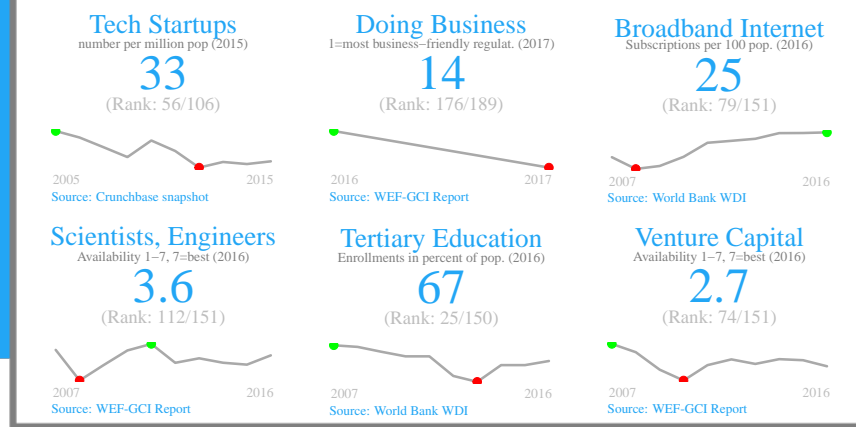


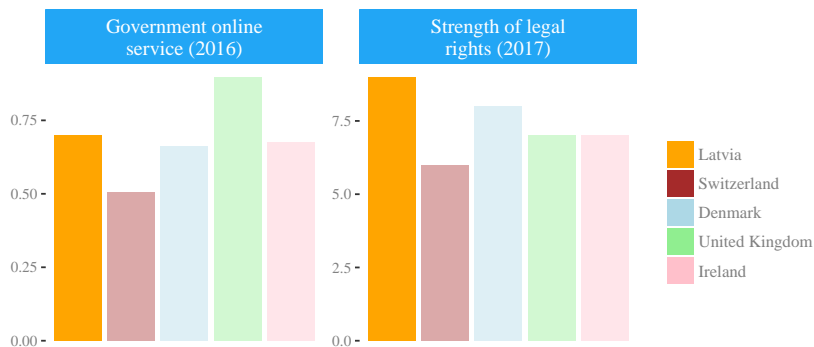
Latvia

Country Snapshot



POLICY Laws, regulations, and government initiatives

GOVERNMENT INDEXES



SOURCES: GLOBAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

INVESTMENT FRIENDLINESS

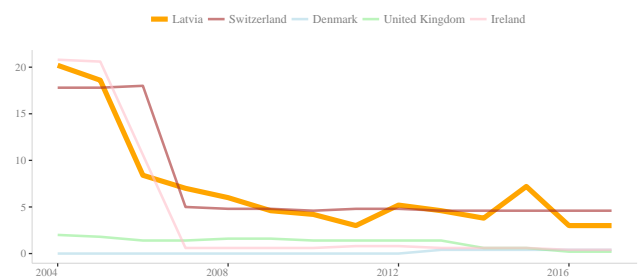


SOURCE: INVESTING ACROSS BORDERS

DOING BUSINESS 2017

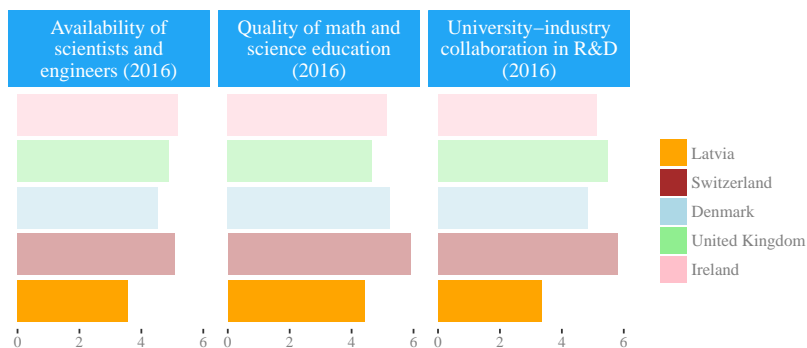
	2016	DTF	Change	2016	Rank	Change
Ease of doing business index	79.14	80.61	1.47	17	14	3
Dealing with Construction Permits	78.94	78.93	-0.01	20	23	-3
Enforcing Contracts	71.66	71.66	0	23	23	0
Getting Credit	75	85	10	19	7	12
Getting Electricity	78.99	82.14	3.15	57	42	15
Paying Taxes	88.84	89.79	0.95	16	15	1
Protecting Minority Investors	63.33	63.33	0	40	42	-2
Registering Property	81.87	81.87	0	23	23	0
Resolving Insolvency	48.1	49.1	1	43	44	-1
Starting a Business	94.15	94.15	0	20	22	-2
Trading Across Borders	95.26	95.26	0	25	25	0

SOURCE: DOING BUSINESS

COST OF BUSINESS STARTUP PROCEDURES
% of GNI per capita

SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI

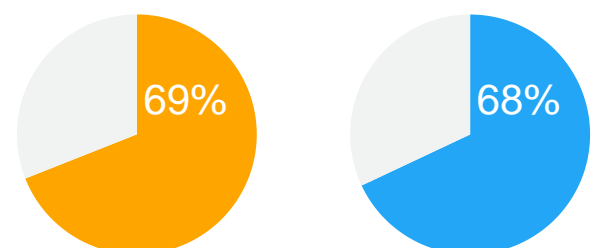
HUMAN CAPITAL State of educational institutions and access to skilled labor

AVAILABILITY OF SKILLED LABOR AND EDUCATION
(1-7, 7 = best)

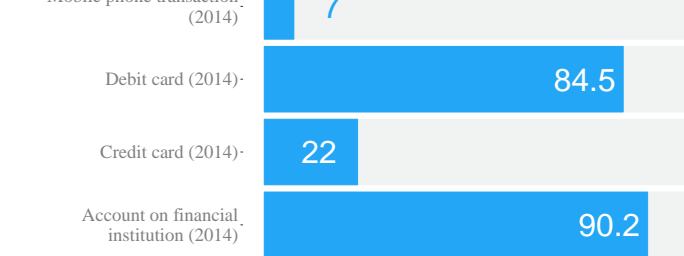
SOURCE: WEF-GCI REPORT

POPULATION EMPLOYED IN SERVICES SECTOR
(% total employed population)

Latvia (2014) ECS (simple average, 2014)



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SOURCE: WORLD BANK - INDEX



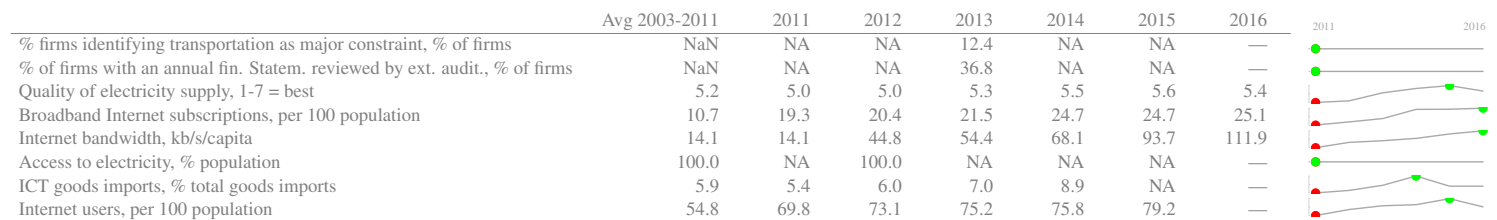
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CULTURE Societal attitudes toward entrepreneurship



SOURCES: GLOBAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP MONITOR - ADULT POPULATION; WORLD BANK - WDI

SUPPORTS Infrastructure and support services available through incubators, accelerators and other NGOs



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