DEMAND FOR RESIDENCE & CITIZENSHIP BY INVESTMENT

Module Overview

The contemporary world has seen a great rise in people possessing multiple citizenships and residences. There are a number of factors that have contributed to this increase in popularity of such programmes and in this module, we examine this in detail.   It also looks at what motivates people to acquire an additional citizenship or residence through investment. Most people look into IM programmes, since their own citizenship limits their choices - therefore they are looking to secure present and future mobility. Others are looking to secure significant business and tax benefits.

These motives are different from those of participants in residence by investment programmes. Typically, such participants are more interested in the rights and benefits which one will secure within the state, rather than those secured outside it, such as a visa-free travel.

Learning Outcomes

- Introduce the expansion of dual citizenship provisions and their implications.
- Present the key demographics of demand for both citizenship and residence by investment programs in different parts of the world.
- Outline the differences in the demographics in overall demand for different market segments both for citizenship and residence programs.
- Outline the differences in demand from different countries of origin for different market segments.
- Explain the main motives of people participating in both citizenship and residence by investment programs, addressing the differences between the two.
- Examine the impact of Covid-19 on demand.
- Assess general factors that determine patterns of demand.
- Outline factors that lead to increased and decreased demand.

Course Format

- Delivered online via an easy to use, comprehensive Learning Management System (LMS)
- Accessible by a range of mobile and laptop technologies
- To be completed within 30 days

Entry Requirements

- Good educational background
- Ability to complete the readings and comprehend core principles in the English language