

Talent competitiveness profile

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## OVERALL PERFORMANCE (69 economies)

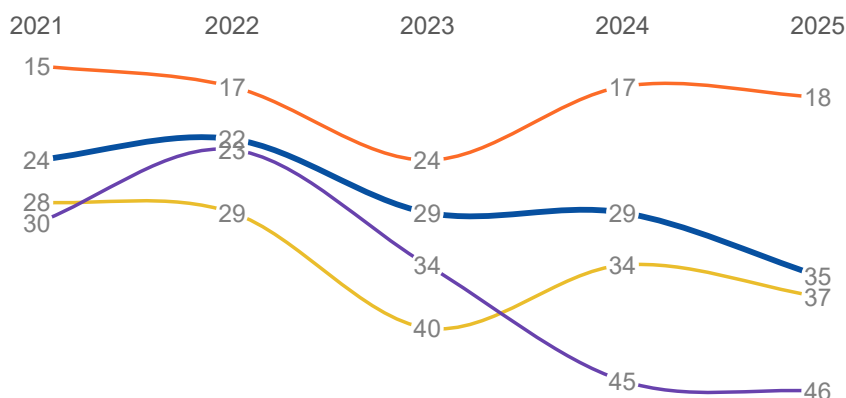
Rank 2025

**35 Overall**

**18 Investment & Development**

**37 Appeal**

**46 Readiness**



► Overall top strengths  
▷ Overall top weaknesses

### INVESTMENT & DEVELOPMENT

		Value	2025 Rank
Total public expenditure on education	Percentage of GDP	5.2 %	18
Total public exp. on education per student	Spending per enrolled pupil/student, all levels	7,719 US\$	28
► Pupil-teacher ratio (primary education)	Ratio of students to teaching staff	11.80 ratio	12
► Pupil-teacher ratio (secondary education)	Ratio of students to teaching staff	9.10 ratio	7
Apprenticeships	are sufficiently implemented	4.62 survey [0-10]	50
Employee training	is a high priority in companies	5.48 survey [0-10]	49
► Female labor force	Percentage of total labor force	48.30 %	13
Health infrastructure	meets the needs of society	5.88 survey [0-10]	36

### APPEAL

		Value	2025 Rank
► Cost-of-living index	Index of a basket of goods & services in the main city	58.73 index	11
▷ Attracting and retaining talent	is a priority in companies	5.81 survey [0-10]	58
Worker motivation	in companies is high	5.07 survey [0-10]	49
Brain drain	does not hinder competitiveness in your economy	5.00 survey [0-10]	34
Quality of life	is high	7.15 survey [0-10]	31
Foreign highly skilled personnel	are attracted to your country's business environment	5.78 survey [0-10]	31
▷ Remuneration of management	Total base salary plus bonuses and long-term incentives, US\$	85,236 US\$	52
Collected personal income tax	On profits, income and capital gains, as a percentage of GDP	3.75 %	31
Justice	is fairly administered	4.49 survey [0-10]	48
Exposure to particle pollution	Mean population exposure to PM2.5, Micrograms per cubic meter	13.69 micrograms	27
Statutory minimum wage	Statutory gross monthly minimum wage US\$	1,082.38 US\$	18

### READINESS

		Value	2025 Rank
▷ Labor force growth	Percentage change	0.45 %	51
▷ Skilled labor	is readily available	4.59 survey [0-10]	52
Finance skills	are readily available	5.78 survey [0-10]	41
International experience	of senior managers is generally significant	5.33 survey [0-10]	39
Competent senior managers	are readily available	5.33 survey [0-10]	42
Primary and secondary education	meets the needs of a competitive economy	6.24 survey [0-10]	31
▷ Graduates in Sciences	STEM graduates, % of all graduates	10.20 %	62
University education	meets the needs of a competitive economy	7.18 survey [0-10]	22
Management education	meets the needs of the business community	6.20 survey [0-10]	40
Language skills	are meeting the needs of enterprises	7.81 survey [0-10]	19
► Student mobility inbound	Foreign tertiary-level students per 1000 inhabitants	11.43 number	4
Educational assessment - PISA	PISA survey of 15-year olds	403 Average	48



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