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| **Table 3. The country values of median earnings, housing costs, and poverty thresholds used in calculating total incomes in the 10 scenarios in the vignette family** | | | | |
|  | United Kingdom | United States | Australia | New Zealand |
| Median female full-time earnings | 23,600  *33,747* | 37,804  *37,804* | 53,300  *36,256* | 47,008  *33,137* |
| Median part-time female earnings | 8,736  *12,492* | 14,148  *14,148* | 23,972  *16,306* | 17,950  *12,653* |
| Median male full-time earnings | 29,300  *41,898* | 47,316  *47,316* | 65,000  *44,215* | 54,860  *38,672* |
| Annual rent | 8,316  *11,891* | 9,936  *9,936* | 13,936  *9,480* | 14,560  *10,264* |
| Poverty threshold, family of two | 13,680  *19,562* | 25,757  *25,757* | 38,736  *26,349* | 31,365  *22,110* |
| *Notes*: The first figure in each cell is in each country’s own currency; the second figures (italicized) are in purchasing power parity-adjusted US dollars for 2014 (authors’ calculations).  *Source for earnings values:* UK Office for National Statistics, 2013; US Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2013; Australian Bureau of Statistics, 2013; Statistics New Zealand, 2014.  *Rental Values:* these were calculated separately for each country based on ‘typical’ mid-range private rental costs for a two bedroomed apartment in an urban area.  *Poverty Threshold:* based on 60 per cent of the equivalised net income for a family of two. | | | | |