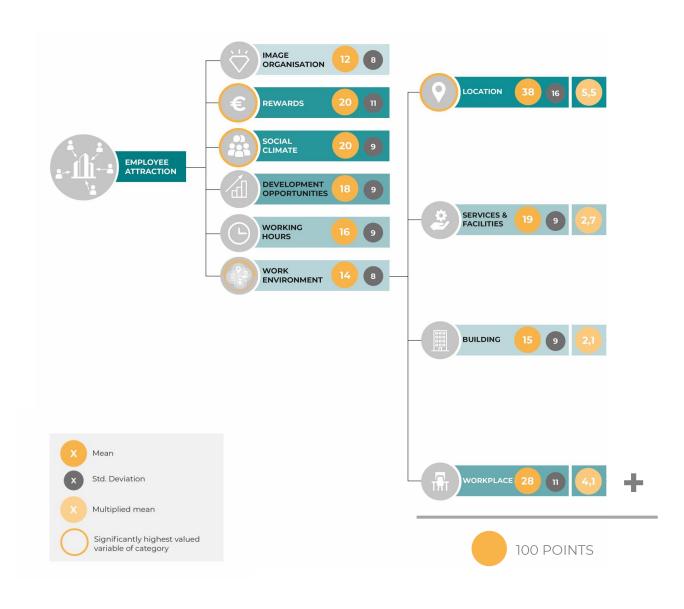
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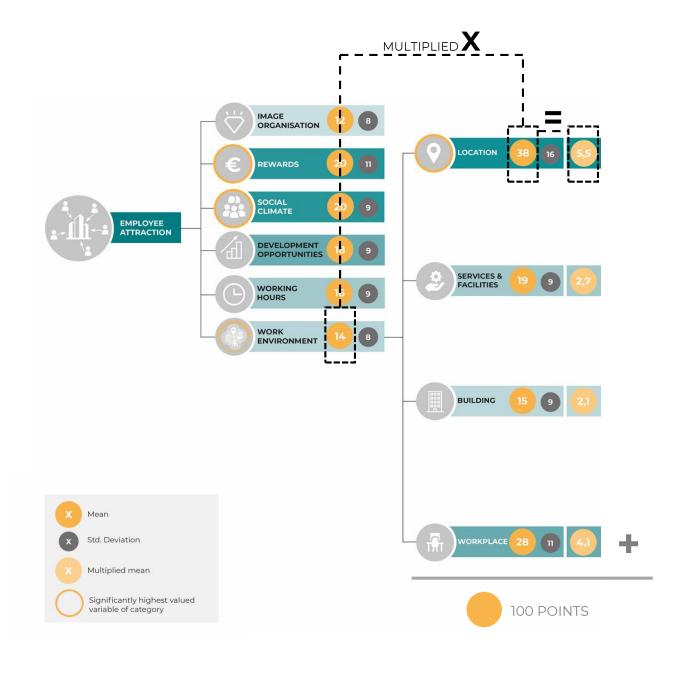
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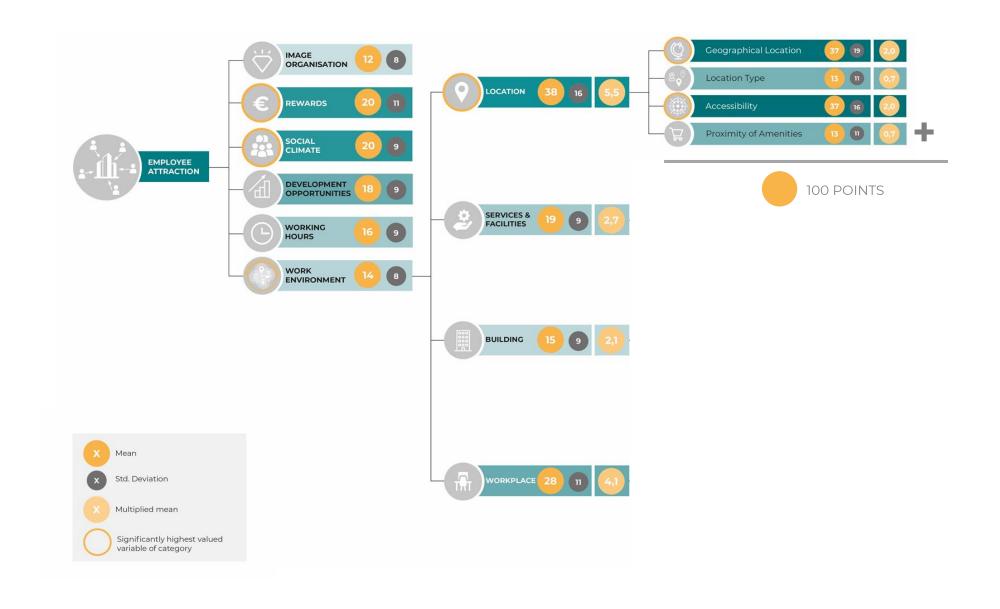
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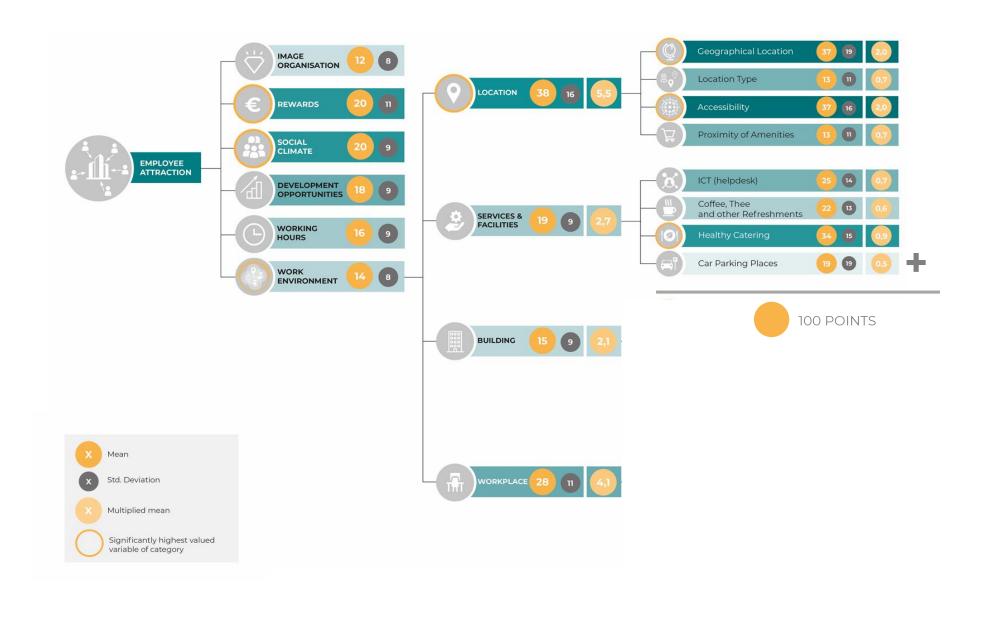
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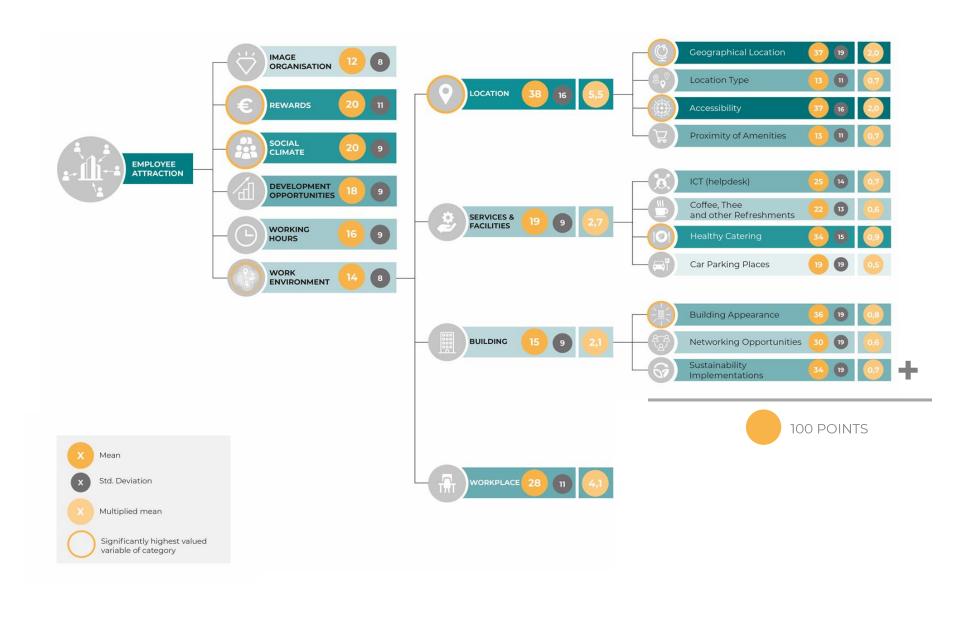
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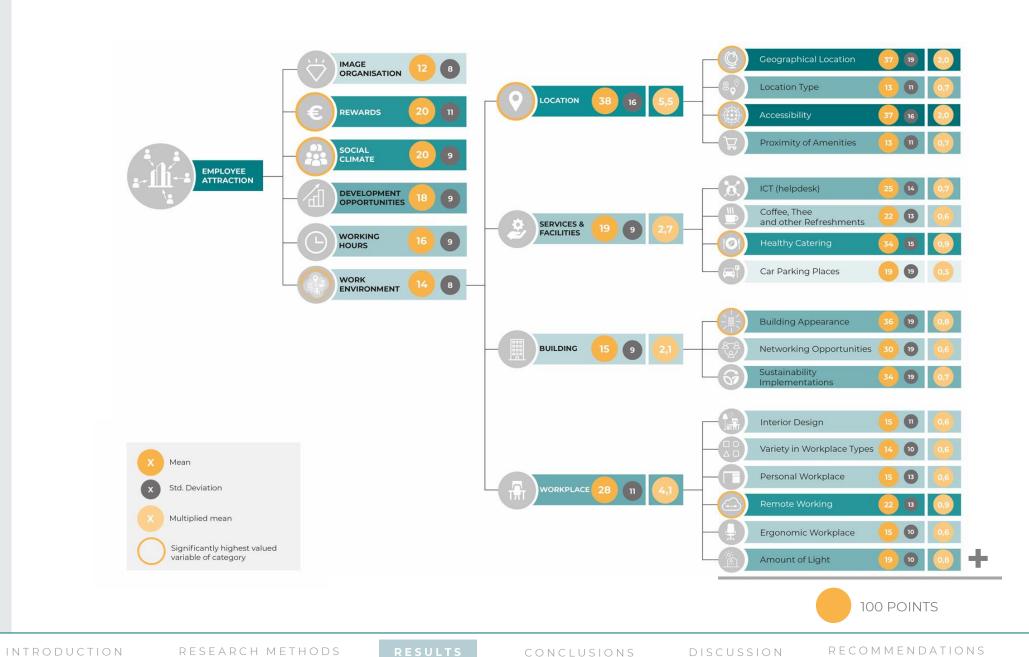
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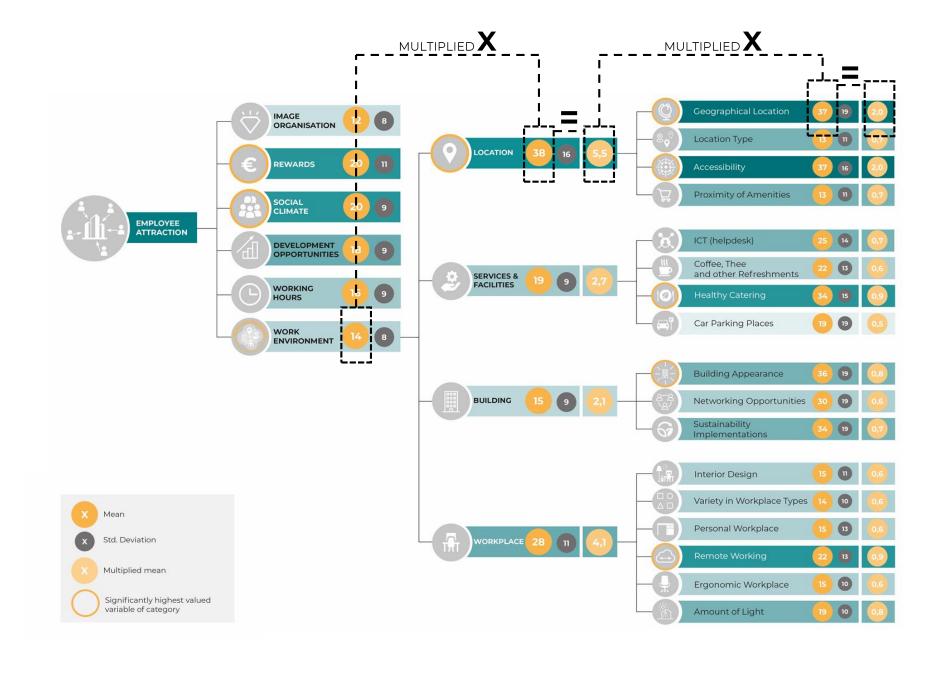


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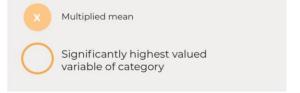
# WORK ENVIRONMENT VARIABLES

RANK ORDER

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...results of sample as a whole

but...

what are the differences between people?



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#### SOCIO-DEMOGRAPHIC PERSPECTIVES



STUDENT | EMPLOYED











FRIENDS | ALONE | CHILDREN | PARTNER | PARENTS



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#### **EMPLOYMENT PERSPECTIVES**



EXPERIENCE

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JOB LEVEL









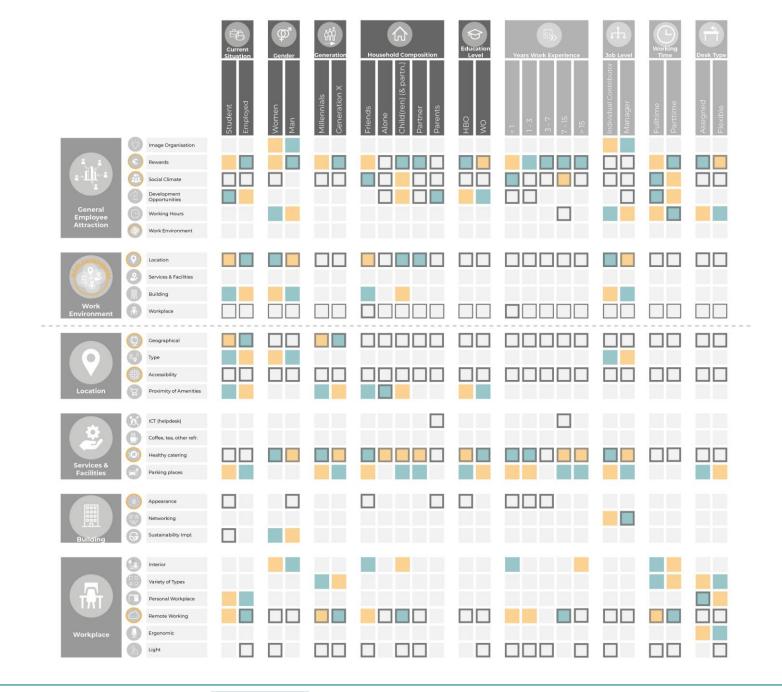
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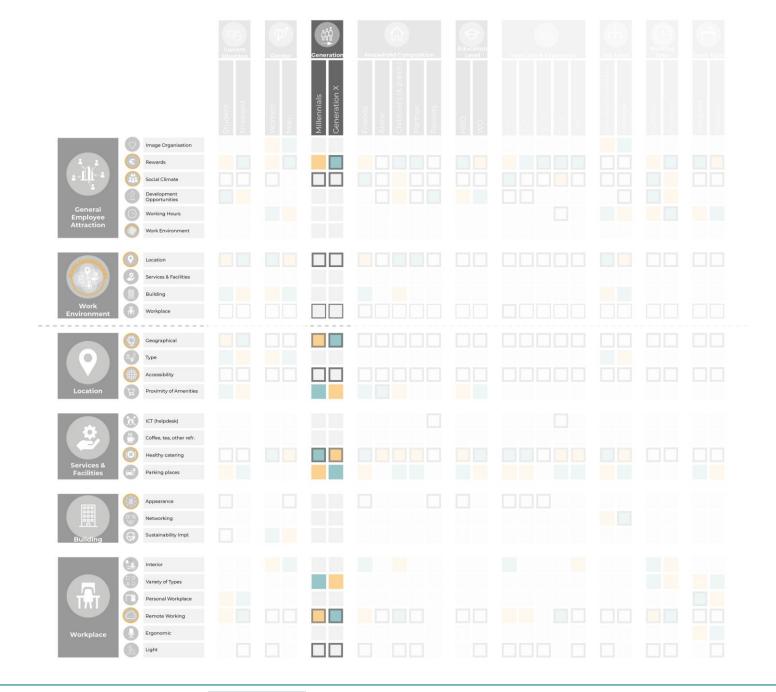
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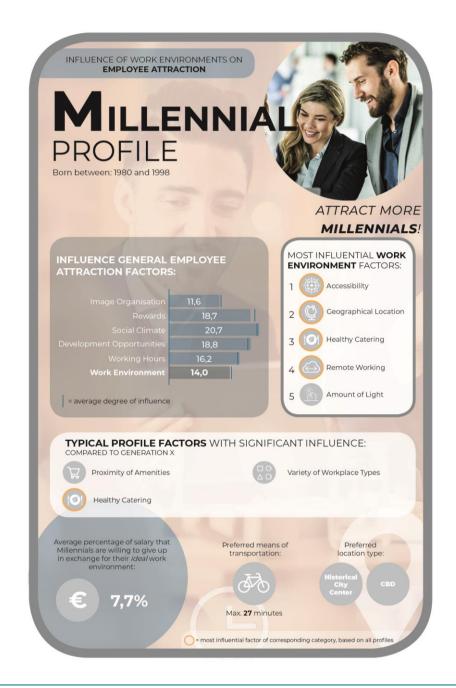
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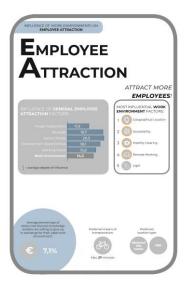
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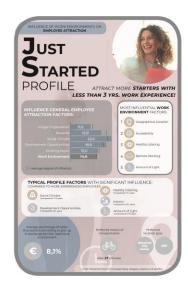


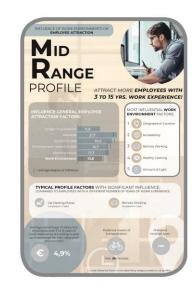






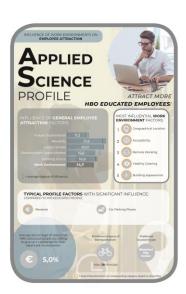








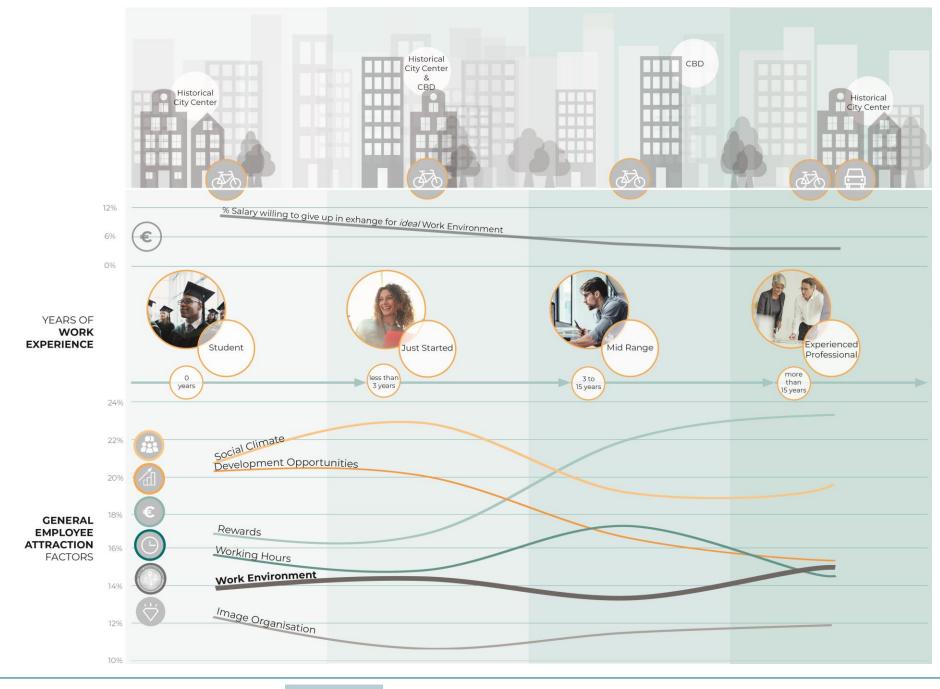




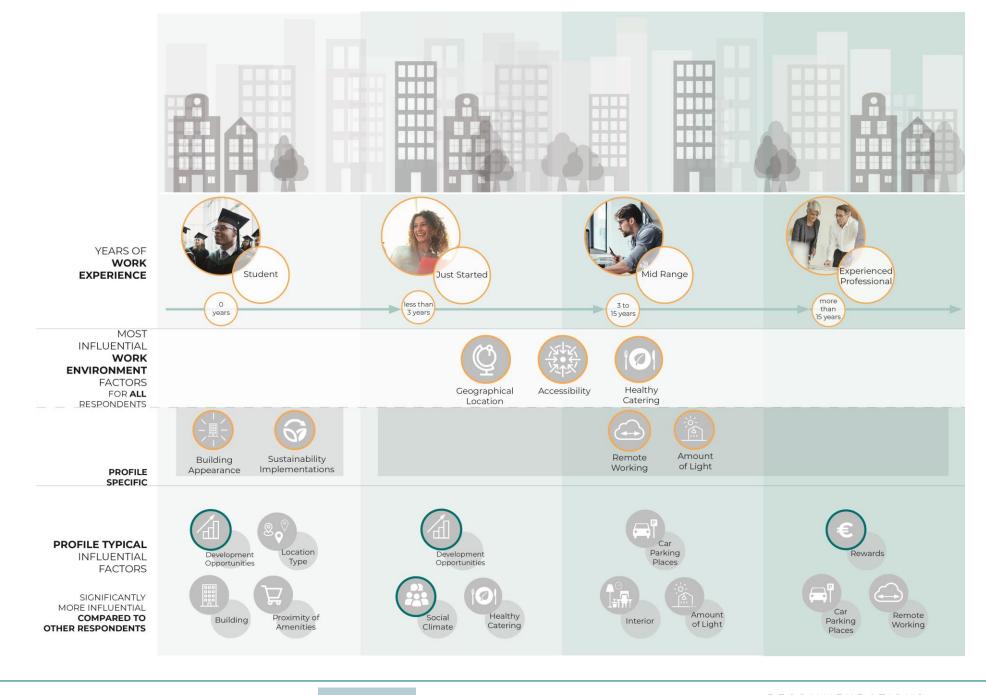












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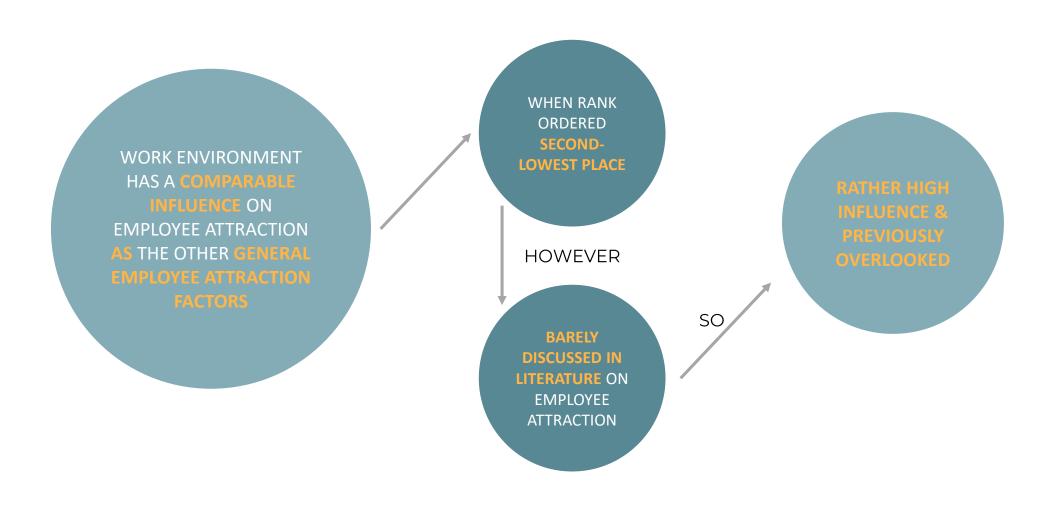


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THE SURVEY
RESPONDENTS HAVE A
COMPARABLE OPINION
ON THE DEGREE OF
INFLUENCE OF THE WORK
ENVIRONMENT

WHEN TESTED AGAINST GENERAL EMPLOYEE ATTRACTION VARIABLES





RESPONDENTS ARE WILLING TO GIVE UP

7,1% OF THEIR

SALARY IN

EXCHANGE FOR

THEIR IDEAL WORK

ENVIRONMENT





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SIGNIFICANT
DIFFERENCES FOUND
BETWEEN GROUPS FOR
ALMOST ALL VARIABLES





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JOB APPLICANT DOES
NOT ALWAYS HAVE
INFORMATION ON THE
WORK ENVIRONMENT
OF A POTENTIAL JOB

INFLUENCE OF WORK
ENVIRONMENT MIGHT
BE DIFFERENT IN
ECOMONIC RECESSION



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QUESTIONS IN
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OFFICES
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FOR
ATTRACTIVENESS

QUALITATIVE
INTERVIEWS FOR
MORE IN-DEPTH
INFORMATION



# **QUESTIONS?**

