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## Educational Attainment (2): Asian



- In comparison to 2006 and 2013, a greater proportion of people in all ethnic groups had attained a Level 7 qualification or greater. (Fig. 7).
- In 2018, Southeast Asians had the greatest proportion of people with no qualification (13\%) as well as the greatest proportion of people with a Level 7 qualification ( $31 \%$ compared to $23 \%$ of Other Asians, $25 \%$ of Chinese, $27 \%$ of Indians, and 29\% of East Asians).
- East Asians continued to have the greatest proportion of people with an overseas secondary school qualification.

- In 2013, Southeast Asians had the greatest proportion of people with no qualification. (Fig. 2).
- Compared to 2006, approximately equal proportions of Indian, Chinese, Southeast Asian, Other Asian, and East Asian people had a Level 8 qualification or above
- Additionally, the proportion of people with a Level 7 qualification had increased in each ethnic group.

- An approximately equal proportion of people across all Asian ethnic groups had attained a Level 7 qualification (around 20\%). (Fig. 3).
- Compared to other Asian ethnic groups, a greater proportion of East Asians had attained an overseas secondary school qualification (40\% compared to approximately 20\% in other ethnic groups).
- Additionally, East Asians had a greater proportion of people with a Level 8 qualification and above.

- Compared to women, a much greater proportion of men had studied or were studying in areas such as information technology, engineering, and agriculture, environment \& related studies (Fig 4).
- Of all people in the field of engineering and related technologies, 79\% were men.
- On the other hand, a much greater proportion of women had studied or were studying in areas such as health, education, society and culture, and creative arts.
- Of all people in the field of education, $81 \%$ were women.

