# 20 YEARS + EXPERIENCE

# The only independent agency - provider of integrated research solutions and client service in the region

























#### **Vietnam**

Established: 1994

Offices: Ho Chi Minh City, Hanoi

and 2 provincial offices

Coverage: 43 of 63 provinces

nationwide

Staffing: Full Time – 25

Field Force - 200

#### Cambodia

Established: 1995

Offices: Phnom Penh, 2

provincial offices

Coverage: 21 of 21

provinces nationwide

Staffing: Full Time – 52

Field Force – 200

#### **Lao PDR**

Established: 1999

Offices: Vientiane, 3

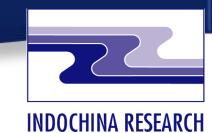
Regional offices

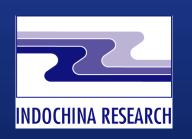
Coverage: 17 of 17

provinces nationwide

Staffing: Full Time – 40

Field Force - 100





## **KEY FIGURES**





#### **SOME QUESTIONS WE CAN HELP YOU ANSWER!**



# Examining Communication Effectiveness

- How strong is our brand? What does our brand mean to our target?
- Which media should I invest in to reach my target audience ?
- Who is aware of, understands or takes action through my advertising?
- What are the impact of my events ?



#### Resolving Marketing Challenges

- Is the customer base loyal or disloyal?
- Importance of brand in the overall buying process
- Do our products and services deliver what my target wants?
- How can sales and promotions be more effective?
- What will keep customers more satisfied ?



Expanding
Business
Opportunities

- Is the market potential big enough to justify our investment?
- What are the most important decision making factors of my target?
- What different types of customer are there in the market / category?
- What are the distribution and promotion strategy that are more effective?
- What are the key market drivers?

## WHAT WE DO







#### **QUANTITATIVE**

U&A and Tracking Studies

**Customized ad Hoc Research** 

Product and idea testing

**Satisfaction survey** 

**TV Audience shares** 

**Event Evaluation** 

**KAP and M&E Studies** 

#### **QUALITATIVE**

Product & concept testing

Focus group discussions

In depth interviews (IDI)

**Observation/immersion** 

**Ethnographic profiling** 

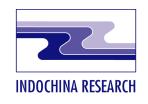
#### **RETAIL**

**Sector overviews** 

Retail census & audit

**Mystery shopping** 

Digital mapping & analysis



## **EXPERIENCED IN COMMERCIAL** & SOCIAL RESEARCH



#### COMMERCIAL RESEARCH B2B / B2C



- Automobile
- Banking & Insurance
- Mystery Shoppers
- Beverage, Food & Dairy
- Beer & Spirits

- Media & Advertising
- Pharmaceuticals
- Personal Care
- Petroleum
- Retail
- Telecommunications
- Tobacco
- Real Estate
- FMCG
- Household Products
- IT
- Mobile Handsets

#### **SOCIAL RESEARCH**

- Agriculture & Natural Resources
  - Business environment & SME
    - Education
      - Energy
    - Finance & Insurance
    - Institutional Perception
      - Health
- Social & Socio-economic issues
  - Water & Sanitation



### **SOME OF OUR CLIENTS**



































































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THE

WORLD







# WHAT OUR CLIENT SAY ABOUT US



Client feedback: Feb 2015 - Rural survey in 9 provinces

"I would say **VN has been the most problematic country for our agency** as we don't have any representative there and have to rely heavily on local supplier.

I've worked with previous local supplier in 1 project but I wonder if the quality of deliverables could be better, so I decided to take risk by changing from old supplier we have used to work with for so long to IRL (and it's the first time we change the agency).

Now it's proved that we made the right decision, VN can finish the report much quicker and our global client is satisfied with the result."



# INDOCHINA RESEARCH

#### **MYSTERY SHOPPERS**

**Objective:** Support Sales and Client Service Department to ensure implementation of policies by POS staff.

**Methodologies : Mystery shoppers visits in selected POS and competition based on approved scenario** 

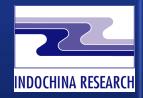
**Outputs:** Dashboard reports at POS or aggregated levels providing results from the visits and tracking of KPI

**Business implications**: Helps you keep track of the quality of service within your network, follow up with relevant training programs and materials

**Industries**: Retail and corporate banking, Luxury retail hospitality, retail and distribution services







#### **CONSUMER RESEARCH – USAGE & ATTITUDES**

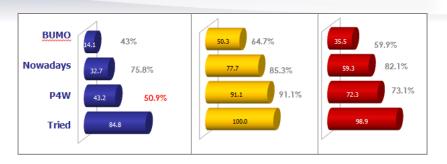
**Objective\_:** Understand consumer's demographic, their usage & attitude, their media habit, etc...

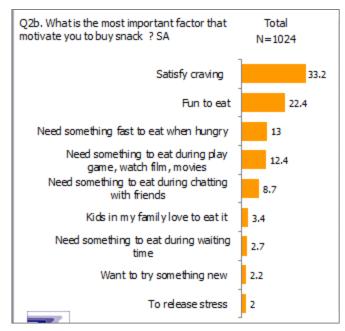
**Methodologies**: Qualitative research in Focus Groups and quantitative survey among recent and potential buyers and non-users

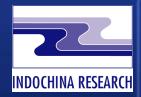
Outputs: Report on important criteria for sales and marketing; support BOM to have background to build up and track the customer centric strategies.

**Business implications:** Provide insight that can serve for sales and marketing services to optimise marketing spendings and improve sales conversions.

**Industries: all B2C** 







#### **MARKET ENTRY — MARKET INTELLIGENCE**

**Objective\_:** To understand about specific B2B / B2C markets to evaluate the potentiall to enter and compete with current players.

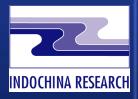
**Methodologies**: Desk research, Qualitative and Quantitative primary data collection and analysis

Outputs: Report on market size, key players, key competitive edge to compete in this industry, current operational, distribution system of main players, etc.

Business implications: Provide primary insight that company can use to make decision to enter or expand their business and how to define competitive advantages and planning based on marketing intelligence.



#### HIGHLIGHTS ON SOME KEY PROJECTS/SERVICES



#### **EVENT EVALUATION**

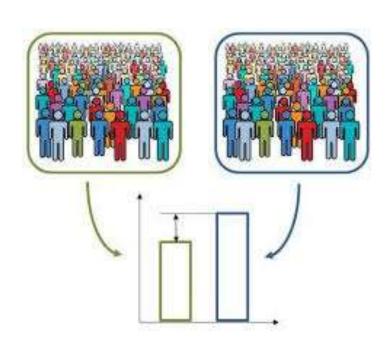
**Objective**: Measure the effectiveness of events and promotional actions

**Methodologies**: Pre/Post event digital suveys

**Outputs**: Report on the satisfaction of the participants and measuring engagement levels, Net promoter scores variations.

**Business implications**: Get systemtic feedback on all events organised; be able to evaluate the performance of each event to optimise future budget allocation and benchmark performances

**Industries**: Adaptable to all business events





#### **SOCIAL RESEARCH**

Objective: Monitoring and Evaluation of Economic status of vulnerable Household from a previous baseline survey. To update status of Vulnerable Household in regard to land compensation and provide qualitative data to monitor along the project duration.

**Methodologies**: Quality control of the baseline database. Qualitative interviews following a structured discussion guide.

Outputs: Updated database and location map of confirmed and newly identified vulnerable Households.





## **QUALITY ASSURANCE**

#### **ESOMAR**

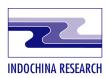
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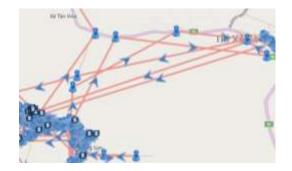


## TABLET SURVEY DATA ACQUISITION



Using tablets for market research ensure the highest level of quality in data acquisition

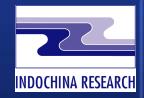
- Strict monitoring of quota and interviewer performance
- Interview time and duration automatically recorded
- Specific questions/answer recorded for back checking and analysis
- Integrated routing and logic check in the questionnaire
- GPS location recording
- Picture of Survey location / respondents
- Data punching error reduced from questionnaire
- Multimedia capacities for survey design

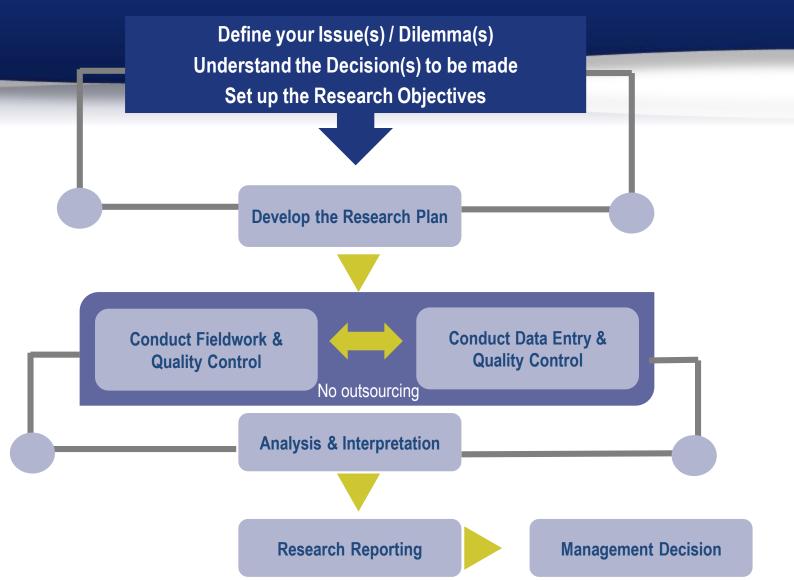






### **OUR GENERAL APPROACH TO RESEARCH**







#### **Xavier Depouilly, General Manager** xavier@indochinaresearch.com

15 years in South-East Asia in marketing, business development and market research. Xavier is a researcher with experience from both the client and consultancy perspective. He has specialized in media research and communication effectiveness in Vietnam. He has worked for Kantar Media as Client Service Director and as Director of marketing research for the sole private Pay TV operator in Vietnam.

Xavier also has extensive experience working with international trade and governmental agencies, fundraising, technical assistance and social research projects.

#### **Our Research Managers**

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7 years experience, specialized in Mystery Shopping, client satisfaction, Healthcare & Social Research

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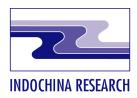


5 years experience, specialized in Market Entry, Media, Client satisfaction, Automobile & Store audit

#### Hoang Hong Hanh Senior Research Exec. hanhhoang@indochinaresearch.com



5 years experience, specialized in FW Tracking projects, Brand Health Check, FMCG, Retail



#### **Our Fieldwork Managers**

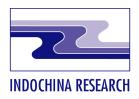


#### Ngo Ngoc Minh Thu, Fieldwork Manager South Nguyen Lan Anh, Fieldwork Manager North

Thu and Lan Anh manage the fieldwork operations of IRL nationwide. They have a team of 200 permanent and part-time time field force under them

Their responsibilities encompass the overall management of field research activities conducted by IRL. Specific tasks undertaken include the recruitment, training and supervision of FW team and interview teams, administering project finance. They also support Client Service Team during proposal stage.

Lan Anh has been with IRL for 18 years, Thu for 14 years.



# Thank you for giving us opportunity to support your business!

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