

## Regional Influence Questionnaire

Instructions: please select the answer that most accurately represents your personal experience/opinion.

Please note: The researchers have taken every precaution to protect the information gathered. All answers are completely anonymous and cannot be traced back to survey respondents.

1. What is your age?

- a. Under 20
- b. 21-30
- c. 31-40
- d. 41-50
- e. 51+

2. How long have you lived in the Middle East and North Region (MENA) Region?

- a. Less than 5 years
- b. 5-10 years
- c. 10-20 years
- d. Life-long resident
- e. I do not currently live in a MENA Region country

3. Has an official (such as a police or border officer or any individual in a position of power) ever requested that you personally provide money or gifts in exchange for services?

- a. Never
- b. Rarely
- c. Sometimes
- d. Often
- e. Weekly

4. In your personal opinion, how dangerous is it to travel on the major roads within your home country?

- a. Not dangerous at all
- b. Somewhat dangerous
- c. Dangerous
- d. Very dangerous
- e. Whenever possible, I avoid traveling on the major roads within my country

5. In your personal opinion, how dangerous is it to travel on the major roads between countries in the MENA region?

- a. Not dangerous at all
- b. Somewhat dangerous
- c. Dangerous
- d. Very dangerous
- e. Whenever possible, I avoid traveling on the major roads throughout the region

6. In your personal opinion, how important is to protect cultural heritage sites, including archaeological sites and museums?

- a. Not important
- b. Somewhat important
- c. Important
- d. Very Important
- e. Absolutely necessary

7. Which statement best fits your beliefs about financial resources from the government, aid organizations, or foreign aid being used to protect archaeological sites?

- a. I believe that financial resources should be used to protect archaeological sites
- b. I believe that financial resources should be used for other purposes
- c. I do not believe that archaeological sites require protection
- d. I do not have an opinion on using financial resources to protect archaeological sites

8. Would you be willing to transport illegally obtained artifacts from archaeological sites for financial gain?

- a. Yes
- b. No
- c. Prefer not to answer

9. In your personal experience, have you ever been asked to store artifacts obtained through thievery from archaeological sites or museums?

- a. Yes
- b. No
- c. Prefer not to answer

10. Which statement best expresses the influence of your personal faith beliefs about the display and legitimacy of artifacts recovered from archaeological sites?

- a. I believe artifacts from archaeological sites should not be displayed in museums
- b. I believe that legitimately-obtained artifacts from archaeological sites should be displayed in museums
- c. I believe that only legitimately-obtained artifacts from specific time periods should be displayed in museums
- d. I do not have an opinion on the display and legitimacy of artifacts