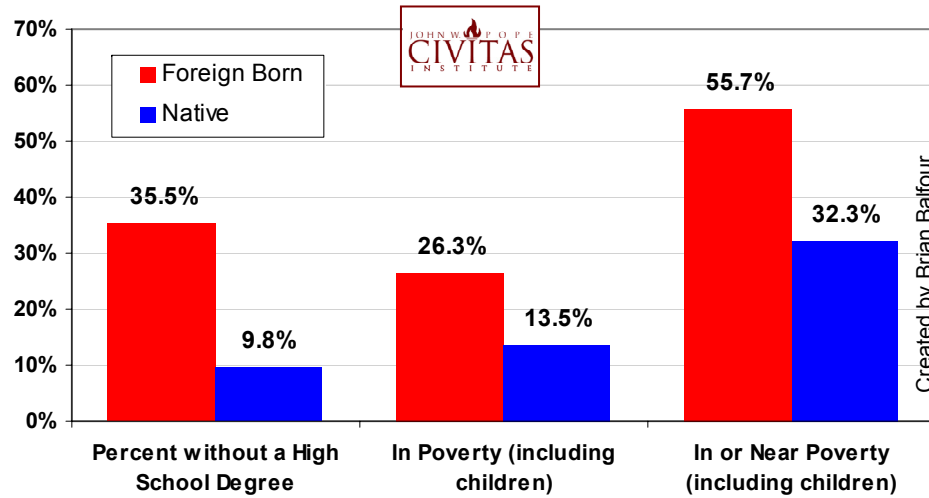


Opportunity Costs of Immigration

Lost Productivity

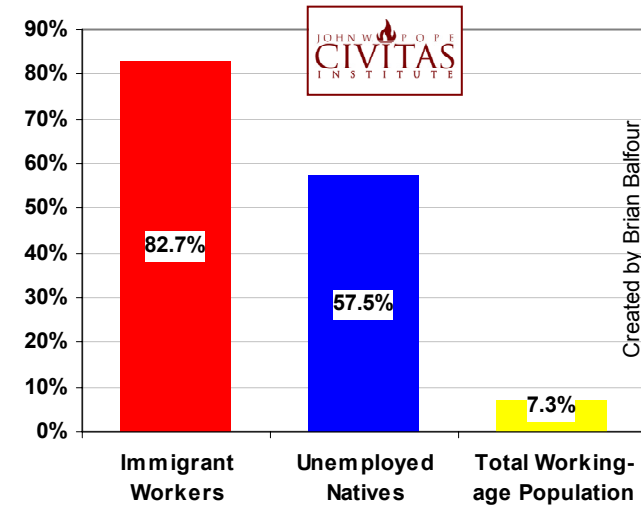
Education and Poverty Levels for Natives and Foreign Born



Source: Center for Immigration Studies (2005)

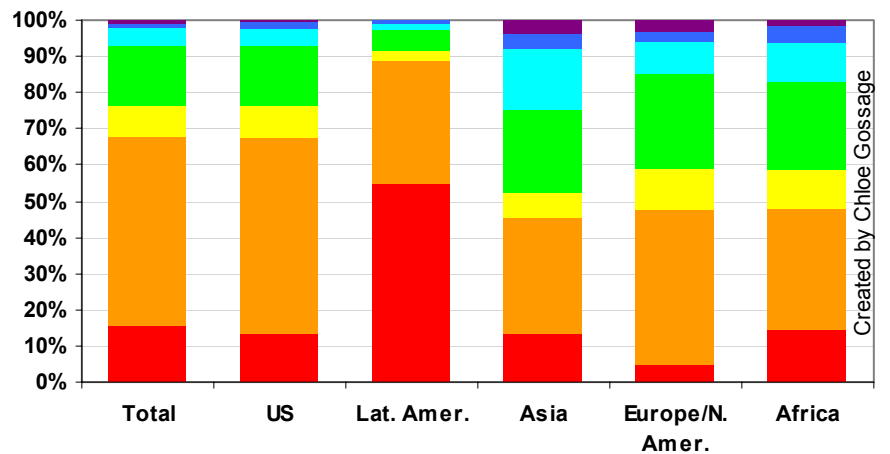
Lost Jobs for Native Workers

Change in Immigrant Workers vs. Unemployed Natives: 2000-2005



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics; Center for Immigration Studies

Educational Attainment and Place of Birth: 2006 North Carolinians

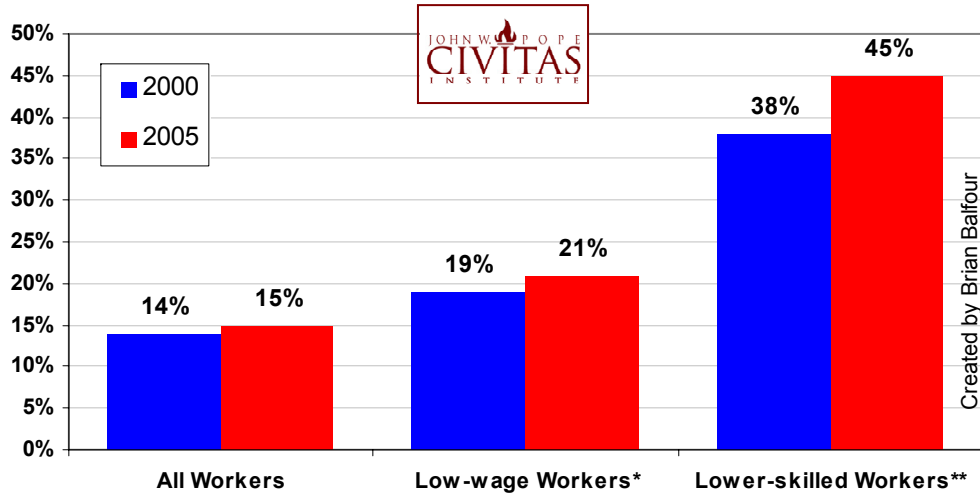


Data source: U.S. Census, American Community Survey, 2006

■ No HS Diploma
 ■ HS Grad
 ■ AA
 ■ BA
 ■ MA
 ■ Prof
 ■ PhD

Lost Jobs for Native Workers (cont'd)

Foreign-born Share of All Workers, Low-wage/Lower-skilled Workers:
2000 and 2005



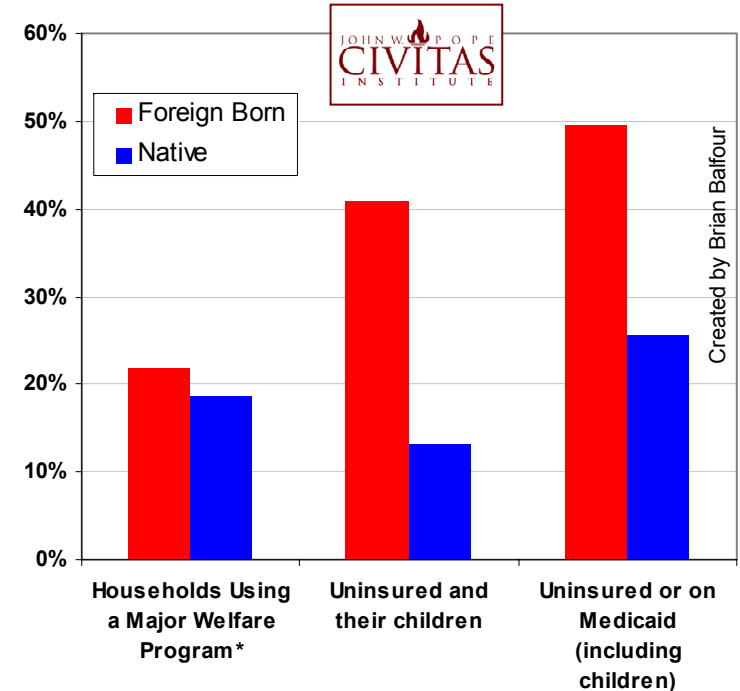
* Earned less than twice the minimum wage in 1999 or in 2004

**Less than a high school education

Source: The Urban Institute (2007)

Lost Revenue and Higher Costs

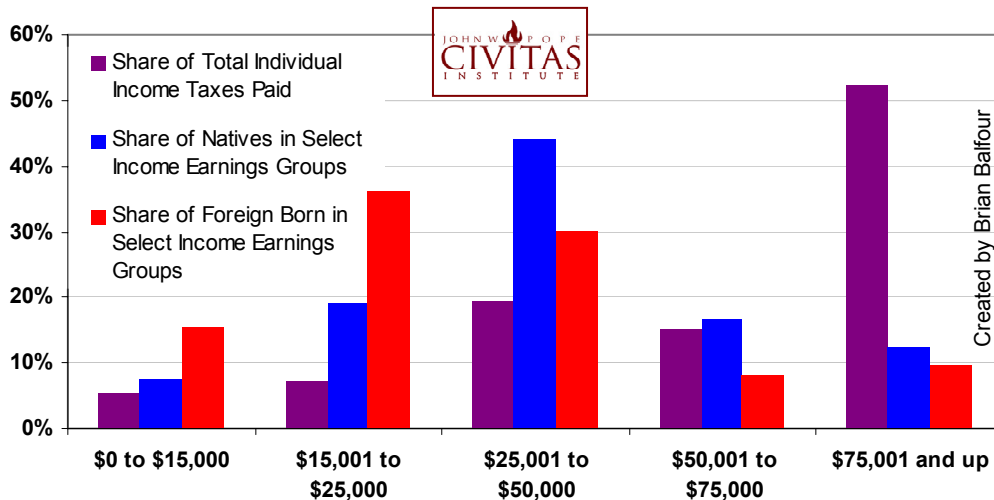
Welfare Usage and Insurance Coverage:
Foreign Born vs. Native



*Includes use of any of the following: TANF, General Assistance, SSI, Food Stamps, Public/Subsidized housing, WIC or Medicaid

Source: Center for Immigration Studies (2005)

Revenue from Individual Income Tax: Natives vs. Foreign Born



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2006 American Community Survey,
North Carolina Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (2006)