

## HOI AN EXPRESS

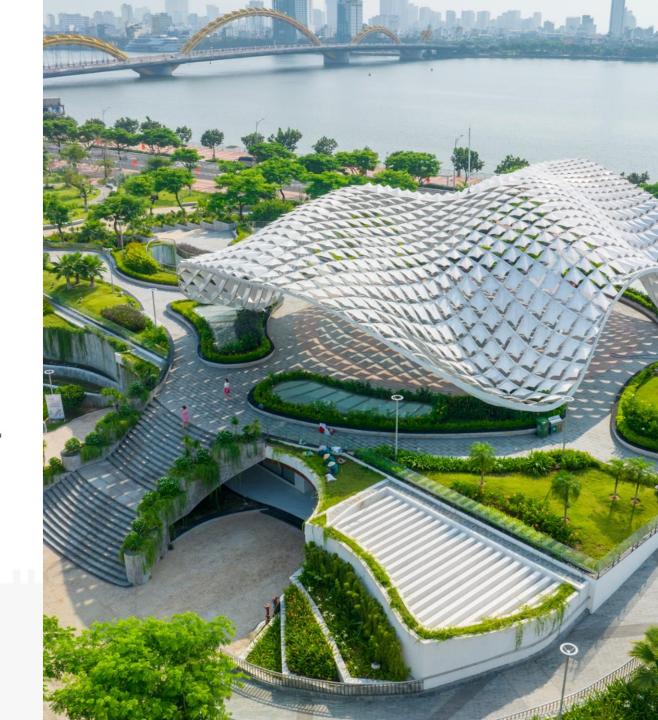
## Development & Human Resource Development aspect

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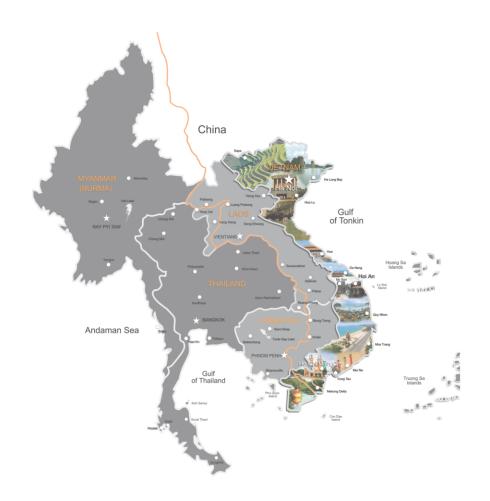
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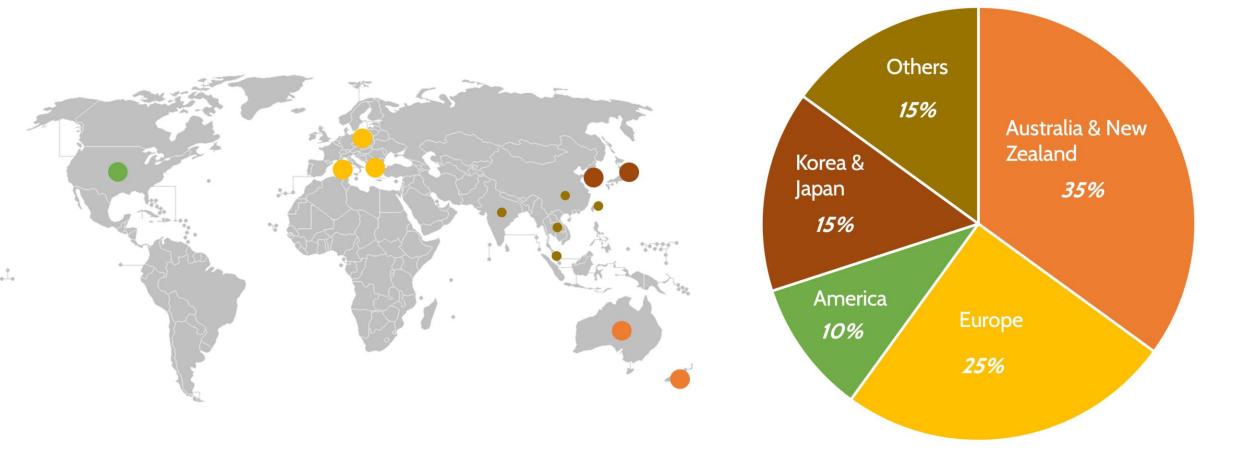
## **OUR PHILOSOPHY**

Hoi An Express is a 100% privately owned Vietnamese Travel Company and one of the **authorized Tour Operators** in Vietnam. Established in 2002, Hoi An Express aims to deliver **quality**, **diversified**, and **personalized** travel products and services to customers with focus on a **professionalism**, **customer orientation**, **integrity**, **and commitment**.

### **OUR SERVICES**

- Multi-day Tours to **Vietnam Laos Cambodia Thailand Myanmar**
- Day Tours in 9 major cities and 6 ports in Vietnam
- Airport Transfers, Car rental with Driver in 24 airports in Vietnam
- MICE Visa Ticket & Hotel booking Student trip/ Internship Rental services

## **OUR CUSTOMERS**



## **OUR PARTNERS**

### **International Corporates**

























## **Travel Agents**



























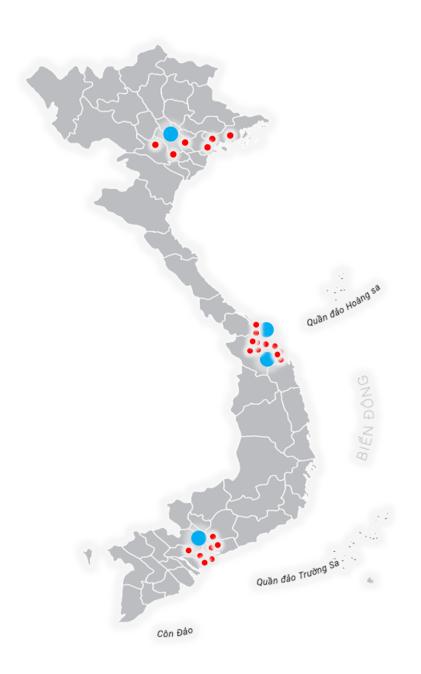




2002 – 2020

MAR 2020 – APR 2022

MAY 2022 – NOW



#### PRE-PANDAMIC: 2002 - 2020

- BOOKING OFFICE NETWORK:
  - 4 physical offices
  - 23 physical booking points in Vietnam
- 7:00 22:00 Everyday (2 shifts/day)
- Multi-day tours to Vietnam Laos Cambodia Thailand Myanmar

Day tours in most of the big cities Vietnam

Airport Transfers in 24 airports in Vietnam - Shuttle Bus - Car Rental with Driver

MICE - Visa - Ticket & Hotel booking - Student Internship - Rental services

#### PRE-PANDAMIC: 2002 - 2020

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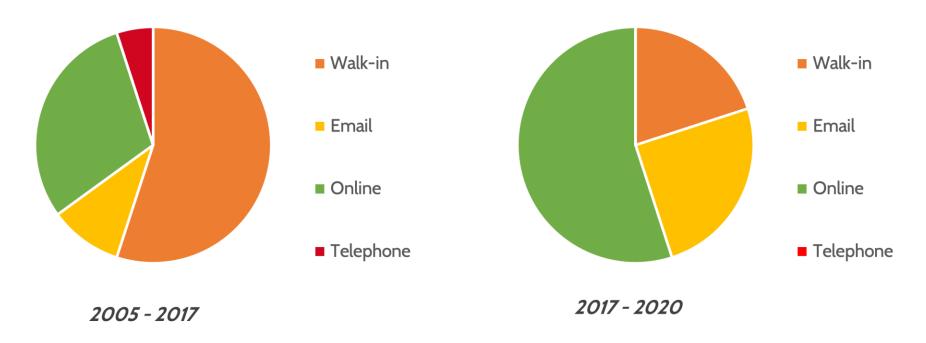
DEVELOPMENT TIMELINE

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#### **METHOD OF COMMUNICATION**



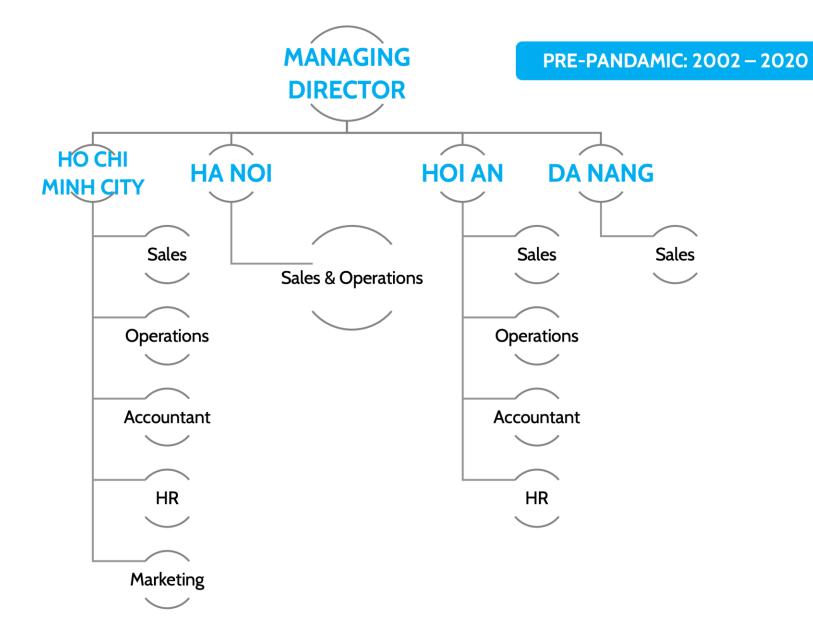
#### **CUSTOMERS' EXPECTATION**

Sustainability is not yet a big concern during this time. They mainly only wanted **fun and safe traveling that is geared more for their hobbies**, such as golf, nature, beach, history or catered to their family needs, such as traveling with young kids.

2002 – 2020

MAR 2020 – APR 2022

MAY 2022 – NOW



Up to 187 staff

2002 – 2020

MAR 2020 – APR 2022

MAY 2022 – NOW

DURING THE PEAK OF THE PANDEMIC: MAR 2020 – APR 2022

## Vietnam total shutdown: no in or out

#### **CUSTOMER EXPECTATION**

We assisted with domestic travels and helped our customers navigate through each city's specific quarantine guidelines.





## HOI AN EXPRESS

DEVELOPMENT TIMELINE

2002 – 2020

MAR 2020 – APR 2022

MAY 2022 - NOW

#### **POST PANDEMIC: MAY 2022 - NOW**



#### OFFICES:

- 2 physical offices in Ho Chi Minh City and Hoi An
- 7:00 18:00 everyday (1 shift/day)

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- Multi-day tours to Vietnam Laos Cambodia Thailand – Myanmar
- Day tours in 9 big cities and all 6 ports in Vietnam
- Airport Transfers in Ha Noi, Da Nang and Ho Chi Minh City with 24 airports in Vietnam - Shuttle Bus - Car Rental with Driver
- MICE Visa Ticket & Hotel booking Student Internship - Rental services

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#### DEVELOPMENT TIMELINE

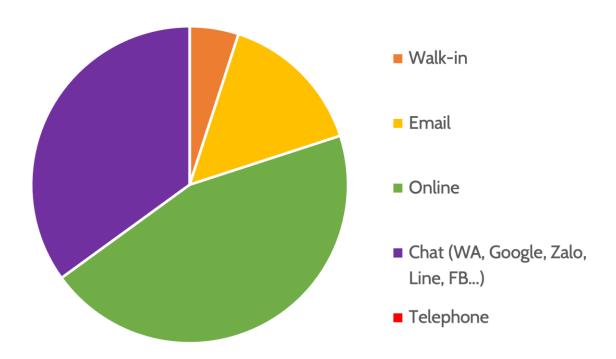
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#### **POST PANDEMIC: MAY 2022 - NOW**

#### **METHOD OF COMMUNICATION**



#### **CUSTOMER EXPECTATION:**

Communicating more on social media and email less

Inquiring more about sustainable, unique tours to new destinations

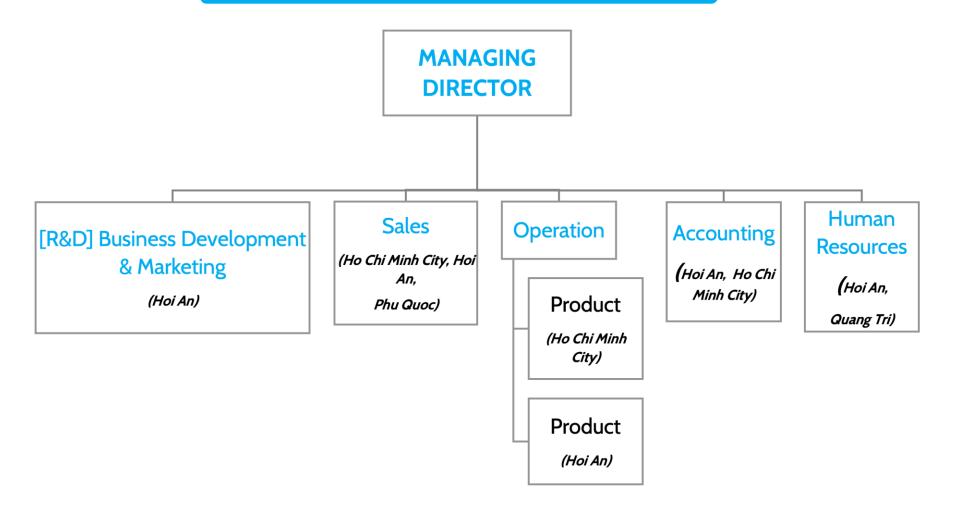
Booking windows are one-third shorter but they want flexible cancellations

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#### **POST PANDEMIC: MAY 2022 - NOW**









## **1** FLEXIBLE IN OPERATING

More remote work

Less carbon footprint for the planet

More work-life balance for employees

More effective & streamlined workflow



## 2

#### **CHANGE ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE**

#### **INVEST IN TECHNOLOGY:**

Apply chat GPT, AI, Database, Software

Increase Staff:

Marketing, Market Research: 2 staff -> 5 staff

IT: 1 staff -> 1 staff + outsourcing team

Reducing Staff:

Operations and Reservation: 30 staff  $\rightarrow$  15 staff



## **2** CHANGE ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE

GIVEN THE VOLATILE ECONOMY WITH SHARP INFLATION WORLDWIDE, CLIMATE CHANGE, WARS, AND THE RESIDUE EFFECTS OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMICS, THE MARKET SIGNIFICANTLY FLUCTUATES WITH CONSTANT SHIFTS IN DEMAND.

- •Work smarter and more effectively on market research and evaluation to better define our market
- •We then constantly update our marketing plans and change our products to better provide for our customers

#### **1** Increase Staff:

Product, Marketing, Market Research

## **2** CHANGE ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE

#### **INCREASE DEMAND FOR SUSTAINABLE PRODUCTS:**

- •Need to discover new locations and suppliers that meet sustainability guidelines.
- •Need to adopt and implement sustainability in all aspects of our business, from policies, manuals, training to operations.

#### Increase Staffs:

- Product/ Contract Team: 1 staff -> 3 staff, to deal with sustainable suppliers and create green tours
- Human Resources: to take care of sustainable application and work on the changes in business to adapt to sustainable requirements



### **RESPONSIBLE TRAVEL**

#### **GREEN TOURS DEVELOPMENT**







- Non-engine: bike, walk, electric scooter
- No plastic: grass straw, banana leaf/lotus leave food container
- ✓ Use local resource
- Community engagement: organic farm, talk to local

### **COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**



Cleaning The Surrounding Environment



Free Warm Clothing Giveaway & Hair Cut



Building Public Construction At Local School



Tourism Combined Local Economic Development



Refillable Water



Making Paper Bags Program, No Plastic Waste





## CUSTOMERS' EXPECTATION POST PANDEMIC

- ✓ Nature, sustainable travel
- ✓ Quickly response
- ✓ Online chat, social media communication
- ✓ Online meeting
- ✓ Short booking window, flexible in cancelation

## IMPACT ON HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

- ✓ Personnel structure and workforce size changes to meet customers' demands
- ✓ Requiring multi-task employees
- Besides functional training, applying extra training in technology, marketing (social media posts), designing
- Applying Sustainability in services and office operations



# Thank you

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