



## FUTURE

**Voice 1 :** As soon as the borders are open of other countries I can't wait to travel around Europe and beyond, and find something in the Travel, Tourism industry because I really enjoy the interaction with people and exploring other countries. I think that I will also carry on this on-line conversation with people because I really find it rewarding to help people learn my language and give this contribution with my skills that I have learned during this time.

**Voice 2 :** I think yes, the world will be a better place. Of course, it's deeply tragic about the lives that we have lost, the damage to the economy that has occurred. But I think moving forward there are some harsh truths and lessons to be learned, and we are better off for it. Personally speaking, for example, you know in a routine like we had just before the pandemic, everything was fast. You wanted everything super quick, you were just counting the minutes for everything to come through, and suddenly, in the pandemic, all your counting is just wasted because you don't have anything else to do. So there's a sudden re-emergence of the movement of living life slowly, and thinking and reflecting and all of that and I think that personally speaking I would never have thought of doing all of this if the pandemic had not hit. And it's probably something that I need to improve on going forward, that I probably need to probably take care of these things better, but I really feel that as the pandemic has progressed we have started looking at things in a different perspective. We are starting to slow down, we are starting to take a deep breath – let's just say that. We are starting to focus on things that really matter to us. For example, during the pandemic, I agreed with my parents that we would call each other at least once a day, or once in two days, just to keep in touch because they're back home in India, I'm here. So, the focus on family, it grew a lot. I'm not the kind of person who keeps in touch with his folks that often. I have to admit that I'm a bit ashamed of that saying it out loud, but for me moving forward I feel that there are harsh truths to learn from it.

**Voice 3 :** Donald Trump was probably going to sleepwalk into another term as US President if it hadn't been for Covid. It certainly knocked the stuffing out of Bolsanaro in Brazil, I think, to a certain extent. So I think, yeah, the world possibly will be a better place. I think people connected to nature a lot more. I think people maybe are getting a bit of a heads up – climate change, protection of nature, and the pollution agenda is becoming increasingly in the news.

**Voice 4 :** We did some research and I asked my friends about their feelings and their experiences about this Covid situation. And one of my friends said, 'I fell in love and I have enough time, a lot of time, to convince myself that it was true love and the man for me'. So they really took time to be together to get to know each other and they are very happy!