

# Internationalisation in Higher Education for Society (IHES): ein Überblick

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# Wo und von wem wurde das Konzept entwickelt?

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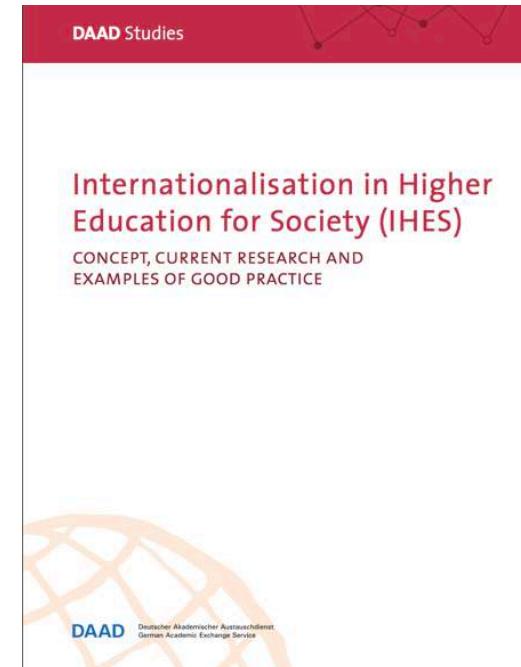
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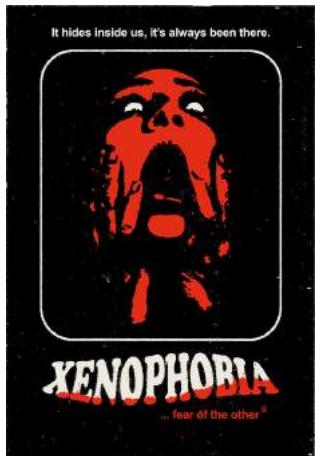
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# Beispiele für globale Herausforderungen, die soziales Engagement & Internationalisierung betreffen



Xenophobie,  
Radikalisierung  
, Populism

Klimawandel



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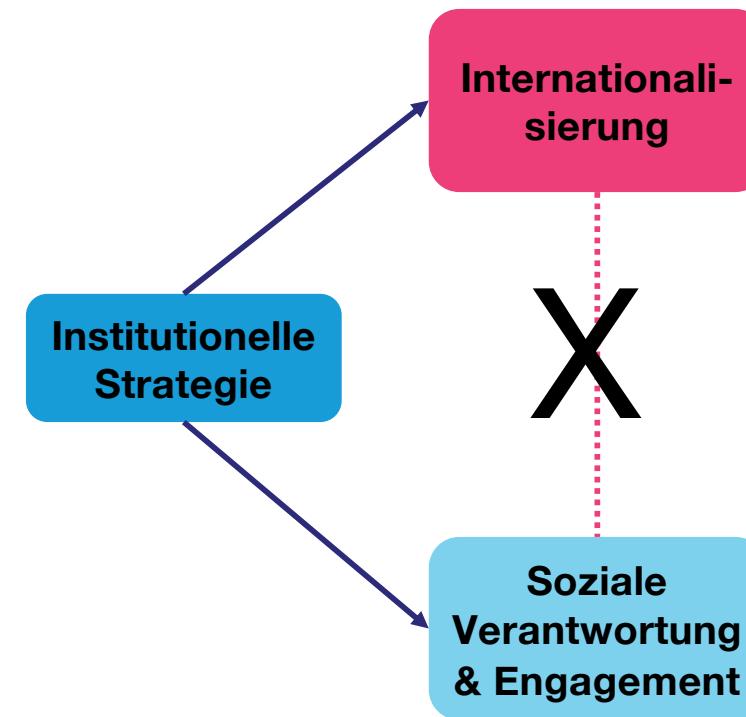
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# Soziales Engagement und Internationalisierung

Universitäten praktizierten schon immer soziales Engagement in verschiedenen Ausprägungen (z.B. community outreach, social engagement, service learning)

Soziales Engagement/Verantwortung (oft als Dritte Mission bezeichnet) wurde in institutionellen Strategien und Konzepten integriert

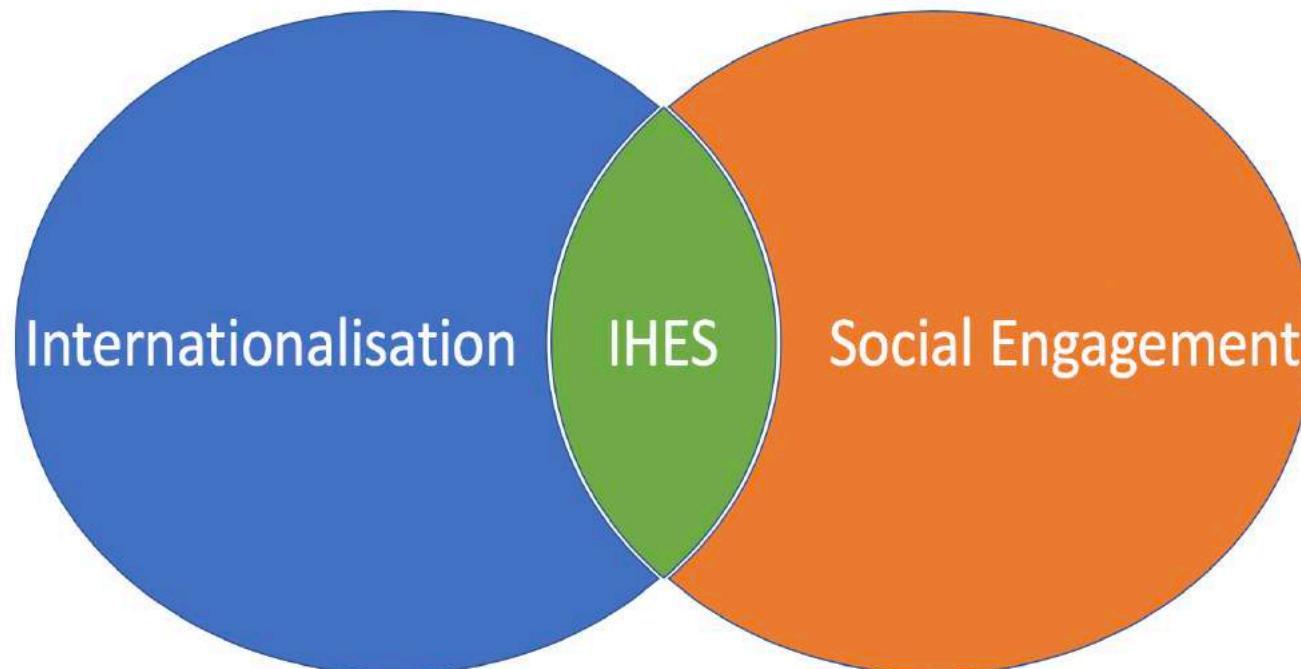
Aber:  
Wir beobachten, dass bisher Soziale Verantwortung/Engagement und Internationalisierung unverbunden nebeneinander stehen (disconnect)



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# Wo verortet sich Internationalisation in Higher Education for Society (IHES)



Intersection between all forms of social engagement and responsibility and internationalisation agendas and activities of higher education institutions is important and yet largely unexplored

Elspeth Jones, Sgroup Presentation 2020

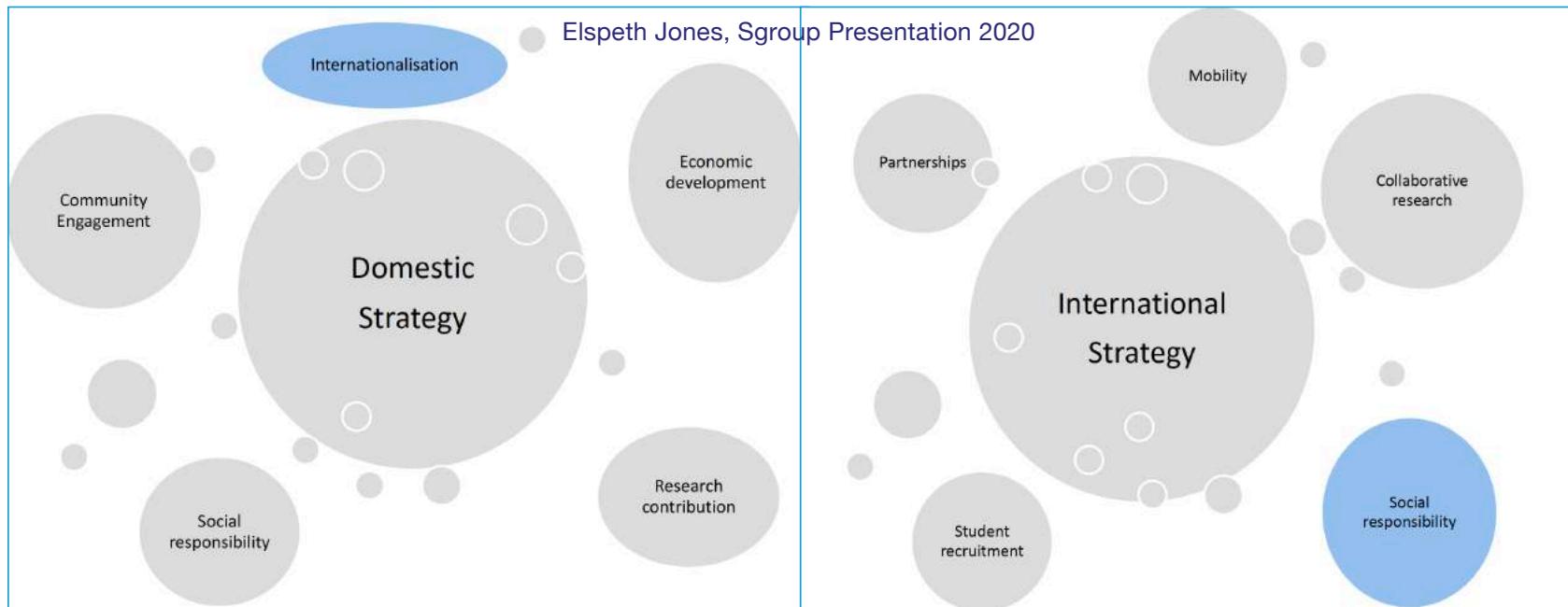


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# Internationalisierung ist nur ein Aspekt unter vielen im institutionellen Strategiespektrum



und soziale Verantwortung ist nur ein Aspekt im Universum der Internationalisierung



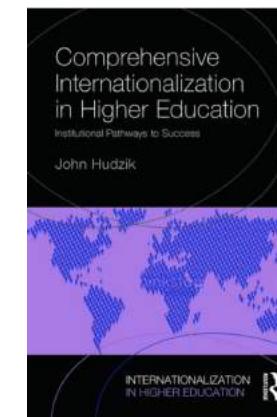
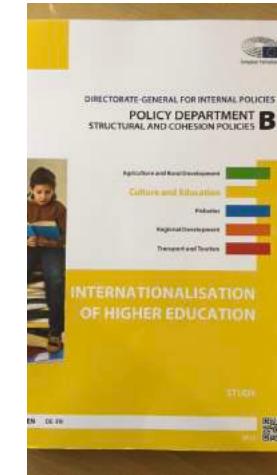
# Definitionen von Internationalisierung und die Verbindung zu IHES

The intentional process of integrating an international, intercultural or global dimension into the purpose, functions and delivery of post-secondary education, *in order to enhance the quality of education and research for all students and staff, and to make a meaningful contribution to society.*

De Wit et al. 2015

Comprehensive internationalization is a commitment, confirmed through action, to infuse international and comparative perspectives throughout the teaching, research, and **service missions of higher education.** {...} **Comprehensive internationalization {is} {...} the impact of global forces on local life {...}.**

Hudzik 2014



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# Wie unterscheiden sich soziales Engagement & soziale Verantwortung

## Social Engagement

Process whereby universities engage with community stakeholders to undertake joint activities that can be mutually beneficial even if each side benefits in a different way.

Benneworth et.al. 2018

## Social Responsibility

The responsibilities of universities for the impacts of their decisions and activities on society and the environment through transparent and ethical strategies.

Dima, 2015



### MAPPING AND CRITICAL SYNTHESIS OF CURRENT STATE-OF-THE-ART ON COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT IN HIGHER EDUCATION

Paul Benneworth, Bojana Culum, Thomas Farnell, Frans Kaiser,  
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# Wichtige Konzepte für IHES

## Civic Engagement:

*Individual and collective actions designed to identify and address issues of public concern*

Carpini 2009



## Community Outreach:

Korporative Aktivitäten einer Hochschule, bei denen jenseits unmittelbarer zivilgesellschaftlicher Verantwortlichkeiten bewusst akademische Einheiten einbezogen werden, um zu Problemlösungen beizutragen und humane, nationale und gesellschaftliche Ressourcen zu entwickeln

Bonnen 1998, Berthold et.al. 2009

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## Community Service vs Service Learning:

„Heutzutage kann man sagen, dass Community Service studentische Aktivitäten wie die oben genannten {e.g. Unterstützungsprogramme in der Jugendarbeit, Seniorenhilfe, Tierschutz, Arbeit mit Obdachlosen, Park- und Grünanlagenreinigung} bezeichnet, die nicht in ein Curriculum eingebunden sind (extracurriculare Aktivitäten), während Service Learning diese Einbindung voraussetzt und neben dem Lerneffekt aus der Erfahrung zugleich auch immer die Reflektion des Geschehenen beinhaltet.“

Berthold et.al. 2009



# Definition von “Internationalisation in Higher Education for Society (IHES)”



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Internationalisation of Higher Education for Society (IHES) explicitly aims to benefit the wider community, at home or abroad, through international or intercultural education, research, service and engagement.

Brandenburg, de Wit, Jones, Leask, 2019



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In our recent article in **University World News** we argued that 'Internationalisation of Higher Education for Society' (IHES) should become a central part of university agendas over the next decade.

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# Wo stehen wir aktuell?

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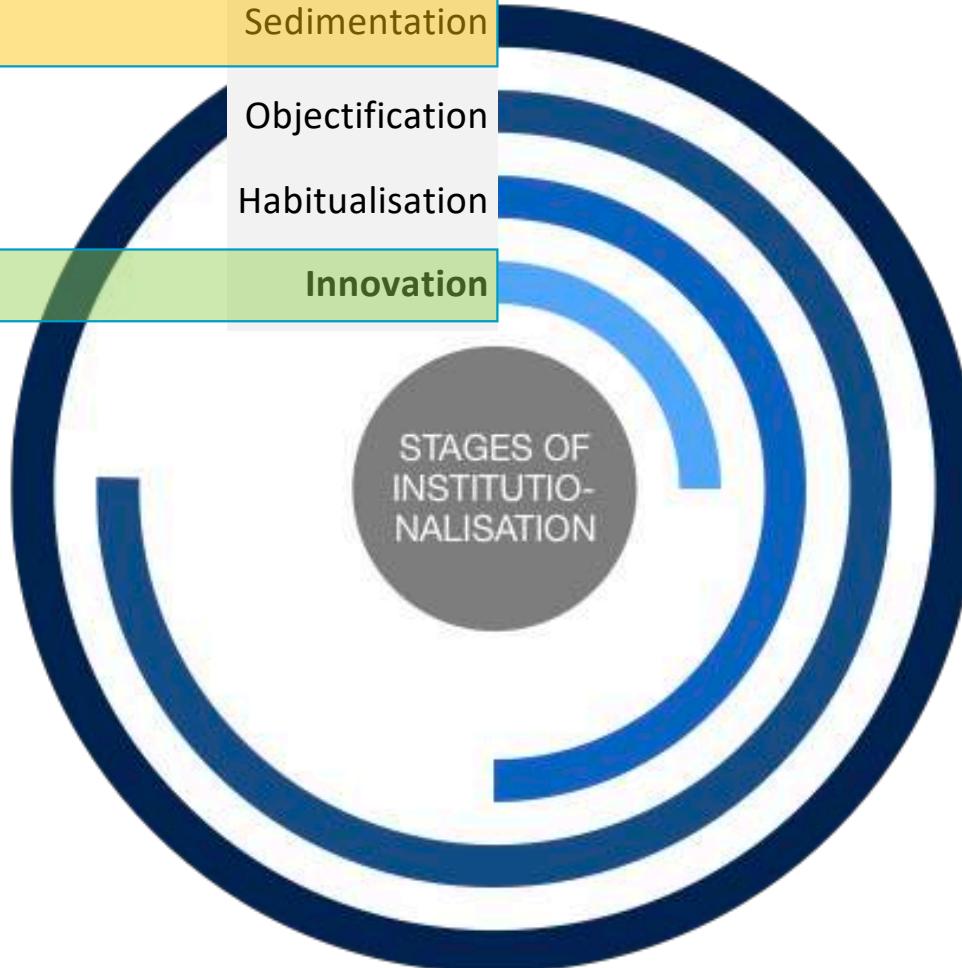
Sedimentation

IHES

Innovation

Objectification

Habitualisation



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# IHES Charakteristika

- 1) IHES Aktivitäten zielen absichtsvoll und bewusst darauf ab, der Gesellschaft an sich Vorteile zu verschaffen. Aktivitäten werden sorgfältig geplant, evaluiert und ihr Einfluss/Effekt auf die Gesellschaft wird in irgendeiner Weise sichtbar.
- 2) IHES bezieht die breitere Gesellschaft ein, sei es daheim oder im Ausland. Es can das Globale in das Lokale bringen, oder das Lokale in das Globale, oder beides.
- 3) IHES kann in allen Bereichen der Hochschule stattfinden: Lehre, Forschung und gesellschaftliche Verantwortung.



# Welche Aspekte sind wichtig, wenn man ein IHES Projekt konzipiert? ... Die IHES Matrix

1. Ziele (Goals)
2. Akteure in der Hochschule (Actor group(s) within the HEI)
3. Zielgruppen in der Gesellschaft (Target group(s) in society)
4. Einbindung in der Hochschule (Involvement at the HEI)
5. Internationalisierungsdimensionen (Dimensions of internationalisation)
6. Bewegung zwischen Hochschule und Gesellschaft (Movement between HEI and society)
7. Nutznießende (Beneficiaries)



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# Die gesamte IHES matrix

Goals			Actor group(s) within HEI	Target group(s) in society	Dimension of internationalisation for actor group at HEI			
						Public Good	Economic Development	
Public Good			Alumni Domestic Academics employed by HEI Domestic Administrative staff employed by HEI Domestic Students Incoming Administrative staff Incoming International Academics International Academics employed at HEI International Administrative staff employed by HEI International degree students International exchange students Leadership of the HEI (e.g. presidents, VPs, deans)	Communities abroad Enterprises/ companies General public Migrants in the country of the HEI Municipalities, local & regional institutions Parents of HEI students Peers and friends of students Public service providers (e.g. hospitals) abroad Public service providers (e.g. hospitals) in the country of the HEI Refugees abroad Refugees in the country of the HEI	HEI Capacity Building for Developing Countries Inbound academic mobility Inbound administrative staff mobility Inbound student mobility International strategic HEI cooperation International study programmes Internationalisation at Home (IAH) Internationalisation of the Curriculum (IOC) Online teaching and learning with international Partners Outbound academic mobility Outbound administrative staff mobility Outbound student mobility for internships & service learning Outbound student mobility for studies Outbound voluntary activities of students Research and applied research Research networks with international partners Transnational Education (TNE) Voluntary activities of inbound international students Welcome centres for international scholars or other workforce	Support social integration Develop global citizens Fight radicalisation Fight xenophobia/populism Improve the acceptance of scientific results (instead of alternative Facts) and critical thinking Provide practice-oriented research Support European identity Support/preserve democracy Support/preserve peace Support science & Knowledge diplomacy / soft power Support the environment & sustainability Support the Sustainable Development Goals of the UN	Knowledge transfer Support economies of developing countries Support local/regional economy General education of the public / capacity building Support active citizenship	
				Holistic (the whole HEI is involved, it is an institutional approach)		Movement between HEI and society		
				Partial (individual departments, faculties, chairs, student club, etc. are involved)				
				Individual (individuals are involved through an outside organisation such as the British Council or the DAAD or in a project of their own)				
				From HEI into society (e.g. international academics teaching outside the HEI in public places)				
				From society into HEI (e.g. migrants, refugees, mature students or "international night of science" in the HEI)				
				Both directions		Beneficiary		
				Only society				
				Society and HEI				

# Einige wenige Beispiele

„Unterstützung der regionalen/lokalen Wirtschaft“



Giving female entrepreneurs  
international marketing  
experience,  
**Universidad Viña del Mar,**  
**Chile**



Welcome Centre for  
International Workforce,  
**Georg-August**  
**Universität Göttingen**



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Positive Attitudes between  
Migrants and Youth in Hosting  
Societies  
**Erasmus+ KA2 Projekt**

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## 2 spezielle Typen:

Swansea, UK: Die Öffentlichkeit zu Terrorismus und Medien informieren mit internationalen Lehrenden

Brown University, USA: internationale Kompetenz durch die Carnegie Klassifikation in die Gesellschaft bringen



## Der Meta-Level:

FameLab: science communication competition



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British Council: Famelab

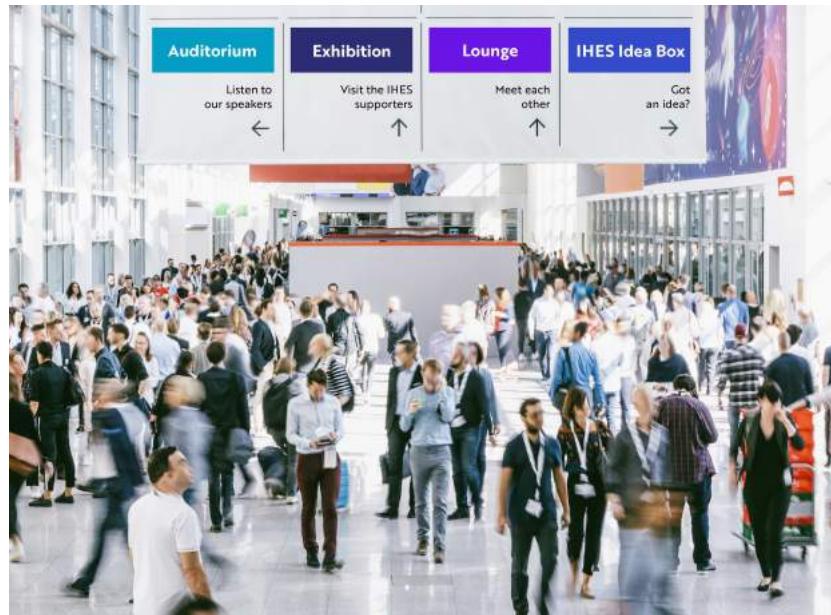
DAAD:  
Erasmus macht Schule



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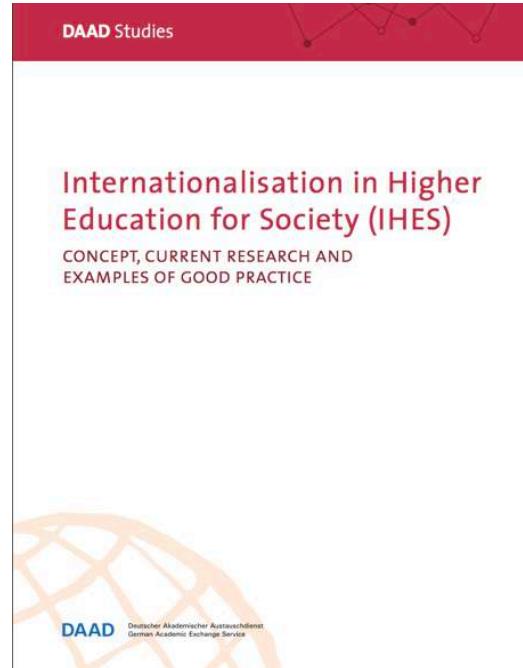
Welche Erfahrungen haben Sie schon mit Projekten, die in den IHES Kontext passen könnten?

Was funktioniert, was eher nicht?

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