

## CAPRI Public Forum with Richard Bush

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**Difficult Choices survey (1/10)** 



### 1. Are you confident in the future prospects of Taiwan? 你對台灣的未來有信心嗎?

A. I'm extremely confident. 我非常有信心。

14 %

B. I'm confident to a certain level. 我在一定程度上有信心。

65 %

C. I'm not confident. 我完全沒有信心。

16 %

D. I don't know. 我不知道。



**Difficult Choices survey (2/10)** 



2. In your personal experience, has the Taiwanese government done a good job in promoting both economic growth and social equality? 根據你的個人經歷,你認為台灣政府在推動經濟成長和促進社會公平兩方面都做得很好嗎? (1/2)

A. The government has done a good job promoting both economic growth and social equality. 政府在推動經濟成長和促進社會公平兩方面都做得很好。

25 %

B. The government has done a better job promoting economic growth than social equality. 政府在推動經濟成長方面做的比促進社會公平還要好。

40 %

C. The government s done a better job promoting social equality than economic growth. 政府在促進社會公平方面做的比推動經濟成長還要好。



**Difficult Choices survey (2/10)** 



- 2. In your personal experience, has the Taiwanese government done a good job in promoting both economic growth and social equality? 根據你的個人經歷,你認為台灣政府在推動經濟成長和促進社會公平兩方面都做得很好嗎? (2/2)
- D. The government has done a poor job promoting social equality and economic growth. 政府在推動經濟成長和促進社會公平兩方面都做得不好。

14 %

E. None of the above. 以上皆否。



Difficult Choices survey (3/10)



3. Do you believe that Taiwan citizens and corporations should pay more in taxes in order to meet the needs of social welfare? 為了社會福利,你認為台灣民眾和企業是否應該繳更多稅?

A. Both wage earners and big corporations should pay more tax. 勞工與大企業都應該繳更多稅。

28 %

B. Only big corporations should pay more tax. 只有大企業才應該繳更多稅。

43 %

C. Taiwan citizens and corporations paid enough in taxes, the government should utilize tax income more efficiently. 台灣民眾和企業已經在繳足夠的稅,政府應該更有效率地運用稅收。



**Difficult Choices survey (3/10)** 



- 3. Do you believe that Taiwan citizens and corporations should pay more in taxes in order to meet the needs of social welfare? 為了社會福利,你認為台灣民眾和企業是否應該繳更多稅? (2/2)
- D. Taiwan citizens and corporations are paying too much tax. 台灣民眾和企業已經繳了過多的稅。
- 2 %



**Difficult Choices survey (4/10)** 



4. Based on your personal experiences, do you agree that overall the Taiwanese government has done a good job upholding rule of law and social justice? 根據你的個人經歷,你是否同意台灣政府整體而言在促進法治和社會公義方面做得很好? (1/2)

A. I strongly agree. 我非常同意。

12 %

B. I agree. 我同意。

53 %

C. I disagree. 我不同意。

23 %

D. I strongly disagree. 我非常不同意



**Difficult Choices survey (4/10)** 



4. Based on your personal experiences, do you agree that overall the Taiwanese government has done a good job upholding rule of law and social justice? 根據你的個人經歷,你是否同意台灣政府整體而言在促進法治和社會公義方面做得很好?

E. I'm not sure. 我不確定。





**Difficult Choices survey (5/10)** 



5. Based on your personal experience, how would you describe the performance of the Taiwan government in addressing COVID-19 crisis? 根據你的個人經歷,你如何評價台灣政府在新冠肺炎疫情期間的表現?

A. The government has done an excellent job. 政府的表現非常好。

45 %

B. The government's performance is acceptable. 政府表現的還可以。

42 %

C. The government has not done so well. 政府的表現不太好。

10 %

D. The government has done a terrible job. 政府的表現很差。





**Difficult Choices survey (6/10)** 



6. Are you willing to pay more for electricity if you knew it would help to reduce pollution and the emission of greenhouse gases? 如果付更多電費可以幫助減少污染和溫室氣體的排放,你願意嗎?

A. Yes. 我願意。

78 %

B. No. 我不願意。

7 %

C. I'm not sure. 我不確定。



**Difficult Choices survey (7/10)** 



# 7. Do you think China is more of a threat to or opportunity for Taiwan's future? 你認為對台灣的未來而言,中國更是一種威脅還是一種機會? (1/2)

A. China is more of a threat. 中國更是一種威脅。

56 %

- B. China is more of an opportunity. 中國更是一種機會。
- 1 %
- C. China is both a threat and an opportunity. 中國既是一種威脅也是一種機會。

- D. China is Taiwan's future for better or worse. 無論好壞,中國都是台灣的未來。
- 2 %



**Difficult Choices survey (7/10)** 



7. Do you think China is more of a threat to or opportunity for Taiwan's future? 你認為對台灣的未來而言,中國更是一種威脅還是一種機會? (2/2)

E. I'm not sure. 我不確定。



**Difficult Choices survey (8/10)** 



8. What is your view on the conscription period in Taiwan if China's military power continues to grow? 如果中國的軍事力量持續增加,你對台灣的兵役長度有什麽看法?

(1/2)

A. The conscription period needs to be extended to even longer than one year. 應超過一年。

43 %

B. The conscription period of one year is fine. 應為一年。

37 %

C. The conscription period should be changed back to four months. 應為四個月。



**Difficult Choices survey (8/10)** 



- 8. What is your view on the conscription period in Taiwan if China's military power continues to grow? 如果中國的軍事力量持續增加,你對台灣的兵役長度有什麼看法?
  (2/2)
- D. The conscription system should be abolished and replaced with voluntary service. 義務役制度應該被取消,並改為志願役制度。



**Difficult Choices survey (9/10)** 



9. Do you agree that a democratic government can better address the social, economic, and political challenges Taiwan is facing? 你是否同意,一個民主的政府更能因應台灣當下面臨的社會、經濟與政治挑戰?

(1/2)

A. Compared with other forms of government, a democratic government can best address the challenges Taiwan is facing. 和其他形式的政府相比,一個民主的政府更能因應台灣面臨的挑戰。

60 %

B. A democratic government can better address these challenges, but the Taiwan government is not sufficiently capable to do so. 一個民主的政府更能因應台灣當下面臨的挑戰,但台灣政府沒有足夠的能力做到。



**Difficult Choices survey (9/10)** 



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(2/2)

- D. An authoritarian government is probably more capable of addressing the challenges Taiwan is facing. 一個威權政府可能更能因應台灣當下面臨的挑戰。
- 1 %
- E. Different forms of governments have their advantages in addressing different kinds of challenges. 不同形式的政府在因應不同的挑戰時有各自的優勢。



**Difficult Choices survey (10/10)** 



## 10. Who do you think is driving a wedge among the Taiwanese? 你認為是誰在製造台灣社會的分裂? (1/2)

- A. The Kuomintang 國民黨
  - 8 %
- B. The Democratic Progressive Party 民進黨
- 6 %
- C. The People's Republic of China 中國

- D. The United States 美國
- 3 %



**Difficult Choices survey (10/10)** 



## 10. Who do you think is driving a wedge among the Taiwanese? 你認為是誰在製造台灣社會的分裂? (2/2)

E. Taiwanese people are simply divided and the parties are a reflection of such polarization, not the driver. 台灣社會本來就是分裂的,政黨沒有製造社會分裂,而是在反映這種社會分裂。