INTERVIEW GUIDE: OPTIMIZING HOLIDAY EXPERIENCE FOR USERS

INTRODUCTION

Hello, my name is **Kevin Wasonga**, and I'm conducting this interview to better understand how we can make holidays more enjoyable and stress-free for everyone. The goal is to identify the common challenges people face during holidays and explore possible solutions. Your honest responses will be highly valuable.

HYPOTHESES

- 1. Many people experience stress during holidays due to improper planning.
- 2. Lack of access to a tour guide causes confusion and anxiety when exploring new locations.
- 3. A lack of engaging activities leads to dissatisfaction during holidays.

PLANNING

- 1. How do you budget for your holiday trips?
- 2. What factors influence your choice of travel destination?
- 3. When planning with friends, what methods do you use to coordinate and finalize travel arrangements?
- 4. Have you ever encountered conflicts during the planning stage? If so, how did you resolve them?

TOUR GUIDES

- 1. When visiting a new destination, at what stage do you typically decide to hire a tour quide (if at all)?
- 2. What attributes or skills do you consider most important in a tour guide?
- 3. How do you address language or cultural barriers when interacting with tour guides in unfamiliar regions?
- 4. Have you ever had a negative experience with a tour guide? How did it impact your trip?

ACTIVITIES

- 1. What are your go-to activities during a holiday?
- 2. Have you noticed specific activities your travel companions usually enjoy? How do these align with your preferences?
- 3. Are there any activities you haven't tried yet but would love to explore on your next trip?
- 4. When you and your travel partners disagree on activities, how do you resolve the conflict?
- 5. Do you prefer structured itineraries or spontaneous adventures? Why?

CONCLUSION

Thank you for sharing your insights. Your responses will play a crucial role in creating better holiday experiences for travelers like you. If you know anyone else who would be willing to participate in this study, please let me know. Have a wonderful day, and until next time. Bye.