



# Working in a culturally different virtual environments

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	WITH MY CULTURAL BACKGROUND	WITH OTHER CULTURAL BACKGROUNDS	EXPLANATION OF DIFFERENCES
SPEED OF MAKING DECISIONS	QUICKER DECISIONS, BUT CAN BE RUSHED SOMETIMES	MORE DISCUSSION BEFORE MAKING A DECISION WILL MAKE IT SLOWER	DIFFERENCE COMES FROM HOW FLUENT IS THE COMMUNICATION AND UNDERSTANDING OF HIERARCHY
FEELING COMFORTABLE IN THE MEETINGS	COMFORTABLE DEPENDING ON THE GROUP MEMBERS	MAKING SURE THAT OTHERS ARE HEARD, BECAUSE OF POSSIBLE LANGUAGE BARRIER. COMFORTABLE	OUR TEAM AGREED THAT THE CULTURAL BACKGROUND OF A TEAM DOESN'T MAKE THE MEETING MUCH MORE COMFORTABLE. THIS CAN BE A RESULT OF GETTING USED TO IT AFTER WORKING A LOT WITH INTERNATIONAL TEAMS.
QUALITY OF OUTPUT	GOOD, BUT BEING MORE COMFORTABLE IN A GROUP CAN HAVE A NEGATIVE EFFECT ON QUALITY	WE TEND TO TRY WORK HARDER IN GROUPS OF DIFFERENT CULTURAL BACKGROUNDS AND THE QUALITY IS TYPICALLY BETTER	OUR TEAM BELIEVES THAT CULTURAL DIFFERENCES CAN HAVE A POSITIVE EFFECT ON THE QUALITY OF OUTPUT. WHEN A GROUP IS MORE DIVERSE, THERE ARE TYPICALLY MORE DIVERSE OPINIONS AND OFFERS MULTIPERSPECTIVITY