

# **Emerging Trends in Workforce Solutions Asia Pacific**

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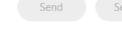


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# **Emerging Trends in Workforce Solutions - Asia Pacific**

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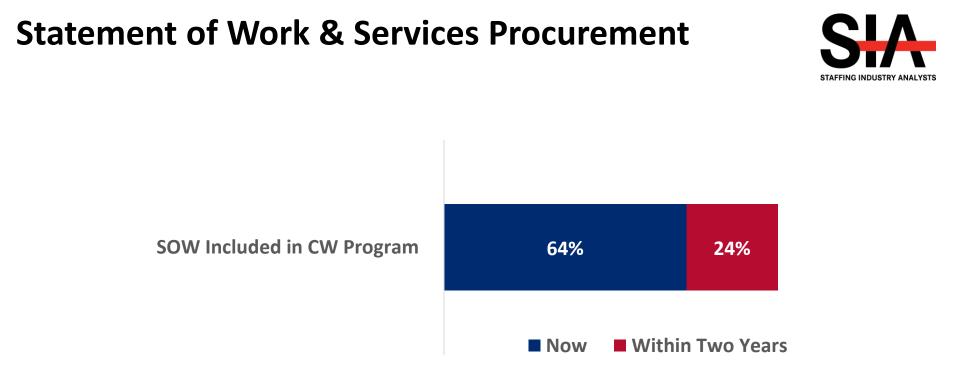


# **Buyers Considering Workforce Strategies**



Consolidation of staffing suppliers	6	7%	29%	
Supplier tiering	6	7%	24%	
SOW included in CW program	64	1%	24%	
Global management of CW	609	%	33%	
Program for diversity suppliers	609	%	31%	
Trying out new staffing suppliers	44%	31%		In place today
CW as part of strategic planning	31%	53%		
Direct Sourcing of CW	27%	49%		
Sourcing automation technology	25%	48%		Likely to be seriously explored within two years
Program to align CW & diversity goals	22%	64%		
Talent pools/self sourcing of CW	22%	62%		
Total talent acquisition	18%	47%		
Use of robots to perform tasks	16%	40%		
Company career site for attracting CW	16%	58%		Source: Workforce Solutions Buyer Survey,
Robotic process automation	11% 47	2%		Asia Pacific, 2020

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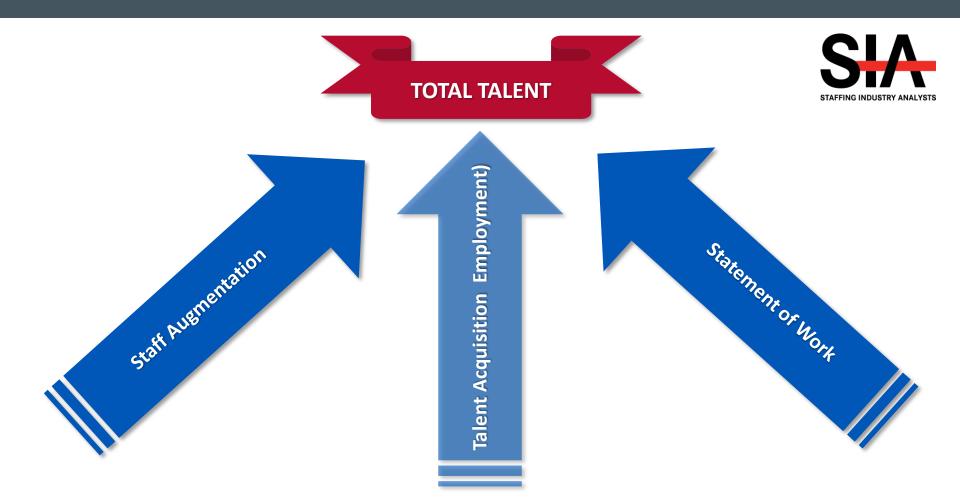


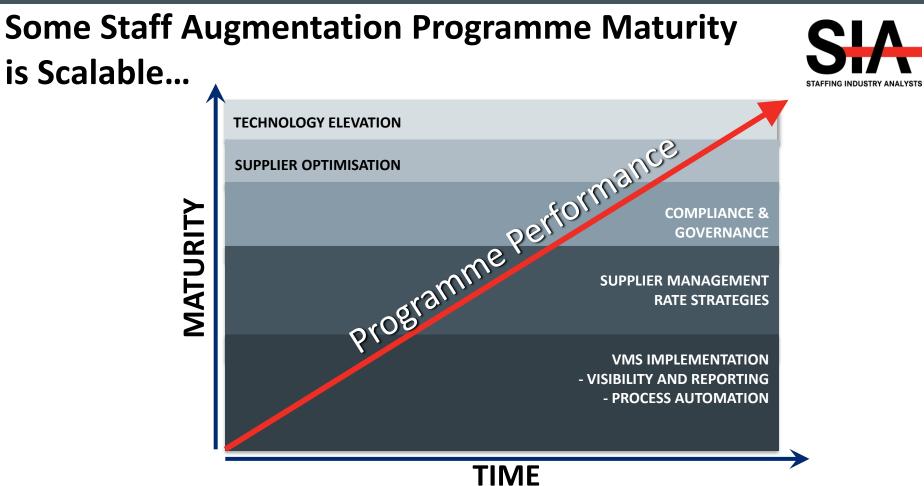
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# Why?





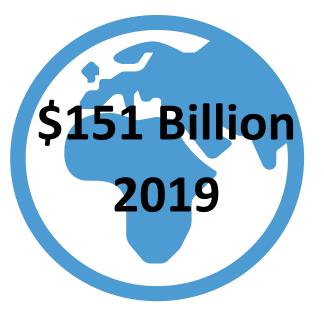




### **MSP Market Activity**



MSP spend, up 7% y/y



#### MSP SOW spend up 9% y/y



Source: SIA, MSP Landscape and Differentiators, 2020 SIA | Staffing Industry Analysts Contingent Workforce Strategies Council Webinar

### **Example Investments and Partnerships**



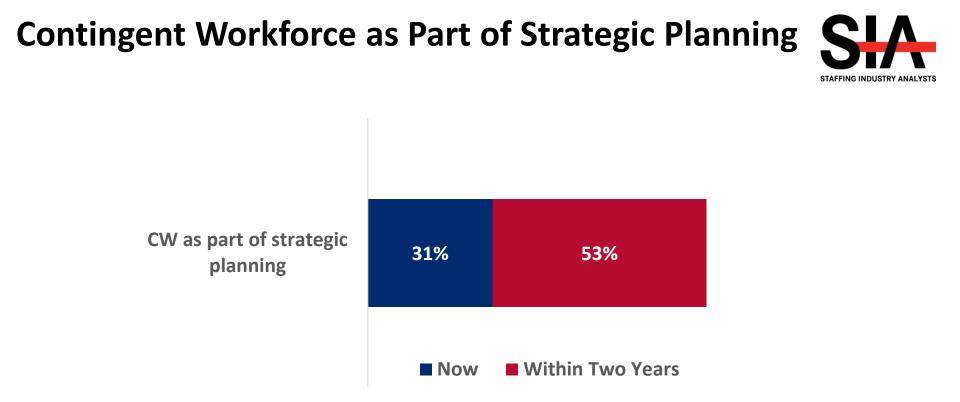
- Hiring procurement professionals into dedicated practices
- VMS partnerships with specific services procurement capability
- Investments in SOW parsing and processing technology
- SIA SOW certification

# **Case Study – Starting with SOW**



Client Goals	Solution	Results
<ul> <li>Agile/lean approach</li> <li>Mitigate risk</li> <li>Engage the 'big 4'</li> <li>Optimize supplier base</li> <li>High-touch engagement</li> <li>Synchronize with existing program using single VMS</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Program branding strategy</li> <li>RFx creation, evaluation and negotiation</li> <li>Milestone and deliverable management</li> <li>User community feedback</li> <li>Training program and guidance</li> <li>Same day reporting</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>High purchasing manager adoption</li> <li>Engagement of 'big 4' and high value partners</li> <li>\$65m annual SOW spend managed</li> <li>Weekly processing of \$1.1m milestone payments/week</li> <li>Awarded broader workforce contract</li> </ul>

Source: Guidant Global



Source: SIA, Workforce Solutions Buyer Survey Asia Pacific, 2020 SIA | Staffing Industry Analysts Contingent Workforce Strategies Council Webinar



# Why?





# **CONTINGENT WORKFORCE**







# Companies want to be <u>AGILE</u> and see contingent workers as the key

TRADITIONAL EMPLOYMENT ZONE While needs may be predictable, steep learning curves indicates a preference for traditional employees whose skills can be honed and enhanced. Expect below average contingent usage. ACTIONS Focus on contingent use primarily as absence substitution strategy.	PROPRIETARY SEASONAL ZONE           With high variability and low ability to transfer knowledge, positions in this zone often build a core team of "matrixed" traditional employees to meet seasonal needs           Expect average contingent use.           ACTIONS           Identify positions with greatest knowledge transfer potential and use contingents there.		
INTERCHANGEABLE STAFF ZONE Contingent use enabled by ease of substituting one worker for another, but workforce needs are easily predictable and stable. Expect average contingent usage. ACTIONS Do cost comparison for contingents and minimize overall workforce talent costs.	HIGH CONTINGENT USAGE ZONE         Shallow learning curves make meeting position needs in high volatility a function of cost and recruitment.         Expect above average contingent usage.         ACTIONS         Maximum contingent use limited only by analysis of cost and intellectual property risk.		
LOW POSITION	VOLATILITY HIGH		



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### **MSP Provider Capability**



Service	% of providers offering service	% describing service as mature	Reported client adoption
Monitoring of diversity and inclusion within contingent workforce	84%	36%	>50%
Support client demand forecasting	80%	44%	>50%
Provision of regional / global workforce trend data	76%	58%	>50%
Technology to identify best location of hire / worker	72%	60%	>50%
Program to increase diversity of contingent workforce	72%	28%	<50%
Workforce mix analysis (employee and non employee)	64%	20%	<50%
Pre-requisition decision tool to determine optimum worker type	64%	28%	<50%
Workforce planning tool/technology	36%	16%	>50%

Source: SIA, MSP Landscape and Differentiators, 2020, Sample size: 25

### **Example Investments and Partnerships**

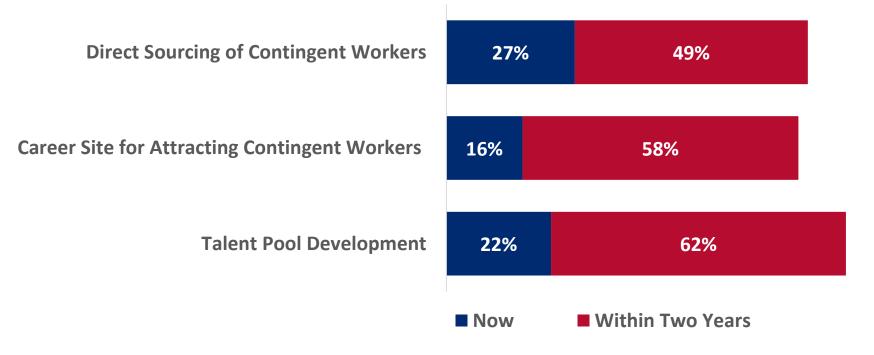


- Dedicated market insights centres of excellence with qualified researchers
- Proprietary workforce intelligence platforms with integrations to VMS and external data
- Partnerships with diversity leaders and experts for informed programme development
- Acquisition of technology platforms for big data analytics
- Talent diversity market data platforms

Source: SIA, MSP Landscape and Differentiators, 2020

# **Getting Closer to the Contingent Workforce**



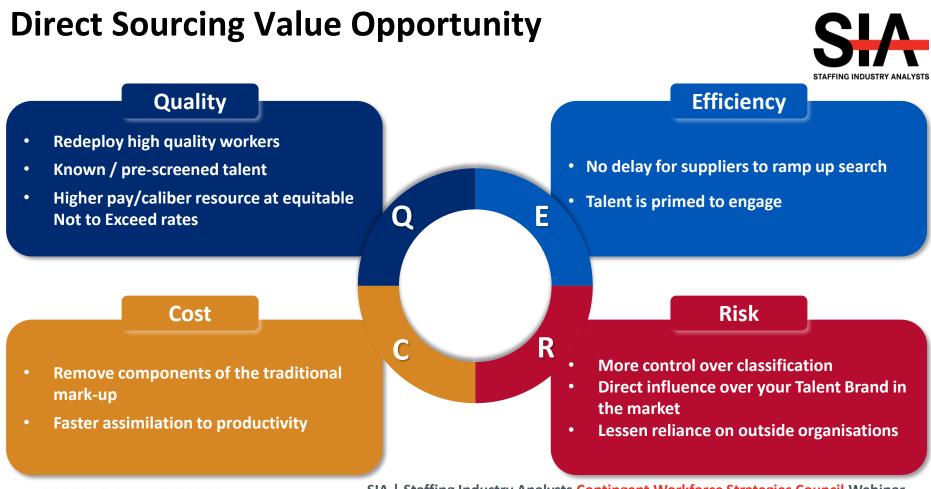


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# Why?







### **People are NOT a Commodity**







### "Great side gig, awesome culture"

# glassdoor



"Don't waste your time"

#### **\*\*\*BOTH WERE CONTRACTORS**





### **MSP Provider Capability**



Service	% of providers offering service	% describing service as mature	Reported client adoption
Direct sourcing service with dedicated recruiters	92%	48%	< 50%
Provide a talent pool of pre-qualified /screened workers	92%	44%	< 50%
Technology adoption for direct sourcing	88%	40%	< 50%
Sourcing CWs using the client brand	84%	36%	< 50%
Segmented candidate communities	80%	44%	< 50%

Source: SIA, MSP Landscape and Differentiators, 2020

Sample size: 25

# **Example Investments & Partnerships**



- Client branded contingent worker career sites hosted on provider's infrastructure
- Leveraging Candidate Relationship Management technology such as Avature to attract, source, on board and evaluate independent contractors
- Development of proprietary technology that includes AI matching, screening, employee referral and visibility of all talent types
- Formal partnerships with technologies such as Flexy, Fulcrum, LiveHire, The Mom Project, TalentNet and Toptal to access and curate public and private talent pools

Source: SIA, MSP Landscape and Differentiators, 2020: SIA | Staffing Industry Analysts Contingent Workforce Strategies Council Webinar

# **Case Study – Incorporating Direct Sourcing**



### Client Goals • Improve programme governance

- Capture global headcount
- Mitigate risk
- Maximise VMS functionality
- Incorporate all talent types

#### Solution

- Phased deployment across all worker types
- Deployed direct sourcing platform (TalentNet) and talent curation for niche roles
- High-touch approach with education, roadshows and Q&A
- Designed sole provider solution for field labor
- New screening protocol for IT coding roles

#### Program expansion into additional locations and business units

Results

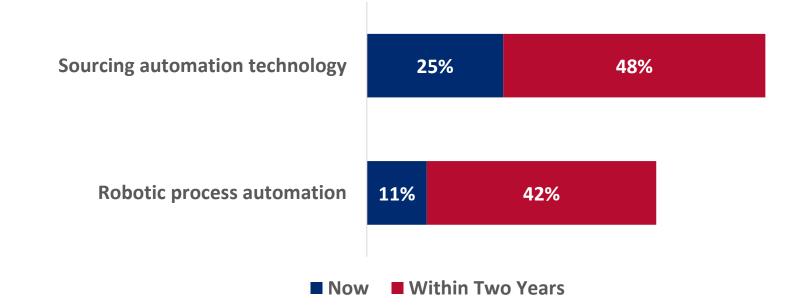
- Increased managed spend by 90% in under 9 months
- Direct sourcing initiative delivered savings of circa. 13% compared to usual mark-ups

Source: Guidant Global SIA | Staffing Industry Analysts Contingent Workforce Strategies Council Webinar

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# **Moving Towards Automation**





Source: SIA, Workforce Solutions Buyer Survey Asia Pacific, 2020



# Why?







- Eliminates repetitive tasks
- Provides consistency

- Enables teams to focus on...
  - Building relationships
  - Problem solving
  - Developing new ideas

### **RPO Market Activity**





- Circa 3.7 million RPO hires in 2019
- 112 reported technologies in use
- 5% of RPO employees are in technology roles

Source: SIA, RPO Landscape, 2020

# **RPO Provider Investments in AI and Automation**



- Adoption of conversational AI and bots to automate candidate screen and apply at scale, reducing process from weeks to hours
- Automation of repetitive tasks such as offer letter development and on-boarding admin
- Al tools to mitigate unconscious bias in hiring decisions
- Cognitive advisor to recommend jobs and career paths based on skills, interests and personality traits
- Marketing automation to define individual user journeys
- Indexation of millions of candidate profiles in multiple languages

# **Case Study – Technology Consulting Program**

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#### **Client Goals** Solution Results Client was embarking on ٠ • Proprietary technology proposed On time delivery of the • digital transformation including people aggregator and technology deployment candidate matching, AI recruiting Increase adoption of • 10/10 client feedback on • recruitment and sourcing assistant, CRM and marketing the project technology technology, Volume CV screening Future partnership for a automation ٠ Supercharge internal • further upgrade to the sourcing and pipelining Implemented modules in three 0 recruitment technology phases to meet anticipated ۲ environment

Increase automation to drive efficiency

> Source: Allegis Global Solutions SIA | Staffing Industry Analysts Contingent Workforce Strategies Council Webinar



### Time for your questions...





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- MSP RFP Template
- RPO Landscape 2020
- MSP and VMS Provider Directory 2020
- COVID-19 Workforce Manager Responses and Intentions Survey 2020
- Workforce Solutions Buyer Survey: 2019 Full Report
- Coronavirus (COVID-19) Resource Center
- VMS and MSP Landscape Reports 2020 published December 2020

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